

St. Theresa's Newsletter

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AUTUMN TERM 2015 – Friday 23rd October

Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you to all the parents who came to the Parent Consultations this week. As you can see the children have been making a huge effort in their learning so far this year.

The staff are a wonderful team who put all their efforts into ensuring the children have the best opportunities to challenge themselves and to learn. Many of them give up their time at lunchtimes and after school to teach sports clubs and music. Thank you to the Friends for all their hard work this term. The Family Disco was a great event as always!

Thank you to all the parents for supporting St Theresa's so far this year. I wish you a happy and restful half term and look forward to seeing you all again on Tuesday 3rd November.

Have a great week!

Miss Kelly ☺

School Photographs

Thank you for sending your children into school today wearing their formal winter uniform for the annual individual photographs. They look very smart and are very proud of being part of the St. Theresa's family.

Poetry Competition Reminder!

The closing date for our poetry competition is Tuesday 3rd November. The theme for the poem is 'Light' and there will be prizes for the best poem in each class and an overall winner for KS1 and KS2. We hope to receive your child's entry after half term!

Flu Vaccination

Letters were sent home this week to the parents of children in Year 1 and Year 2. The nurse has asked me to inform you that she will be in school on Friday 6th November 1pm to 3pm to administer Flu vaccinations to children in Year 1 and Year 2 whose parents have returned the form making this request.

Reminders! Thank you to the parents who carried out yet another successful second hand uniform sale. The amazing £119.70 that was collected will be spent on items suggested by the school council. Thank you to all the parents who kindly donated the uniform. Without your donations we wouldn't be able to do it! **Attendance** at St Theresa's is very good. Our recent report from the LA said it was 96.2% which is above expectation. As you know Aneesa our EWO visits the school every month. This week she looked at all the registers to check if any child's attendance was below 96% so far this half term. Some parents will be receiving letters from Aneesa making them aware of their child's attendance percentage and asking for it to be improved so that it is at least in line with national expectation. She has also informed us that parents of children who are late 6 times in a space of 4 weeks will be issued with a FPN. Please try to ensure your child attends school and is on time so that they can reach their full potential.

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 3rd November children back to school
Wednesday 25th November – Infant Movie Night
Thursday 26th November – Junior Movie Night
Thursday 3rd December – Reception Nativity 9.30 am
Friday 4th December – Non Uniform, bring a bottle for tombola day
Wednesday 9th December – Yr1 & Yr2 Nativity 9.30 am
Friday 11th December – Yr 3 & Yr 4 Nativity 2:15 pm (Also it's bring a cake in for the Cake Stall Day)
Saturday 12th December – Christmas Fair
Monday 14th December – Yr 5 & Yr 6 Carol Concert in Church 7 pm (TBC)



Achievements



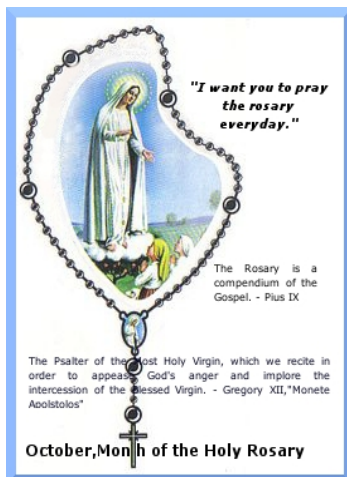
Y1	Gerardas - Showing outstanding understanding of number bonds. Maya C - For having a go in all her learning.
Y2	Ignacy - Challenging himself inside and outside the classroom. Filip P - Fantastic effort in all areas. Being an enthusiastic learner.
Y3 Blue	Ella - For a beautiful painting in the style of Georgia O'Keefe with water colours. Ronan - Great effort in all subjects especially in RE.
Y3 Red	Alanna - Displaying role model behaviour. Caeden - Using the 'don't give up' learning muscle and trying his best.
Y4	Maya - For being a superstar and always doing the right thing in the classroom and playground. Nathaniel - For producing good home learning on the Bible.
Y5	Mia - Challenging herself - making the right choices. Genevieve - Making the right choices and taking care with her work.
Y6	Dominik - Always making the right choice being a role model. Siobhan - Enthusiasm and challenging yourself.

Golden Children this week are.



😊 Roxy Yr4 Olivia and Yr3 Blue 😊

St Andrew's won the most House points this week!



Thank you to the parents who joined us in our Rosary

Fantasy Football



This week the Girls Football team played their first match of the school year against Holy Trinity. It was a fantastic game! Mrs O'Brien really got the boost she needed as our manager again this year. The score was 3-1. Well done to Molly P who scored all 3 goals and to Marta who set up one of the goals. Thank you to Mr Troy and Miss O'Brien and all the parents who came to support us at Wilf Slack. By Olimpia, Siobhan & Marta

Attendance

Years 3 Blue and 5 had the best attendance this week, with 100% attendance! Well done. 99% of children in the school came to school every day this week. Excellent!!!!

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