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Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you to everyone for your very generous harvest donations and for joining us in celebrating a wonderful Mass this morning. Members of our School Council and GIFT team will be taking our gifts to the Lalley Centre this afternoon.

Breakfast Club

We are excited that our new Breakfast Club will be starting on Monday 30th October. We have now confirmed with parents all the regular spaces for breakfast club, but there are a few spaces available for occasional sessions. These must be booked by 3pm the day before by phoning or emailing the school office to confirm that there are spaces available. Occasional sessions will be £1.20 each and should be paid for in cash on arrival at school. Please do not send children without booking as there may not be space available, particularly on our busy days.



Parents evening

Individual meetings for parents with class teachers will take place on Thursday 2nd November. Please don't forget to return your slip to your child's class teacher to book a time for your meeting.



Ria, our school social worker and a representative from Chatterbox will be at parents evening for you to talk to if you wish. There will also be a sale of 'good as new' school uniform, a sale of books no longer needed for our school library and fundraising for a defibrillator for school.

Reminders

A reminder to all parents that the school car park is for staff only and should not be used before or during the school day for dropping off or collecting children. **This also applies to dropping children off at breakfast club** as this is the time of day when staff and deliveries are arriving at school – thank you for your co-operation.

May I also remind you, that in the interests of Health and Safety for everyone in the school community, dogs are not allowed on the school premises at any time.

School Dinners and Packed Lunches

It is really important that parents speak to the school office before changing children from school dinners to packed lunches or the other way round. Otherwise parents may be charged for dinners that children are not having or children are receiving dinners that are not being paid for. Any changes can only be made before the start of a new half term. If you would like your child to change after the half term break please contact the school office before 9am on Monday 30th October.



Christmas Fair

This year the Parish Christmas Fair is on Sunday 19th November after 9.30am Mass. As a school and as part of St John Bosco Parish, we always support the fair and rely on your generous donations to help to make the fair a success. After half term we will be holding two non-uniform days, when children are asked to bring in a donation for the fair and are able to wear their own clothes for school. The two dates are:

Friday 10th November

donations of toiletries and cosmetics

Friday 17th November

donations of chocolate for the school chocolate tombola

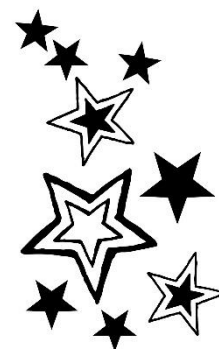
Awards

Congratulations to all the children who received awards in assembly last week – well done.



Ava Taylor
Mason Morrison
Thea Ryan
Archie Clarke
Huey Clarkin
Charlie Dixon
Jeffrey Oaikhienna
Brandon Kelly-Smith
Victoria Phiri
Vincent Robinson

Harrison McDonagh
Esther Godwin
Olivia Oleforo
Maria Olawumi
Olivia Ferguson
Sofia Osagie Ehigiamusoe
Grace Godwin
Tianna Lewis
Adriel Ndukwe
Ethan Abraham



Attendance

Attendance for the last two weeks:

Week ending 6th October 96.4%

Winning Class Year 3 99.3%

Well done to Year 3 and Year 2.

Week ending 13th October 93%

Winning class Year 2 97.2%

Dates for this term

Monday 30th October

Tuesday 31st October

Wednesday 1st November 9.45am

Thursday 2nd November 4pm-6.30pm

Tuesday 7th November 3.10pm

Sunday 19th November

(after 9.30am Mass)

Friday 8th December

Wednesday 20th December 9.30am

2pm

Friday 22nd December 9.30am

Friday 22nd December 2pm

first day back after half term

School Photographs

Mass for All Saints – St John Bosco Church

Parents meetings

Class Handwriting meetings for parents

Parish Christmas Fair

School closed for pupils, teacher training day

Early Years Christmas Performance

KS1 and KS2 Christmas Performance

End of Term Christmas Mass

School closes for Christmas break

Next newsletter Friday 3rd November 2017

Mrs C Quinn
Headteacher