



HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY BULLETIN

25 May 2018

Dear Parents

Attendance Matters

Here are the figures for week ending 18 May 2018:-

Inf 1	99.7%
Inf 2	94%
Inf 3	92.7%
Inf 4	94%
Inf 5	95.5%
Inf 6	99.3%
J1	92.3%
J2	97.9%
J3	99.3%
J4	97.9%
J5	96.3%
J6	98.3%
J7	100%
J8	98.2%
Total for whole school	96.81%

Well done everyone, we met our target last week – it's the first time we have met it since October 2017.
Huge congratulations to J7 for achieving 100% attendance.

'Smiggle' Friday

This week's winners were Ethan in Infant 3 and Tullulah in J1.

Football Team

The football team have had a very successful season this year. They are the Champions of Sefton, Merseyside Champions and the Northern Regional Runners-up in the Soccer 7's competitions.

They are currently top of the league of the LFC Foundation and last night became the Maghull and Aintree District League Champions and Super Cup Winners, completing the "double"!!! Well done boys you have done us all proud.

Summer Fayre

Message from the Friends of Holy Rosary:

"The Friends of Holy Rosary would like to thank all the parents who attended the event for all their support – what a great fayre it was. We were so happy that the sun was shining!

We would also like to thank the staff and children for their hard work during DT this week making their items to sell – how fab were they! The children's hard work and effort with their items made a profit of £380.45.

And a big thanks to Mrs D and our amazing year 2 dance group for their dance performance – what stars they are!

Well done to all our tombola winners, the winners of the Spot the Ball hampers were Norma Walsh and Mason in Infant 1.

The total amount raised was £1342.65 which is absolutely amazing – thank you so much.”

First Holy Communion Photographs

The Holy Communion photograph orders have all been sent off to Tempest for processing. They will be returned to school after the half-term break.

Head Lice

We have been made aware of an outbreak of head lice in the area. It is very important to note that you should only use head lice treatment if you see **living moving head lice**. It is advisable for parents to check their child's hair on a regular basis and we would advise that you seek advice from the chemist. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Minnie Vinnies – Shoe Appeal - reminder

After the success of last year's Shoe Appeal, we are once again asking for donations of old shoes. Please send any old shoes into school – these are passed on to the St Vincent de Paul Society who either sell or recycle the shoes. The money they receive for the shoes goes towards providing holidays for children in need in our local area. Thank you.

'Funky Feet' for SWACA

On Tuesday 22 May the children all came to school wearing shoes of their choice. We raised £330 which will be forwarded to SWACA. Thank you for your generosity.

Mad WABBIT day

This week was National Walk to School week when children were encouraged to walk to school rather than come by car. We had our Mad WABBIT day today during which children who walked to school received a badge.

Levy (School Building Fund) – reminder

Thanks to all the families who have sent in their payment for this year's levy. To date, 84 families still have not yet paid the levy which means we are £840 short of our contribution towards the Archdiocesan School Building Fund. Second reminders will be sent out when we return to school after the half term.

You may wish to be aware that our school roof will shortly need to be repaired/replaced. As a Voluntary Aided school we will have to ask the Archdiocese for financial help with this – so it is very important that we collect this money to help with the provision of a safe environment for our children. Thank you.

After School Club

Please note that there will be no Dance after school club on 6 June. Also, the Year 6 pupils no longer need to attend IDL Club on a Thursday, it is now only for pupils in Years 2 to 5.

Holiday List for 2019/20

The governors recently agreed the holiday list for 2019/20 – please see copy attached. We have also attached the holiday list for 2018/19 for your information.

Kingswood - reminder

Everyone who is attending the Kingswood residential has paid the initial £40 deposit. The next instalment of £80 was due at the end of March – we are still awaiting 4 of these instalments. The next instalment of £70 was due at the end of April – we are still awaiting 5 of these instalments. The last instalment is due at the end of May. Thank you to all of those who have paid.

Holy Rosary Parish Newsletter

Please see the attached link which takes you directly to the Holy Rosary Parish website where you can view the most recent Parish Newsletters <https://www.parishofholYROsary.co.uk/newsletters>. By accessing this link you will be able to find out what is happening in the parish, the Archdiocese and the wider community.

You may be interested to read this week's Parish Newsletter as it gives details of our new Parish Priest who is joining the parish of Holy Rosary in September 2018.

School Nurse Drop-In Sessions

The last School Nurse Drop-In Clinic for this academic year is on:-

Wednesday 20 June 2018

The clinic will be held in school between 8.45 and 9.30 am – so if you wish to see the nurse, please just report to the school office. During the clinics the nurse will be available for a confidential service regarding your child's health and development, including health promotion advice and signposting to others for information and support. The nurse is based at Maghull Health Centre – telephone 0151 222 3437.

Fit for Life Group

The Fit for Life group meet at Holy Rosary Church, for mass at 10.00 am, on the first Thursday of every month. After mass they go for a coffee and a chat in the Hope Centre on Aintree Lane. The group next meet on:-

Thursday 7 June 2018

All parents/grandparents/carers are welcome to join in.

We all hope you enjoy the half-term break.

MRS C MORRIS

Headteacher

Diary for w/c 4 June 2018

Monday	INSET day
Tuesday	Netball – Years 5 & 6 – 3.15 to 4.15 pm
Wednesday	No Dance Club this week
Thursday	IDL Club – Years 2 to 5 only – 3.15 to 4.00 pm Spanish club – Year 3 – 3.15 to 4.00 pm

DATES FOR THE DIARY

25 May – end of term – normal finishing time
28 May to 1 June – Half term
4 June – INSET day
5 June – return to school
12 June – J2 Class Assembly – 2.50 pm
12 June – Reception New Parents meeting
19 June – J1 Class Assembly – 2.50 pm
20 June – Nursery New Parents meeting
22 June – Sports Day for Years 1 to 6
w/c 25 June – Other Faiths week - Islam
29 June – Sports Day for Nursery and Reception