

St. Theresa's Newsletter

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AUTUMN TERM 2018 – Friday 5th October 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you to everyone who was able to join us on Tuesday to celebrate Mass to commemorate the start of the new academic school year. The children were extremely reverent and those children who helped with the mass did an exceptional job, either reading extremely well or being really helpful with the offertory. A massive thank you to Father John for joining us to say mass and to Sister Jenny and Miss O'Brien for organizing the mass for us all to enjoy. On Wednesday Year 6 led a extremely interesting and powerful assembly all about their R.E topic 'Justice and Freedom' based on Black History Month. The children taught us all about some really famous people who have worked hard on ensuring that everyone in the world is treated equally regardless of gender, race or religion. They told us about Martin Luther King, Nelson Mandela, Oscar Romero and lots of famous British people they have been finding out about in class. The class shared their information really well and sung 'Man in the Mirror' wonderfully. Well done to the whole year 6 team who helped put the performance together. Finally on behalf of the school I would like to congratulate all of our new Reception children on what has been a fantastic first full time week with us at St Theresa's. The children have settled in brilliantly and have already made some wonderful friendships which I am sure they will continue to develop all the way up to year 6. Have a well rested weekend and God Bless,
Mr Troy

News from

'The Friends Association'

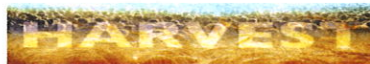
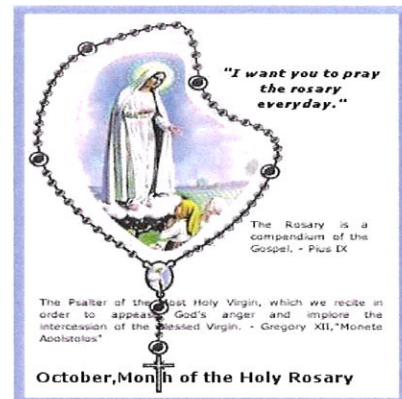
Dear Parents and Carers,
Thank you to everyone who donated uniform this week. We will notify you all shortly when the uniform sale will be held.

*****SAVE THE DATE*****

The fantastic St Theresa's Family Disco will be held on Friday 12th October from 6pm until 8pm. Everyone is welcome so please join us for this great social occasion.

Many thanks,

The Friends of St Theresa's



We will be celebrating our annual Harvest assembly on **Wednesday 17th October.**

Reception and KS1 Assembly at 9.15am and KS2 Assembly 9.45am

Please send your harvest donations in from Monday 8th October.

We ask for non-perishable, long life items only please.

All food will be donated to charities and soup kitchens around Barnet.

Items for donation could include:

Tinned Foods: Soup, baked beans, tinned vegetables, tinned fruit, rice pudding, tinned custard, spaghetti hoops, tinned tuna, salmon or mackerel, tinned pasta.

Dry Foods: Pasta, rice, cereals, lentils, Super Noodles, Pot Noodles, Cup-a-Soup.

Snack Foods: Biscuits, crackers, rice cakes, cereal bars.

Personal Items: Toothpaste, soap, shampoo, toothbrushes, socks, flannels.

All items should be sent into your child's classroom

Many thanks for your generosity.

Maths Problem of the Week

I am 29 years old. Alan is 10 years younger than me. Ryan is double Alans age. My Gran is ten years older than all our ages combined.

How many peoples ages can you work out?

Extension: How many years until my gran is 100?



Yr 1	Vinnie - For being a brilliant friend to all those around him. Lily - For amazing effort in her home learning.
Yr 2	Zoe - For always being a 'Have a Go Mo'. Elizabeth - For always being so cooperative in class.
Yr 3	Ramneek - For her excellent attitude to her learning and being a 'Have a Go Mo'. Lily-Rose- For fantiatic effort in her independent learning and kind nature.
Yr 4	Anjola - For some amzing maths learning this week. Daniel - For producing a fantiastic letter pretending to be a Roman.
Yr 5	Estefania - For her excellent presentation and and learning about adverbs. Michael S - For his wonderful attitude in his maths learning.
Yr 6 Blue	Camilo - For his excellent learning in Maths. Finley - For always being so enthusiastic in all subjects.
Yr 6 Red	Callum - For an excellent effort with his fantastic persuasive writing. Alan - For his brilliant effort in our assembly on 'Justice and Freedom'.

Well done to our new House captians for the new school year: Jack, Kammy, Juliette and Hugo! House points will start this week!



Evie Year 3 and Juliette Year 6B

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 11th October- New Reception Parents Evening 7pm

Wednesday 17th October- Harvest Festival Rec & KS1- 9.15am and KS2 - 9.45am

Tuesday 30th October – Consultation Evenings 4-6.30pm

Thursday 1st November - Consultation Evenings 4-6.30pm

Attendance and Punctuality this week



	Absence	Late
Reception	98%	2
Year 1	99%	4
Year 2	97%	0
Year 3	100%	0
Year 4	100%	0
Year 5	99%	1
Year 6 Blue	99%	3
Year 6 Red	96%	0
Total Attendance	99%	10

Well done to Years 1, 3, 4, 5 and 6Blue for your excellent attendance this week!

Well done to Years 2, 3, 4 and 6 Red for coming to school on time!

Our attendance target for this term is 97%

Punctuality



5 minutes late every day means missing 3 days of school every year.

The doors open at 8.40am and the children must be in class by 8.50am when the register is taken.

Pupils arriving after this time are recorded as 'late' and any pupil arriving after the register closes is marked 'absent'.

Persistent lateness may trigger investigation by the School's Education Social Worker.