



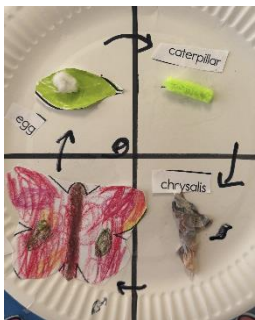
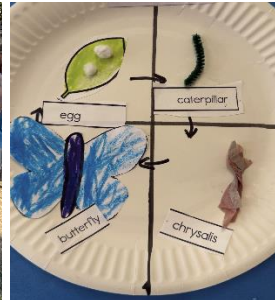
Loyola News

*Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam
To the Greater Glory of God*

Friday 4th July 2025 Issue: 35



It has been a busy week with us jetting off into space with the Ruds play, getting together for afternoon tea with the Lunchtime Champions, WWII re-enactment, butterfly releases and much more. The highlight however, was our very special Mass dedicated to a truly remarkable and much loved member of our school community, Mrs Carmel Thomas, to mark her retirement from Loyola after 32 years of dedication. Thank you to Canon Andrew Headon, Fr Barto, Fr Frank, Fr Adrian, Fr Rob and Fr Michael for saying Mass where we offered our prayers, our love, and our deepest thanks for the incredible impact she has had. Next week, we will be having our last music lessons, our last schola session, our last choir practice and our last goodbyes. I would like to thank all the boys and parents (past and present) who made the event such a special one for her. Mrs K Anthony



The boys loved finding out about the life cycle of a butterfly and there was such excitement when they were released and flew away. Rec had the great idea to release them by Mary's statue as there are lots of flowers and butterflies like flowers!

Year 2 were transported back to the 1940s this week during an engaging and interactive World War II workshop. The boys explored what life was like for evacuees, pilots, and people on the Home Front, bringing history to life in the most memorable way. The highlight of the session was getting hands-on with artefacts and props – including a genuine RAF uniform and an air raid siren! We also re-enacted key moments from the war!



Well done to Kieran, Ajay, Leo, Benito, Max, Freddie, Ryaan, Nathan, Arin, Jude, Joel, Leo and Henry who were this half term's, "Lunchtime Champions". The boys were awarded this accolade for remembering to use their manners, be supportive to their friends and to keep upholding the Loyola values at lunchtime. 🍌

Coming up next week...



4th - 10th July
Ellis (PP1) & Jerry (Figs)



The Word of the Week was:
"efficient"

The boys who have demonstrated this in school are: Aarav (Rec), Jai (PP1), Ayush (PP2), Leo (Prep), Arthur (Els), Vikram (Figs), Eshan (Ruds)
Next week, we are looking for boys who show they are "imaginative"

DAILY

- 7.15 – 8.15am Breakfast Club (**no** need to book)
- 3.15 – 4.15pm Homework Club: Prep – Ruds (Please book)
- 3.15 – 6.15pm After School Club (Please book)

Monday 7th July

- 3.15 – 4.15pm PP2 Multi Sports
- 3.15 – 4.15pm Reception Multi Sports
- 4.15 – 5.15pm U11 Yellow (Figs & Ruds) Cricket Training
- 3.15 – 5.00pm Get Creative
- 7.00pm Academy Evening for pupils and families in Prep – Ruds. Boys to wear ties & blazers unless told otherwise.

Tuesday 8th July

Non Uniform Day for Southwell as the winning house this term

- 8.40am Els Tennis at Buckhurst Hill Tennis Club
- 3.15 – 4.15pm Schola- dismissal from the hall

Wednesday 9th July

- 10.30am Leavers Mass with Fr Rob
- 3.15 – 4.15pm PP1 Multi Sports
- 3.15 – 4.15pm Choir- dismissal from the hall
- 4.15 – 5.15pm U9 Yellow (Prep & Els) Cricket Training

Thursday 10th July

- 9.00 – 10.40am Transition time in new classes for September
- Pm Kinder & Rec Teddy Bears Picnic
- 3.15 – 4.15pm Prep Multi Sports
- 3.15 – 4.15pm U11 Blue (Figs & Ruds) Cricket Training

Friday 11th July

- 1.00pm Assembly – certificates only
- 3.00pm School finishes for the Summer holidays
- 3.00pm Tuck Shop on lower playground
- 3.15 – 4.15pm No clubs after school

Elements tested centrifugal force in practical physics....some got a little wet!



What has happened to the chairs in PP2?



Apparently, the chairs went on strike and PP2 had to write a persuasive argument to get them back! Do you think they were successful?



House points

This week : 1st **Campion (1350)** 2nd: **Southwell (1000)** 3rd **Owen (950)** 4th: **Garnet (900)**
This term : 1st **Southwell (7685)** 2nd **Campion (7365)** 3rd **Garnet (6845)** 4th: **Owen (6650)**

House point winners are Southwell!!