



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

' We Pray, We Work, We Play '



Week Commencing 29th October 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Worship

"Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself."

Matthew 2: 34

What a wonderful way to finish the final week of last half-term with our multi-faiths week. The children enjoyed an action packed week including a visit to the local Mosque in Accrington. The questions children asked and the information they came back with was put to excellent use in class and in Friday's celebration assembly, they were able to share with parents the work that they had done that week. Thank you to Mrs Hinds for organising all of this.

Last week at school

As mentioned, we enjoyed a very successful multi-faiths week. We also had a non-uniform day where children, and staff, wore their pyjamas and dressing-gowns to school. Through your generous contributions, we managed to collect over 100 bottles which will be used in the bottle tombola at the Christmas Fayre. Please see below for more details.

This week at school

Our 'Spooktacular film-night' will commence at 3:30 p.m. on Tuesday evening. Please see the school office window and our Facebook page for more details on this. Celebration Assembly will be at 2:45 p.m. this week. On November 5th there will be a Bonfire themed lunch and on 7th November it will be parent's evening. There will be lots of Christmas dates to share with you as soon as they are finalised and I will make sure I include them in this newsletter.

Parent's Evening

Next Wednesday, 7th November we will be holding our Parent's afternoon/evening. Please find lists opposite the office with times and slot your name next to your preferred one. This will be an ideal time to talk to your teacher about the start your child has made in their class, their progress and their targets for the year including where we expect them to be by the end of the school year. It will also be an opportunity to look through your children's books and ask any questions to their class teacher. A letter went out today about a change of teacher for the half-term in Class 5 due to Miss Mason's leg operation so please make sure you received a copy if you have a child in that class. We will hold a separate parent's evening for Year 6 a little later into the term.

P.T.F.A.

The P.T.F.A. have been really busy making arrangements for projects in and around school that will raise money that we can spend to directly enhance the education of children in school and pay for trips and visits, such as the pantomime in December. This year the money that is raised will go towards new books in classes and the continual development of our outdoor eco-friendly classroom. This Tuesday there will be a Halloween themed movie night starting at 3:30 p.m. The Christmas Fayre will take place on the 5th of December at 3:30 p.m. There will be a raffle with some great prizes including an overnight stay at the Dunkenalgh Hotel, restaurant vouchers, FUNDA prizes and lots more. There will also be games and stalls including splat the Christmas pudding, chocolate tombola, bottle tombola and, of course, a visit from Santa!

I hope you have an enjoyable week!

Mr Mashiter

Celebration News

STAR OF THE WEEK

- C1 Jenson & Teddy
- C2 Caitlin & Marley
- C3 Charli & Zeshan
- C4 Caiden & Molly P
- C5 Jersie & Arley

RAINBOW AWARD

- C1 Kaide
- C2 Archie
- C3 Harry M
- C4 Freddy W
- C5 Mollie M

Pat Quirk Award for

Literacy

Grace P : Outstanding achievement across all areas of learning.

Mr Gallagher Award for

Maths

Tyler C : Amazing attitude towards achieving targets.

Diary Dates:

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| Mon 29th Oct | SCHOOL RE-OPENS |
| Fri 2nd Nov | Celebration Assembly 2.45 p.m. |
| Tues 30th Oct | Halloween Film night after school |
| Mon 5th Nov | Bonfire night themed dinner |
| Wed 7th Nov | PARENT'S EVENING |
| Fri 9th Nov | Celebration Assembly 9 a.m. |
| Thur 15th Nov | PTFA Crazy Hair day |
| Fri 16th Nov | Celebration Assembly 2.45 p.m. |
| Mon 19th Nov | Swimming 1.30 p.m. |
| Fri 23rd Nov | Celebration Assembly 9 a.m. |

Friday Fund Winner:

Ayden W

RAG BAG COLECTION

- **30th April 2019**

Attendance this week 95.4%

Any money brought into school needs to be in a sealed envelope with clear instructions.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Birthdays 15th Oct - 4th Nov 2018
Kadieleigh, Caiden, Charlie H, Lea, Molly P, Seth L, Erica, McKenzie.

All Photo forms & Money need to be in by Friday 2nd November Please.



ST MARYS SPOOKTACULAR SCHOOL FILM NIGHT

Tuesday 30th October 2018
after school
£2.50 per child £5 family collection 5.10 p.m.

Includes - toast, sweet treat and juice.
The 2 films are -
Goosebumps (juniors)
and Nightmare before Christmas (infants).

Children that are already booked into after school club will attend.

5th November Bonfire Night

£2.20

Sizzling Chicken Burger in a Soft Bun
or
Catherine Wheel Cheese & Tomato Pizza Roll
served with
Whooshing Potato Wedges
Smokey Baked Beans
Booming Crunchy Vegetable Crudités
Fire Cracking Assortment of Dips
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Dazzling Sticky Toffee Cake with Vanilla Ice Cream
or
Sparkling Chocolate Coated Apple Lollies

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