



# Dispatches from Our Lady's



## Easter Bonnet Parade on 27/3/26 from 9.05am (followed by a Coffee Morning)

As you will have seen in recent correspondence, we will be holding our annual Easter Bonnet Parade on 27/3/26, from 9.05am until 9.30am. Prizes will be awarded for the best 'bonnets' (hats) from each Class (Reception, Y1 and Y2 only).

Please drop children to Classes as normal in the morning and make your way to the Field to watch the children parading. After the Parade, Parents & Carers from all Year Groups are welcome to come into the Hall for Tea and Cake, organised by the Friends of School, until 10.45am.

All welcome!

In the event of wet weather, we will make alternative arrangements for 'showing off' the children's hats. For more information, please speak to your child's Class Teacher.

## Schools' Football Week

We are excited to announce that Schools' Football Week will take place from 23<sup>rd</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> March. This national initiative encourages children to get active, build confidence and enjoy football in a fun, inclusive environment.

During the week, pupils will take part in a variety of football related activities, including PE sessions, lunchtime games, class and year group challenges, and a whole school celebration of football. As part of our learning focus, classes will also be exploring inspirational role models in women's football.

To finish the week, KS2 pupils are welcome to wear a football shirt or Pokémon clothing on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March. ***EYFS and KS1 Pupils are not participating on this occasion as it is their Easter Bonnet Parade on 27/3/26.***

**If you would like any further information please contact Mr Adams [sadams@olqoh.com](mailto:sadams@olqoh.com)**



## Date for the Diary

**Summer Fere and  
Circus Visit**

**Friday 19th June  
from 3.15pm**

**Tickets on sale  
from 14/4/26**

This will be a wonderful community event held in partnership with Willow Tree Pre-School, with proceeds supporting the work of the OLQOH Friends of School.

Fete Activities, from 3:15pm will take place on the Field, with the Big Top Tent opening for show time at 5pm (the performance will begin around 5.15pm with more details available by visiting

<https://www.happycircus.co.uk/>)

There will be a range of activities for children and families to enjoy at the Fete including:

- Bouncy castles
- Police Car
- Arts & Crafts
- Sand Art
- Face Painting
- Nail Bar
- Bottle Tombola
- BBQ (run by the Ifield Scouts)
- Ice creams, churros, hot drinks, sweet treats including candy floss and popcorn.

**Please note that this day will also be a non uniform day (in exchange for a bottle for the tombola).**