



HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY BULLETIN

13 January 2017

Dear Parents

Attendance Matters

Here are the winning classes' attendance figures for last week:-

Week ending	KS1	KS2
6 January 2017	Inf 6 – 98.9%	J5 – 97.8%

Science Week

Our Science Week takes place next week – the theme will focus on “Flight”. We are holding 2 Science Fairs, after school, as follows:-

Tuesday 17 January 2017 – for pupils and parents of children in Years 3 and 4

Thursday 19 January 2017 – for pupils and parents of children in Years 5 and 6

Please come along at the end of the school day to support the children – we are sure this will be a very exciting event!

Attendance – reminder

We are all very proud of our Ofsted outstanding rating. However, we are constantly failing to meet Ofsted's criteria for attendance and this could impact on us in the future. Regular attendance is very important. Please be aware that holidays in term time will not be authorised unless in exceptional circumstances.

Individual letters have been sent out this week as part of our monitoring of attendance and punctuality.

Parish Newsletter

Please find attached this week's Parish Newsletter.

Sacramental Programme for Year 4 pupils and their parents - reminder

Father McShane has asked us to let you know about the dates of the forthcoming Sacramental programme meetings:-

Session 4 – Tuesday 17 January 2017

Session 5 – Tuesday 21 February 2017

Session 6 – Tuesday 14 March 2017

Session 7 – Tuesday 25 April 2017

Fit for Life Group – Change of Venue for coffee and a chat

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. With effect from January 2017 the Hope Centre on Aintree Lane is opening on a Thursday morning for tea/coffee and snacks so the group will go there, after mass, rather than McDonald's. The group next meet on:-

Thursday 2 February 2017

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

School Nurse Drop-In Sessions

The dates for this year's School Nurse Drop-In Clinics are:-

Wednesday 25 January 2017 from 8.45 to 9.30 am
Wednesday 15 March 2017 from 8.45 to 9.30 am
Wednesday 17 May 2017 from 8.45 to 9.30 am
Tuesday 13 June 2017 from 8.45 to 9.30 am

The clinic will be held in school – 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.

MRS C MORRIS

Headteacher

Diary for w/c 16 January 2017

Monday	J1 swimming Computer Code Club – Years 5 and 6 – 3.15 to 4.00 pm
Tuesday	Young Voices Choir – 3.15 to 4.15 pm
Wednesday	Spanish after school club – Years 5 and 6 – 3.15 to 4.15 pm
Thursday	Spanish after school club – Years 3 and 4 – 3.15 to 4.15 pm IDL Club – 3.15 to 4.00 pm

DATES FOR THE DIARY

17 January – Sacramental programme – Session 4
31 January – J4 Class Assembly – 2.50 pm
1 February – J6 Class Mass – during the school day
w/c 6 February – DT week
10 February – School Disco
10 February – finish for half-term (normal time of 3.15 pm)
w/c 13 February – half term
20 February – return to school
21 February – Sacramental programme – Session 5
24 February – School Mass – 11.00 am in Holy Rosary Church
29 February – Ash Wednesday
7 March – J3 – Class Assembly – 2.50 pm
14 March – Sacramental Programme – Session 6
17 March – Review Day (further details to follow)