

# St Mary Magdalen's Catholic Primary School

Thursday 14th September 2017

## Collective Worship

**Whole School Focus: Mutual Respect.** It is important to show the same respect and courtesy to everyone – not just those we admire. We are all equal and special.

## School Mass

Everyone is invited to Mass this afternoon at 2.15pm to help us celebrate the start of the new school year.

## School Meals

We will be on week 2 of the menu next week.



## Castlerigg

The Year 5 residential at Castlerigg, Keswick will be Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup>- Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September. You should have already received a kit list and parental consent/medical form. Please can this form be returned as soon as possible, thank you. Miss Brooker will be discussing the trip in more detail from 6.30 – 7.00 next Thursday at the meet the teacher evening. It will be finished before the All Hallows meeting begins.

## Residential - Borwick Hall

Reminder all deposits for Borwick Hall are due by tomorrow please.

## School Holiday Authorisation

Parents are reminded to not book holidays before asking. All information and forms can be found in the Parent Information section of the school website. Leave will only be authorised for truly exceptional circumstances.

## All Hallows Parents Meeting

On Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September at 7pm there will be a meeting for the parents of Year 5 and 6 pupils. Mr Riding and some of his staff will be leading an informative presentation to give you a taster of life at All Hallows. It won't feel like two minutes since you were completing application forms to secure a place at primary school and now you are at that important stage once again. We hope that as many of you can attend.

## Meet the Teacher Evening

All parents are invited on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September to meet your child's new class teacher. For classes 1-5 this can be anytime between 6 -7pm.

For parents of Year 6 and Year R, the meetings will be slightly more formal. Mr Gaughan and Mrs Atkinson will start their presentation at 6pm and will talk you through life in Year 6, there will be time to ask any questions before the All Hallows meeting begins.

Mrs Bradley will begin her presentation in Year R at 5.30. She will be talking about early writing, reading and the classroom routines. There will also be a special gift for all the new reception parents who attend. It would be lovely to see as many parents as possible.

## School Meals

Any changes to selections off the school menu need to be put in writing to the school office with at least one week's notice please.

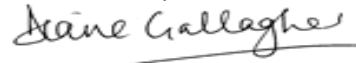
## **PTFA Meeting**

There will be a PTFA Meeting on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September at 6.30pm in school. If anyone is interested in joining the PTFA please feel free to come along. It would be lovely to see some of our new parents there.

## **School Absences**

Remember all pupil absences can be reported on Parentmail.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "D. Gallagher". The signature is written in a cursive style and is underlined with a single horizontal line.

Mrs D. Gallagher  
Headteacher

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Henli Pratt  
Jack Turner  
Harvey Elsdon  
Nicholas McLintic  
Mitchell Ratcliffe

## Other letters going home this week

All Hallows Catholic High School – Hard copy - Year 5 & 6 – 12.9.2017

### DIARY DATES

Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> Sept		Deposits due for Borwick Hall
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> Sept		Governors Meeting – Sharepoint Tutorial
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> Sept	6.30pm	PTFA Meeting
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> Sept	5.30 -6pm	Reception Class Meeting
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> Sept	6-7pm	Meet The Teacher
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> Sept	7pm	Year 5/6 All Hallows Meeting
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> Sept	5pm	Governors SEC Committee Meeting
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> -Frid 29 <sup>th</sup> Sept		Residential to Castlerigg
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> September	9-11am	MacMillan Coffee Morning
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> October	2.45pm	RE Celebration : Theme Family (Y1,3 & 5)
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> October		All Hallows Open Evening
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> October	5pm	Governor's Resources Committee Meeting
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> October	2.45pm	Year 5 Class Assembly
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> October	All Day	Year 6 Taster Day at All Hallows
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	7pm	Parent Workshop – Growth Mindsets
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> October	1-7pm	Open Afternoon
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> October		PTFA Pumpkin Party
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	3.15pm	Finish for half term
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> November		Return to school
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	5pm	Gov's – Pay & Appraisal Committee Meeting
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	2.45pm	RE Celebration: Theme Belonging (Y2,4 & 6)
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> November	1-7pm	Parents Evening
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	2.15pm	Whole School Mass
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> November	2.45pm	Year 4 Class Assembly
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	9am	Dress Rehearsal
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	6pm	Nativity
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	6pm	Nativity
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	6.30pm	Carol Service
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> December	6.30pm	Carol Service
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December	2.30pm	Carols around the tree
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December	3.15pm	School closes for Christmas
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> January		School re-opens
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	AM	School Nurse – Vision, height & weight YR&6
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	5pm	Gov's SEC Committee Meeting
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> January	2.45pm	Year 2 Class Assembly
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> January	All Day	Year 5 Taster Day – All Hallows
Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> January	2.45pm	Year 1 Class Assembly
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> February	5pm	Gov's – Resources Committee Meeting

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Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	2.45pm	RE Celebration : Theme Community (Y1,3 & 5)
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	3.15pm	School closes for half term
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February		School re-opens
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> February	4.30pm	Admissions Committee Meeting
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> February	5pm	Full Governing Body Meeting
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> February	2.45pm	Year R Class Assembly
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> February		Celebration of Friendship
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> March	2.45pm	Year 6 Class Assembly
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> March	9-11am	Mother's Day Gifts
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> March	2.45pm	RE Celebration Theme: Relating (Y2 & 4)
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	1-7pm	Parent's Evening
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	2.45pm	Year 5 Class Assembly
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	2.45pm	Year 4 Class Assembly
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	9am	Easter Bonnet Parade
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	3.15pm	School Closes for Easter
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> April		School re-opens
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	5pm	Resources Committee Meeting
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> April	2.45pm	RE Celebration – Theme: Giving (Y1,3 & 5)
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> May		Year 6 All Hallows Parent's Meeting
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> May	2.45pm	Year 3 Class Assembly
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> May	8am	Rise and Shine Jog
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> May	5pm	Gov's SEC Committee Meeting
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> – Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup> May		SAT's week
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> May	2.45pm	Year 1 Class Assembly
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> May- Wed 23 <sup>rd</sup> May		Bikeability
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	2.45pm	RE Celebration Theme: Serving (Y2 & 4)
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	3.15pm	Finish half term
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> June – Wed 6 <sup>th</sup> June		Residential trip to Borwick Hall
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> June		School re-opens
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am	Celebration Mass
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	2.45pm	Year 2 Class Assembly
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	2.45pm	Year R Class Assembly
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> June	All Day	School Games Day
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	2.45pm	RE Celebration Theme: Inter-Relating
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	All Day	Year 6 Taster Day – All Hallows
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	5pm	Full Governing Body Meeting
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	6.30pm	KS2 Production
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	6.30pm	KS2 Production
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	2.15pm	Leavers Mass- whole school
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	2pm	Whole School Final Assembly
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	9.15am	Leavers Assembly
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	3.15pm	School closes for summer