

St. Mary's Primary and Pre-school Newsletter (3)

30th September 2024



SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

We come together as Saint Mary's family, to learn, share our faith and do our best, to follow in the footsteps of Jesus.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Tomorrow morning, 1st October, we will be having our school photos. These are the individual and sibling photos. If you have a pre-school child who isn't in tomorrow, but you would like to be in a photo with their older sibling/s, please bring them into school for 8.45am and we will get them photographed first thing.

WINMARLEIGH

Thankyou to the parents who attended the Winmarleigh meeting last week. There was a kit list that was given out. If you haven't received this, please do ask for one. The children will need a sleeping bag, pillow and a packed lunch next Monday. Please make sure they have water-proofs as the weather doesn't look brilliant at the moment. They may also take £10 for the tuck shop. Miss Grice can look after it if you can put it into an envelope with your child's name on it.

SWIMMING

Autumn 1 - Year 1
Autumn 2 - Year 2
Spring 1 - Year 3
Spring 2 - Year 4
Summer 1 - Reception
Summer 2 - Years 5/6

HARVEST GIFTS

We are kindly asking for some food items which we can make up into some food baskets for our friends in our community. We do this in recognition of the harvest and to teach the children about helping others out by sharing what we have. If you are able to send in a tin of soup, or a packet of biscuits or some rice (any dry goods are super) that would be amazing. If there is any fresh produce in the garden, I know our lovely community gardeners will be happy to share, We will then take some of the older children into Chipping to deliver the boxes. We hope to do this the week beginning 14th October so many thanks in advance for your support.

ATTENDANCE

Please can you let the school office know ASAP if your child is poorly and is not going to be in school. Also, can we urge you to get your children to school for 8.45am, ready for registration as arriving late does cause disruption. Attendance in school is a hot topic at the moment as you will have seen on the news over the past few weeks so please do try not to take them out for holidays in school time.

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Whats Happening?

Dates for your diary.....

Mass in Church - 3rd Oct

Class assemblies in the hall on Fridays at 2.45pm

4th Oct Yrs 1/2/3,

11th Oct Yrs 4/5/6

18th Oct, Reception

Winmarleigh Trip, Mon 7th Oct - Wed 9th Oct for yrs 4/5/6

Book fair in School - Wednesday 9th until Tuesday 15th September (3.15pm - 4pm)

Crucial Crew Child Safety Event at Stonyhurst yrs 4/5/6 - October 11th

Miss Ferrarin (piano teacher) to talk to parents and children about potential piano lessons in school with a demonstration at our Friday assembly, 11th Oct at 2.45pm.

Parents afternoon/evening - 14th October 1.30pm - 5pm

Yrs 4/5/6 to watch 'The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe at Kirkham Grammar School, 17th Oct at 1pm (more details to follow)

Football penalty shoot-out at PNE - Sat, 19th Oct (more details to follow)

Break up for half term - Friday, 18th October

Open Day - Thursday 31st October 9.30am-11.30am

