



# St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School NEWSLETTER

3rd November 2017

## Stars of the Week

is an opportunity to celebrate our  
Learning Stars.

Congratulations to:

Isla Hoskin	Felix Endacott
Heidi Long	Jude Mann
Scarlett Evans	Cassey Zmuda
Paige Duval	Jakub Kubien
Mason Clausen	Codey-Ann Bentley
Chloe Leeper	Zander Bailey Gibbs

We love to celebrate our pupils' achievements out of school during Prayer and Praise.

Congratulations to **Logan Steer** for gaining his **yellow belt** in Martial Arts .

Congratulations to **Stephen Harris** for winning football player of the week.

Please bring your certificates and awards to the office.

### Attendance

Congratulations to the classes with the highest weekly attendance:

13th-19th Oct	ASH	96.1%
20th Oct - 2nd Nov	ASH	96.8%

**EVERY  
SCHOOL DAY  
COUNTS**

Ofsted

The Ofsted report is now available for you to read on the school website. If you would like a paper copy please ask at the office.

### Dates

10th November	Remembrance Liturgy
17th November	Children in Need
20th November	Non-pupil day
20th-24th November	Road Safety Week
1st December	Maple class Advent Liturgy
8th December	R/Yr1 Nativity
15th December	End of Term

### Active Travel Wednesdays!

Every Wednesday this half term will be an active travel day - a day to bike, scoot or walk to school if you don't normally.

It is a fun way to get fit, healthy and to wake yourself up for a great day of learning. Plus, there will be prizes! For bikes and scooters, there will be the chance to win the golden ticket for a prize. For anyone who walks, you will be entered into a raffle for a weekly prize.



So, come on and get ACTIVE!



SAMARITAN'S PURSE®



Bless a  
Child With a  
Shoebbox Gift

A reminder that we will be collecting your shoeboxes and gifts until Friday 10th November.

Live, learn and love in a caring Catholic community.

### School Clubs

Below are the clubs that are running this term, the finishing time and the adult responsible for the club.

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Maths Games (4.30pm)</b> Mrs Sharman
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>KS1 Multi Skills (4.15pm)</b> Mr Gillard
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Mindfulness Y1+ (4.30pm)</b> Miss Lintern
	<b>Homework Y5,6 (4.30 pm)</b> Miss Dunne/ Mrs Wilson
	<b>KS2 Netball (4.30pm)</b> Mr Gillard
<b>Friday</b>	<b>KS1 Football (4.15pm)</b> Mr Gillard

### Correspondence for parents and carers

We will be starting to send more information out via eSchools, so in order for you to receive this could you please make sure we have an up to date email address for the main contact. If you do not have your eSchools login please speak to Mrs Hobart in the office, thank you.

Do you have any spare buttons, beads, fabric etc. that you would like to donate to our Breakfast and After School clubs? We would also be grateful of anything that could be used to make models. We are unable to accept egg boxes.

The next newsletter will go home on:

**Friday 17th November.**

All newsletters are available to view on the school website.

Thank you to everyone who attended All Saints Mass on Wednesday 1st November. The feedback we have received was excellent and the children's singing was beautiful. Parents & parish friends are always welcome to join us every Friday at 9.15am for our short act of worship and celebration.



### Phonics Workshop (Reception/Year 1)

Thank you to all who attended the phonics workshop before half term. If you were unable to attend but would like the materials, please see Mrs Stephens or look on the school website.

### The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

Poppies will be available in school for a donation to the appeal from Monday 6th November.

### Children in Need Friday 17th November

The theme for this years Children in Need is the **Big Spotacular**, so we will be asking children to donate £1 and come in to school wearing their **spots**!

The School Council will also be holding a **Spotty Bake Sale** on the day, so start digging out those recipes.



**BBC**

**Children in Need**

**Come Gracious Spirit, Heavenly Dove,  
With light and comfort from above.**

**Be Thou our Guardian, Thou our Guide,  
Stay close by every child's side.**

**Amen**

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Kelly Dunne: Headteacher

**St. Joseph's School is committed to safeguarding children.**

Designated Child Protection Officer: Kelly Dunne Deputy Child Protection Officer: Claire Hawkings

Named Governor for Child Protection: Tim Van Kroonenburg