St. Mary's Catholic Primary School Newsletter



"a place of educational excellence with Christ at its centre"

Advent Term 1 - 7/9/17

Headteacher: Mrs K. Yuen B.Ed. (Hons) M.A. NPQH

Message from the Headteacher

Important Dates to note...

Dear Parents.

Welcome back everyone. I do hope you had a wonderful summer. The school is buzzing once more and it's been a real joy seeing all the children again and watching them settle in so quickly. We have lots of exciting opportunities planned for this term and the year. Please note our information evening next Tuesday which is an opportunity to meet the teacher early on and find out about the curriculum expectations and routines. This is being held earlier than previous years as requested in feedback.

Have an enjoyable weekend *Mrs K. Yuen*

12th September - Parents welcome evening

4.45pm - Headteacher Welcome (Willow/Cedar)

5pm- Parents information session in Willow and Cedar classes.

5.15pm Headteacher Welcome for Juniper /Vine

5.30pm Parents information session in Juniper and Vine classes. **6pm** – Year 5/6 Mount Cook Residential information meeting for

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15th **September** – School Mass in church (Parents are most welcome to join us)

21st September – "Saxons Day" Vine Class

2nd-6th October – Mount Cook Residential Y5/6

10th October - Prospective Parents' Open Morning-Reception intake 2018 at 10am

13th October – Diocesan Schools' Mass in Dunstable - Y 5/6



Thank You Jim for dedicated Service over the last 10 years.

We had an overwhelming response from the school community. Gifts and presentations were made at the Summer Production of "Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits" where he was our honoured guest.



Village One way system and parking

In order to avoid congestion at drop off times, we operate an informal one way system. It works really well and helps ease traffic flow. Please drive up Main Street and exit via Blacksmith Lane. Please can I also remind you to park carefully being mindful of driveways and access to school .Thank you for your support.

Parents welcome evening

The teachers look forward to meeting you on this evening. They will give you an overview of expectations and be able to answer questions.

Value Focus for September

Healthy Living and Nut Free!

We encourage children who are bringing a packed lunch to consider healthy options. Please try to consider more healthy alternatives than chocolates and crisps.

Remember we are a **NUT FREE SCHOOL** please check all foods as we support a child in our school with severe allergy.

Thank you



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