

St Stephen's Catholic Primary School


Newsletter






**Working together to succeed through faith
in Jesus Christ**


Friday 5th October 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,
Welcome to this week's update.

Foundation Stage Stars of the Week	
Foundation Stage Silver Stars 	Mason Alice

Key Stage 1 Stars of the Week		
	Year 1	Year 2
	Dominik Simon	Talulla Dominic

Key Stage 2 Stars of the Week			
Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Ryan Maja 	Gracie Vinnie	Lacey Damian 	Eminly Salar

ATTENDANCE		
School Attendance this Week	Attendance Awards	
Reception	97.6%	Oliver Y
Year 1	92.4%	Anthony
Year 2	99.4%	Lacey
Year 3	96.8%	Harry
Year 4	94.6%	Elis
Year 5	98.0%	Jazmyne
Year 6	87.7%	Salar
School Attendance Award 95.3%	Congratulations to Mrs Doyle's class for having the highest attendance.	

<u>Proud Work Display</u>
This week's children on our 'Proud Work' display are:- Reception Whole Class Year 1 - Anthony Year 2 - Amelia K Year 3 - Kiara Year 4 - Alfie Year 5 - John Year 6 - Michalina Leapfrog - Frankie-Joe

Rainbow Champions

Reception -

Year 1 - Alice, Anthony, Hannah and Simon

Year 2 - Oliver B, Berrie, Alissa, Cecylia, Tia, Maria and Talullah

Year 3 - Mark, Caiden, Kiara, Paige, Jemima, Bobby, Jake, Ellis, Filip, Billy, Maja, Natalia, Nikodem, Yarrah, Maci-Beau, Oliver, Ryan and Harry

Year 4 - Jakub

Year 5 - Euan, Lena, Joshua, Olivia, Lewis and Holly

Year 6 - Louie, Michalina, Leah and Nathan

Ronald McDonald House

Thank you to all children and parents, who took part in lots of activities in the summer term and helped us raise a huge £326 towards the Ronald McDonald House Charity. All the money collected has now been forwarded onto the charity.

Harvest Celebration

We enjoyed a lovely Harvest celebration this afternoon full of singing, reflection and prayer. We were joined by Ms Longstaff and Ms Finn from Cardinal Newman Catholic High School, too. Thank you all for the harvest donations that we received. All foods will be donated to the local foodbank to help those in the community. The money raised with the £1 donations will be sent off to CAFOD to help those overseas.

Important School Survey

You will receive a survey (orange paper) with today's newsletter. I am very keen to find out parents/carers' views on certain elements of school life and would like to hear your opinions. Please complete the survey by Friday 12th October and return it to your child's class teacher. All information will be gathered and included in our plans as we move forward.

First Holy Communion

The First Holy Communion Programme begins with session one on Tuesday 9th in St. Stephen's Church from 6pm - 7pm. All Y4 catholic children who are making their First Holy Communion must attend, with parents. In order for your child to make their First Holy Communion next spring you will need to enrol them onto the programme, if you have not already done so. The final enrolment meeting will be Monday 9th at 5pm in St. Stephen's Church.

Come and See

Next week in school, pupils will learn all about the Jewish faith as part of our Come and See programme. The children will learn about the different celebrations in Judaism in class so please ask them what they have learnt it is a very enlightening and interesting topics.

After School Clubs

The remainder of our after school clubs will begin as of the first week back after the half term break. The clubs will run from the week beginning 29th October and will finish in the week ending 14th December. Staff are in the process of sorting out the clubs so you will be informed by the end of this half term if your child has a place in any clubs that you request. Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

New Parent Governor

Our new parent governor is Mrs Trish Brizell.

Events week beginning 8th October

Monday - Final Enrolment for First Holy Communion Y4 - 5pm Church

Tuesday - Session One First Holy Communion Y4 6-7pm Church

Wednesday - Y4 Swimming - 1.00pm

Yours sincerely

Steven Hatton

Head Teacher