



Guardian Angels School

Newsletter No. 10

17th November 2017

This half term's virtues are:

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Dates for your diary		
Tuesday 21 st November	9.30AM	Mass – led by year 3
Wednesday 22 nd November	All day	Year 4 ONLY - Familiarisation trip to Stratford-Upon-Avon
Thursday 23 rd November	PM	Year 6 football match against St Anne's
Friday 24 th November	All day	Non-uniform day – chocolate donations
Friday 24 th November	1.00PM	Year 3 swimming
Thursday 30 th November	All day	Year 4, 5 and 6 – Immersive trip to Stratford-Upon-Avon
Friday 8 th December	3.15 PM	Christmas Fayre
Saturday 9 th December	10.00AM	Y3 First Confession

Assembly on Monday 13th November: Star Pupils

Well done to all our Star Pupils this week and thank you to all the parents and grandparents who attended the assembly. Texts will be sent out to parents of Star Pupils at the beginning of the week to invite them to attend the following week's Star Pupil Assembly. Star Pupils will also be named at the bottom of all newsletters as a double reminder.

Remembrance Sunday

This week, in assembly, Remembrance Sunday was discussed and the great price paid for all of us to live in a democratic society. We prayed for the deceased and injured of all wars.

In connection with Remembrance Sunday - Maddison and Evie (2J) gave excellent answers at our assembly.

Open Day 2017

Thank you to the **prospective** parents who attended our very successful open day on Thursday. The feedback was positive. We look forward to welcoming new children and parents in September 2018.

School choir - to sing at Briars Croft Nursing Home and Woodside House

Our school choir, under the direction of Mrs Martin and Miss Carroll, will be helping to spread some seasonal cheer at both establishments. Many thanks to them both for supporting our local community.

Yemen- Major Crisis

Yemen is facing a major humanitarian crisis. A devastating conflict has left children and families in urgent need of food, water, medical supplies and safe places for children to learn and play. For more information, please visit: <https://www.unicef.org.uk/donate/yemen/>

Year 4's Mass

Well done to Year 4 pupils, Mrs Styler and Miss Hulme on a beautiful Mass on Tuesday. The children read clearly and confidently, showing respect and reverence.

Special Mentions

Darcy (REC) - for trying so hard to work towards her targets. Keep up the effort!

Riley-Rose (2J) - for beautiful handwriting. Well done!

Alexa (Y3) - for displaying a mature attitude – well done, we are so proud of you!

School Uniform

Many thanks to all pupils and parents for supporting our uniform policy. Our pupils look smart and are ready to learn.

The uniform policy is available on the school website. Please pay particular attention to information regarding ties, extreme haircuts and long hair being tied back.

Early Notice Reminder- Holy Communion

Due to health and safety, we must stress that only one row of seating is available for each family at Year 3's First Holy Communion on **Saturday 19th May 2018** (Previously Saturday 12th May 2018) at **10.00am**. This will accommodate 8-10 family members for each child. On health and safety grounds, only those that Miss Carroll has named on an attendee list will be accommodated safely. This will also help us to respect the solemnity of the sacrament and benefit your child's journey with Christ.

We actively encourage extended family and friends to celebrate with you at family gatherings and parties following the service; please discourage them from attending the service as we will only have availability for named guests. Further information will be provided by Miss Carroll at the next Holy Communion meeting.

Please note: The date for Holy Communion has changed from Saturday 12th May 2018 to Saturday 19th May 2018.

Christmas 'Cake and a Cuppa' Sessions

Date	Class	Time
Friday 1 st December	Year 1	2.30pm-3.00pm
Monday 4 th December	Year 3	2.30pm-3.00pm
Tuesday 5 th December	Year 2H	2.30pm-3.00pm
Thursday 7 th December	Reception	9.30am-10.00am
Monday 11 th December	Year 4	2.30pm-3.00pm
Tuesday 12 th December	Year 2J	2.30pm-3.00pm
Wednesday 13 th December	Year 6	2.30pm-3.00pm
Friday 15 th December	Year 5	2.30pm-3.00pm

Christmas Non-Uniform Days

Thank you for your kind donations to our Christmas Fayre yesterday and to the 'Friends' association who are organising the event so carefully this year.

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

- Non uniform day (chocolate) 24/11/17 (Friday)
- Non uniform day (bottles) 1/12/17 (Friday)
- Non uniform day (cakes) 8/12/17 (Friday)

E – Safety Tip of the Week

Use the privacy and security settings on social media sites, so that only friends and family can see your pages. Then speak to friends and family and encourage them to tighten their privacy settings too, as they could affect you.

Safeguarding Tip of the Week

Talk to your child about the dangers of speaking to strangers online. Let them know what they can do to protect themselves online.

Important Safeguarding Note

If your child arrives after **9.00am**, please ensure that a responsible adult comes with them to the school office to sign them in.

Birthdays



This week, we have wished a 'Happy Birthday' to Anaya and Isabella R, Olivia 2H. We wish them many happy returns of the day.



Attendance

Last week, the attendance for each class was: R- 95.2%, Y1- 96.7%, 2H- 99.7%, 2J- 94.1%, Y3- 98.7%, Y4- 98.3%, Y5- 99.4%, Y6- 98%

Star of the Week

The star pupils who will be congratulated in assembly on Monday 20th November at 9.15am are:

R - Benjamin and William, Y1 – Elana and Freya, Y2J – Ophelie and Caiden, Y2H – Margarida and Francesca, Y3 – Alexa and Miah, Y4 – Lewis and Bethany, Y5 – Spencer and James O, Y6 – Joshua and Mia C.

Parents of these pupils are invited to attend this assembly.

Have a lovely weekend

Yours sincerely

Mrs M Johnson

Mrs H Milligan

Mr A Spindlow

Miss E Keating

God of all, help us to share what we have, to treat others as we would wish to be treated and to try to make the world a fairer place, so that we may be found ready when your kingdom comes.

Amen.

