



Guardian Angels School

Newsletter No. 6

13th October 2017

This half term's virtues are:

Eloquent	and	Truthful
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We hope to develop an eloquent language which pupils can use to understand and articulate their emotions, beliefs and questions, encouraged by the example of their teachers to be truthful in the way they represent themselves and speak about the world.

Dates for your diary – October		
Sunday 15 th October	9.45AM	Commitment Mass
Monday 16 th October	ALL DAY	Staff Training- SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
Tuesday 17 th October	3.15PM	Year 2 SATs meeting
Tuesday 17 th October	2.00PM	2H Soup Kitchen
Thursday 19 th October	9.30AM	Harvest Assembly- Year 1
Thursday 19 th October	1.00PM	Parishioner's Afternoon Tea
Friday 20 th October	2.00PM	Y5 Soup Kitchen
Friday 20 th October	NORMAL HOME-TIME	School breaks up for the half term break
Monday 30 th October	NORMAL START-TIME	Children return to school
Friday 8 th December	3.15 PM	Christmas Fayre

Parking

Please be considerate when parking at the front and back entrance of the school with a particular consideration for our neighbours. Please do not park over drop curbs or block any driveway. The community police are working closely with school staff to keep a watchful eye upon the roads surrounding the school. We thank you for your continued support with parking at Guardian Angels as ultimately, it will improve the safety of the children.

Harvest Donations

Thank you to all who have donated tins, packets and items for our Harvest collection so far. Please keep these coming in to support the elderly of our parish and local food banks.

Macmillan Coffee Afternoon

UPDATE: The Macmillan coffee afternoon has raised an astounding £300.00. On behalf of the 'Friends' of Guardian Angels, a huge thank you to all who attended and donated cakes or funds to this extremely worthy cause.

CAFOD Soup Kitchens

A huge thank you to all of the parents, grandparents and friends who have come to share soup with our children and make donations this week. All proceeds will be donated to CAFOD. We look forward to the rest of our children hosting their soup kitchens over the coming days.

Parent's Evening

A fantastic turn out for parent's evening yesterday. Thank you to all parents who completed the questionnaire- we will update you on the outcomes as soon as possible.

Code of Conduct for Parents

In every area of the school we have a 'Code of Conduct'- this includes Governors, staff and children. We are currently working with our governors to develop a 'Parents Code of Conduct', which you will receive shortly. The key aim is developing mutual respect.

Holy Communion Meeting

It was a delight to meet parents and grandparents at the Year 3 First Holy Communion Meeting on Wednesday. Thank you to Father Bonaccorsi and especially, Miss Carroll, who organises these events so beautifully. We look forward to seeing as many pupils and parents as possible at the commitment Mass on Sunday 15th October at 9.45am.

'Friends' Association

Thank you to our newly formed 'Friends' Association for supporting school at the parent evening and the key stage 1 Harvest Disco.

Christmas Non-Uniform Days

The following are important days to remember. They are the forthcoming non-uniform days that will support our Christmas fayre.

- Wear your pyjamas or 'onesie' to school day – £1.00- all proceeds go to the 'Friends' of Guardian Angels Association 3/11/17 (Friday)
- Non uniform day (children's Tombola) 9/11/17 (Thursday)
- Non uniform day (adults' Tombola) 17/11/17 (Friday)
- Non uniform day (chocolate) 24/11/17 (Friday)
- Non uniform day (bottles) 1/12/17 (Friday)
- Non uniform day (cakes) 8/12/17 (Friday)

Safeguarding Tip of the Week

Talking PANTS teaches children important messages, like their body belongs to them and they should tell an adult if they're upset or worried. For more information visit: <https://www.nspcc.org.uk>

E – Safety Tip of the Week

Did you know that there is a YouTube Kids app available for iPads and other tablets? Simply search for this in your app store to ensure that your children access appropriate material.

Birthdays

This week, we have wished a 'happy birthday' to Tia Y1, Shalom Y6, Taraji 2J, and Joshua Y4. We wish them many happy returns of the day.

Attendance

Last week, the attendance for each class was: R- 94.8%, Y1- 100%, 2H- 98.7%, 2J- 92.8%, Y3- 99.3%, Y4- 92.3%, Y5- 96.6%, Y6- 99.3%

Star of the Week

The star pupils who will be congratulated in assembly on Tuesday at 9.15 are: R - Riley and Carl, Y1 – Lily and Jono , Y2J – Evie and Ibukunoluwa, Y2H – Sophie and Jack, Y3 – Jake and Sienna, Y4 – Toby and Madison, Y5 – Alex E and Ava, Y6 – Joseph and Amiee.

Have a lovely weekend

Yours sincerely

Mrs M Johnson

Mrs H Milligan

Mr A Spindlow

God who calls us, strengthen and help us as we try to say yes to your invitation to be with you, by living lives of sharing, kindness, respect and love. Amen.

