

# St. Mary's Catholic Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2018

### TOMORROW:

Gymnastics Club

**Years 3 and 4 Mass (Church) at 9.30 a.m. Christmas Fayre 3.30 p.m. - 5.30 p.m. (pupils may also wear a Christmas jumper on this day)**

Basketball Club

### NEXT WEEK:

#### Monday

Gymnastics Club  
Violin Lessons  
KS1 Chelsea Football  
Coding Club

#### Tuesday

Guitar Lessons  
KS2 Chelsea Football

#### Wednesday

Gymnastics Club  
Netball Club

#### Thursday

Years 3 to 5 Multi-Sports Club

#### Friday

Gymnastics Club  
Basketball Club

Dear Parent/Carer,

Tomorrow is a big day, our Christmas Fayre is finally here! Lots of parents have been working really hard to make it a special day for all the children and the whole school community. We would like to thank them all for their hard work. Please come and join us tomorrow. Remember we have a special visitor coming from the North Pole.

#### Years 3 and 4 Mass

Tomorrow morning, Years 3 and 4 will walk to Church to celebrate Mass. If you are able to help walk the children to and from Church, please let your child's class teacher know. The Mass starts at 9.30 a.m. and we will be leaving school just after 9 a.m.

#### Christmas Fayre

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November** (3.30 p.m. - 5.30 p.m.) in our school hall. Children can wear Christmas Jumpers or Christmas colours to school tomorrow. There will be lots of fun and festive activities to enjoy including craft stalls, cafe, bar, sweet tombola, bottle tombola, decorating biscuits/cakes, game stalls, food/Christmas treats and of course our Santa's Grotto.

We hope to see you there!



## Every Day Counts - Attendance

We celebrate good attendance each week in assemblies and through our 'Attendance Notice Board'. Please ensure your child arrives on time, every day, between 8:40 and 8:50 a.m. If your child is late, they are missing out on valuable learning time. Parents of children who are repeatedly late, will be asked to meet with a member of our senior management team to see how we can help support them in getting their child to school on time. Thank you for your help in advance.



## UPCOMING EVENTS:

Date	Event
Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	Years 3 and 4 Mass (Church) at 9.30 a.m.
	Christmas Fayre from 3:30 - 5:30 p.m. (pupils may also wear a Christmas jumper to school on this day)
Mon 26 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Y6 and UEYs Height and Weight Check
	Prospective Parents Tour 1:30 p.m.
Fri 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Sports Hall Athletics
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec	Start of Test Week
Wed 5 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Nasal Flu Vaccination (UEY -Y5)
	Pavilion's Carol Service Y5 (5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.)
Fri 7 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Confessions (Y4, Y5, Y6)
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Start of Friendship Week
	Practice for Carol Service - Y6
Wed 12 <sup>th</sup> Dec	EYs Dress rehearsal (all Nursery children attending pm)
	Carol Service in the Church 4:30 p.m. Y6 leading
Thu 13 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Early Years Production 2:00 p.m. (all Nursery children attending pm)
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Confessions (Y4, Y5, Y6)
Tue 18 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Y1&Y2 Dress rehearsal
Wed 19 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Y1&Y2 Production 2:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.
	No Pens Wednesday
Thu 20 <sup>th</sup> Dec	LEY and UEY Disco (all Nursery children attending am)
	KS1 and Ks2 Disco
Fri 21 <sup>st</sup> Dec	All Nursery children attending am
	End of term Mass 9:30 a.m.
	End of term. School finishes at 1:30 p.m.
Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> Jan	INSET Day - School closed
Tue 8 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Pupils back to school

## HOUSE POINTS

House Point Winners (each class):

Year	Name	Number of House Points
1	Jawdan	38
2	Mateusz	13
3	Dawid	8
4	Nicky	20
5	Michelle	16
6	Florence & Hallie	5

This week's winning house is: **St Francis with 213 points!**

## Tissues

With the cold and hay fever season almost upon us we would be grateful for donations from parents of boxes of tissues. As you can imagine we get through loads of boxes and have depleted our budget allocation. Donations would be gratefully appreciated.

## Christmas Diary Dates

Please take a look at the list on the right for dates of this year's Christmas events. These include our Christmas Productions and Carol Services.

**School Fundraising Team (PTA) Newsletter**  
**22nd November 2018 - Our Christmas Fayre is tomorrow!**

**PTA Team**

Sarah Wells Y5	Chair 07855 998693
Jo Allen Y4	Secretary
Aileen Gallahue Y4	Treasurer/Social Media 07940 987660
Bea Posada Saez	Vice Treasurer
Margarita	Class Rep. Co-ordinator
Margarita	Event Promotion Co-ordinator
Tamara	Class Rep LEY am
Catherine	Class Rep LEY am
Tamara	Class Rep LEY PM
Anna	Class Rep LEY PM
Cecila	Class Rep UEY
Bruno	Class Rep UEY
Bea/Eamon	Class Rep UEY
Isabel	Class Rep Year 1
Ola	Class Rep Year 1
Tara	Class Rep Year 2
Clare	Class Rep Year 2
Katie	Class Rep Year 3
Catherine	Class Rep Year 3
Magda	Class Rep Year 4
Margarita	Class Rep Year 4
Roxanne	Class Rep Year 5
Sue	Class Rep Year 5
Jenny	Class Rep Year 6
Denise	Class Rep Year 6

**PTA Class Reps.**  
**What do they do?**

- Enhance our feeling of a community
- Inform parents about fund-raising events
- Ask for your help when needed
- Encourage other parents to organise events
- Attend meetings where possible
- Encourage others to attend
- Volunteer at events
- Preparation tasks in advance of events

Thank you to Tara and Clare coming forward to be the new Class Reps for Year 2. We really appreciate the support you are willing to give.

*Welcome to our*



*Hopefully useful information  
 about our Fayre:*

- ✓ Free entry to the Fayre, no admission charge.
- ✓ Our Fayre will open at 3.30pm with a group of children singing outside the main hall.
- ✓ Everyone will enter the Fayre through the hall from the playground.
- ✓ All the stalls will in the hall and the Y5 classroom.
- ✓ Bottle tombola will be in Y5 **not** the hall.
- ✓ Santa's Grotto is situated in the Infant's Playground it opens at 3.45pm.
- ✓ You **MUST** bring your coloured ticket if you are visiting the grotto during the Fayre and exchange it for a wristband of the same colour.
- ✓ All children in the grotto queue must be wearing a wristband.
- ✓ Please bring plenty of change.
- ✓ Remember to bring carrier bags to put your goodies in!
- ✓ **Be patient, we are all volunteers working hard to give all the children and parents a lovely afternoon, the hall will be very hot and busy but fun!**

# Our School Christmas Fayre is TOMORROW!

## 3.30pm – 5.30pm

Lots of games to play

Toys to buy and win

Tombola Galore – bottle, toy and sweets

Craft Corner

Tea, cake and chat



Visit Santa in the Grotto



Enjoy warm mulled wine  
on a cold afternoon



Hot food for the children  
after school, hot dogs and more



Incredible brand new toy raffle!  
Tickets sold only at the Fayre £1 each  
(this is a separate, new raffle)  
One of the prizes is a Star Wars  
Millennium Falcon RTP £124.00!

