

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

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Friday 16th September

Dear Parents/Carers,

A message from the Headteacher

This morning we shared a fabulous assembly where children from Years 1 to 6 presented their Mission Statement work. Over the past couple of weeks the children have been working together considering how they and we as a whole school community can 'Love Jesus, Love learning and Love life' the results are magnificent and will take pride of place outside my room.

The Library is now up and running and children in each year group have enjoyed spending time in it this week; choosing books, reading and navigating their way around. It is a fantastic resource and one that I know will benefit the school and the children will enjoy using.

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 21st September 2016 - History workshops for KS2 pupils

Wednesday 21st September 2016 - 'Meet the Teacher' session for R, Y2, Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6 - 3.30pm - 4.15pm

Saturday 24th September 2016 - 9.30am - 12.00 - St Mary's High School Open Day

Sunday 25th September 2016 - Mass of welcome for Reception - 10.30am - in Church

Friday 30th September 2016 - Year 4 'People' class assembly - parents and carers are very welcome to join us - 9.05am

St Mary's Welcome Mass for Year 7 children and parents - Wednesday 5^{th} October 2016 - 7.00pm - Church

Thursday 13th October 2016 - Year 2 Cafod Assembly - parents and carers are very welcome to join us - 9.05am

Thursday 13th October 2016 - Year 1 Learning Together parents workshop - 2.00pm - 3.15pm

Tuesday 18th October 2016 - Reception visit to Delamere Forest

Thursday 20th October 2016 - Whole School photographs

Advance notice

Parents Evening - Wednesday 2nd November 2016 and Thursday 3nd November 2016 - 3.40pm - 6.30pm

Team points winners for this week are Orange Tigers

This weeks' Superstars/Lunchtime Friday Top Table

A very big well done to the following children who have being making an extra special effort, been a credit to themselves and have earned the most team points for their classes this week. As an extra bonus 'Top Table' winners will earn an extra ten points for their team!

Year One - Lexxie Gillibrand

Year Two - James Daniel Year Three - Liam Dungey

Year Four - Braydon Doherty
Year Five - Katie Powell
Year Six - Rhys Westby

Extra Curricular Clubs and Sporting Fixtures for week beginning 19th September 2016

Monday - Rugby for Years 4, 5, 6

Tuesday - Key Stage 2 football, KS2 Running, KS2 Choir

'Meet the Teacher'

I am very much looking forward to welcoming you to school on the 21^{st} September 2016 as we hold our 'Meet the Teacher' session. Please refer to separate letter (issued Thursday) for more information. **Please note this date doesn't apply to Year 1 parents**.

Mass of welcome

We are holding a special mass for children in our Reception class. The mass will take place on Sunday 25th September 2016 and will be incorporated into St. Joseph's 10.30am mass.

FOSJ Bonus Ball: £25.00 Prize - Wednesday 14th September 2016 - Bonus Ball number 28 - lucky winners Macie and Bradley Weir.

A final thought

Ever tried. Ever failed. No matter. Try again. Fail again. Fail better

Have a lovely weekend, Yours Sincerely, Mr. Paul Ackers













