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School Newsletter Autumn Term 2017

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WELCOME BACK

I would like to wish all our families a warm welcome back to school. We hope you had a lovely Summer holiday. Thank you, for all the lovely gifts and cards received by staff at the end of the term. Your kind words and generosity are much appreciated.

Mrs Forrest

PUNCTUALITY, ATTENDANCE AND HOLIDAYS

Children will not make as much progress if they have days off on a regular basis. They also miss learning time if they arrive late or go on holiday – none of this missed time can be made up.

Please help us to help your child achieve their full potential by bringing them to school every day, on time.

Thank you

LOST PROPERTY

Our lost property box is already full with lost items of clothing, after just three days back at school!

Please label all your child's clothing, so that if an item is lost we can return it to them. Thank you.

MOBILE PHONES

If your child brings a mobile phone to school, it must be handed in to the school office each morning and collected at the end of the day.

Thank you.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Many Happy Returns to these boys who celebrated their birthdays during this week

Jack Hern

CATHOLIC LIFE

We welcome a new R.E. subject leader to our team. Mrs Valente brings a great deal of knowledge to the role and will be working with our Liturgy Team to further enhance our Catholic life in school.



SAFEGUARDING

If your child has any sort of injury please let their class teacher know how this has happened when you bring them to school. If we notice a child has any unexplained injuries e.g. bruising, it is the school policy to contact you to find out how this has occurred. Please don't be alarmed as this is standard practice to ensure that we are meeting our duty to safeguard your child.



SCHOOL MEALS - REMINDER

If you wish to change your child from packed lunches to school meals or vice versa, please inform the school office, **not** the class teacher. One weeks' notice is required. On Wednesday we had 28 meals which were wasted, because children had changed over to packed lunches and parents had not informed the office. School dinners are now £10.50 per week (£2.10 per day), which should be paid on a Monday morning. Thank you.

SCHOOL CORRESPONDENCE

Please check your child's school bag regularly for any letters from school. This will ensure that you are aware of any forthcoming events, deadlines for trips and after school club payments are met.

Thank you.



It has been lovely to see the Summer Holiday Home Diaries brought into school this week. What a lot of reading some

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Oliwier Drzewinski

Martin Gecaj

Brandon Michael

Elliot Murphy

Enjoy your special day boys!

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY!**



SEPTEMBER

Wednesday 13th

9:00am – Whole school mass led by Year 6

All Welcome.

Wednesday 20th

9:00am – Mass led by Year 5

Wednesday 27th

9:00am – Mass led by Year 4

Thursday 28th

4:30pm - Parents meeting for Holy Communion and

Confirmation – to be confirmed

OCTOBER

Tuesday 3rd

9:00am – Parents meeting for Reception children

Wednesday 4th

9:00am – Mass led by Year 3

Thursday 5th

Y6 Parents meeting

Wednesday 11th

9:00am – Mass led by Year 2

Wednesday 18th

9:00am – Mass led by Year 6

Friday 20th

3:05pm – pupils break up for half term

HALF TERM BREAK

Saturday 21st to Sunday 29th October

Monday 30th

8:30am – school re-opens

children have done! Thank you to parents for supporting the children in using them over the summer - the children will be even more ready for their new year group. We are determined to keep the children enthused about reading, so please do get in touch if there is anything we can do that we are not already.

Marvellous Monday starts next week! If you would like your child to have some extra library time on a Monday, please fill out the details on the Library Passes given out today. Send the Pass back into school on any Monday you wish your child to stay for an extra library session, and then pick your child up at 3.30pm that day. The same Library Pass can be used each Monday.

WRITE ON

So who has been busy writing over the holiday? We would love to see your stories, poems, reports, fact-files.... Bring them in so we can display them in the library!

NEXT WEEK – AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Monday – 3:05pm to 3:35pm

Marvellous Monday's

Tuesday - 3:05pm to 4:00pm

Homework Club

Reading Rocks

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Letters were sent home this week regarding the after school clubs for the Autumn term. If your child is interested in attending any after school club, please return the interest slip to the school office by

Monday 11th September. Unfortunately, any forms received after this date will not be considered.

Thank you.

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