



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

WEEK BEGINNING 27 February 2017



*"We pray, We work, We play,
We care, We do our best."*



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Dear Parents

Last week was an opportunity for us all to remember Ms. Nolan and what she meant personally to each of us. The service on Thursday evening and the Mass on Monday afternoon were extremely well attended and were fitting tributes from our community towards her. It was lovely to see so many faces, from colleagues who used to work here to parents and children who Mary taught. Can we convey our sincere thanks to all of the children, parents, staff, governors and friends who took part in Thursday's service and Monday's Mass –as usual you did the school and Ms Nolan proud.

Please continue to keep Mary, her family and everybody she meant so much to in your thoughts and prayers.

World Book Day:

Remember that this Thursday 2nd March is World Book Day and we encourage your children to come dressed as their favourite book character. There will also be a whole host of reading themed events which I'm sure your children will enjoy. This event coincides fittingly with the revamp to our school library. New furniture has been purchased and, thanks to the hard work of the staff, it is already looking more inviting for our children. MM

This week will see the start of Lent, a time in the liturgical calendar when we as Christians focus on **simple living, prayer, fasting and growing closer to God**. The children will attend the Ash Wednesday service at Church tomorrow morning and receive ashes on their foreheads as an outward symbol of Christianity. They will be encouraged to think about what they can either give up, or do more of, in order to deepen their relationship with God. Please do talk to your children at home about what they would like to do during Lent. HS



CELEBRATION NEWS

(Week ending 24 February 2017)

STAR OF THE WEEK: William Bradshaw, Joey Monahan, Annabel McDonald, Milo Bridge, Sophie Bradshaw, Charlie Hardman, Gabriel French, Kayson Naylor, Elizabeth Ellison, Daniel Speid

RAINBOW AWARD: Brooke Malonie, George Holden, Jacob Walker, Kate-Leigh Baxter, Ryan Armstrong

MRS QUIRKE LITERACY AWARD: Caiden Astbury for amazing newspaper report

MR GALLAGHER MATHS AWARD: Lily McLeish for persistence with time! Trying her hardest

DIARY DATES

Tues 28 Feb	Pancake Lunch
Wed 1 March	Ash Wednesday
Thurs 2 March	World Book Day
Thurs 2 March	Governors Resources 5.30 p.m.
Fri 3 March	Celebration Assembly at 3.00 PM
Tues 7 March	Gifted and Talent event at A.A (3-6pm)
Fri 10 March	Celebration Assembly at 9.00 A.M.
Tues 14 March	PTFA Film Night at 3.30 p.m.
Wed 15 March	Full Governors at 6.30 p.m.
Fri 17 March	Celebration Assembly at 3.00 p.m.
Sat 18 March	Sacramental Programme Unit 3 & 5 11am

FRIDAY FUND WINNER (24th February 2017)

ERIN LEYLAND

ATTENDANCE TED

There was no 100% attendance
(week ending 10th February 2017)

OVERALL ATTENDANCE WAS **95.1%**



Happy birthday to.....

(27 February — 5 March 2017)

LEXI MAE YARDLEY

ALISSA BRINDLE

WILLIAM KAY

PTFA NOTICE BOARD

Tuesday 14 March	Film Night 3.30 pm
Wed 12 April	Easter Bingo 2pm

PARENTS EVENING:

WEDNESDAY 22 MARCH 2017

2.00 P.M.—7.00 P.M.

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