



HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY BULLETIN

19 July 2019

Dear Parents

Commendation Assembly

We held our Commendation assemblies today. A variety of medals and certificates were presented for sporting achievements. A whole class reward was presented to J5 and Inf 4 for being the classes with the most commendations for attendance throughout the year.

Individual rewards and certificates were presented to Anesu in J8 who achieved the best overall attendance throughout her school career – 98.9 % in 7 years! Well done Anesu.

The “Mrs Dimeck Award for the Most Inspirational Pupil” was presented to Joe in J7. His name will be engraved on the plaque in the hall. Well done Joe – a most popular and deserved choice for the award.

Assembly for Mrs Varney

On Tuesday morning, we held a special assembly to celebrate the life of Mrs Varney. The children shared their memories with each other and with Mrs Varney’s husband, who came to visit us. We are hoping to develop a permanent memorial to Mrs Varney in the future.

Staff News

As the academic year draws to a close, we are saying goodbye to one of our much loved and respected Teaching Assistants. Mrs Wilson, who has worked in Holy Rosary for almost 20 years has decided to retire. Members of her family joined us in school yesterday at a special assembly - we really don't know how we all managed to keep it a secret! We will all miss Mrs Wilson and hope she will call in to visit us and maybe join us on our school trips! Although she is retiring she will be keeping herself busy looking after her new baby grandson. I am sure you will all join me in wishing Mrs Wilson a very long and happy retirement.

Congratulations go to Miss Stanton who is getting married in Ireland in August. When she returns to work in September she will be known by her married name Mrs Galvin. We all hope she has a most special wedding day and would like to wish her every happiness for the future.

Miss Dutton, who had a baby daughter Gabriella earlier in the year is returning to school in September. Mrs Pimblett has been covering Miss Dutton's maternity leave is leaving Holy Rosary and we would like to thank her for her hard work and wish her well for the future.

Mrs McDonald is also returning to school in September. Mrs Withers, who has been covering her absence is leaving Holy Rosary and we would like to thank her for her hard work and wish her well for the future.

Mrs Murphy, one of our lunchtime supervisors is leaving to take up a new position we wish her all the very best.

Table Tennis Aerobics

We had a wonderful day on Monday, when the juniors were treated to table tennis aerobics sessions. These were provided by a professional table tennis coach, and arranged by Father John.

Lunchtime and After School Clubs

Please note that there are no lunchtime or after school clubs next Monday and Tuesday.

Visit to McDonald's for the winning house

The children in St Andrews's House enjoyed their visit to McDonald's on Monday. Their behaviour was exemplary as always.

Year 6 trip to Crosby Lakeside Adventure Centre

The children in Y6 rounded off their time at Holy Rosary with a trip to Crosby Lakeside. They had a great time and represented our school well.

Year 3 trip to Ribchester

The children in Year 3 visited Ribchester this week. They had a fantastic time looking at the current archaeological dig, speaking to "real archaeologists" as well as visiting the museum and trying on Roman cavalry and Roman soldier uniforms. A thoroughly good time was had by all and the behaviour was exemplary.

Leavers' Mass

The leavers' mass took place in church last night. Thanks to everyone who came along to share in this prayerful and reverent end to the children's time in Holy Rosary School.

School Disco

The School Discos will take place on Monday 22 July 2019 during the school day for pupils in Reception to Year 5. All the children from Reception to Year 5 can wear their own clothes to come to school that day. We ask that the children bring £1.50 for the disco and refreshments.

Although the children in nursery do not take part in the disco, then may wear their own clothes if you wish.

The pupils in Year 6 have their disco at 6.00 pm in the school hall. The children in Year 6 can wear their own clothes for school that day but do not have to pay for their disco. The Friends of Holy Rosary provide the refreshments for the leaver's disco.

Dangerous Driving

One of our parents called in to school last Thursday to let us know that whilst her car was parked in Tonbridge Drive, another car drove past and damaged her wing mirror. The car did not stop so the parent did not have the opportunity to get the registration number. Once again, may I ask that you drive and park with due care and attention to other road users, our neighbours but more importantly for the safety of our children.

Community Gardens and Orchard in Aintree Village

We have been asked by a local councillor to let you know about an initiative to introduce Community Gardens and an Orchard in the park on Harrow Drive. Please see attached leaflet for further information.

Lost Property – reminder

The amount of lost property in school has continued to grow over the year! Please call into school to see if any of these items belong to your child. If they are not collected before the end of the school year then we will have no option but to dispose of them. Thank you.

Robinwood – reminder

Thanks to everyone who has fully paid for the Residential trip. As you know, the school are invoiced on a monthly basis for the instalments. These invoices have been paid from the school budget.

All payments need to be made before we finish for the summer. Please call into the office to arrange payment.

Tennis for Free at Harrow Drive Park – reminder

We have been asked to let you know about the Free Tennis lessons that take part on Sundays at Harrow Drive Park. A leaflet was sent out with last week's Bulletin.

Holy Rosary Parish Newsletter

Please see the highlighted link which takes you directly to the Holy Rosary Parish website where you can view the most recent Parish Newsletters [Holy Rosary Church](#).

MRS C MORRIS

Headteacher

DATES FOR THE DIARY

22 July – school disco and leaver's disco

23 July – Leaver's assembly

23 July – end of term – early finish at 2.15 pm

4 September – School re-opens at 8.55 am