



Guardian Angels School

Newsletter No. 20

9th February 2018

This half term's virtues are:

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Dates for your diary		
Wednesday 14 th February	9.30am	Mass – Ash Wednesday – Led by Year 5
Friday 16 th February		School closes for half term at 3.15pm
Monday 26 th February		School re-opens at 9.00am
Tuesday 27 th February	9.30am	Mass – Led by year 4
Thursday 1 st March 2018	9.10am-3.15pm	National Space Museum for Year 2
Friday 2 nd March		World Book Day- non uniform-book character-donation of £1
Thursday 8 th March	3.30-6.30pm	Parents Evening
Friday 9 th March	9.30am	Year 4 assembly – Y4 parents invited
Friday 16 th March		St Patricks Day – non uniform-wear green - donation of £1
Friday 23 rd March	9.30am	Year 5 assembly – Y5 parents invited
Wednesday 28 th March	9.30am	Y3- Station of the cross assembly – Y3 parents invited
Friday 13 th July	2.00pm	Summer Fayre/Fun Day

Advance Notice: Please put this date in your diary! : Summer Fayre and Fun Day:

Friday 13th July. School will finish at 1.30pm prompt. Pupils will be collected at that time. Summer Fayre & Fun Day will take place in the school playground at 2pm. This should be a great day for all of the family!

School Attendance

Please do not arrange dentist or medical appointments during school time wherever possible as this can affect your child's attendance.

Keeping Safe & Child Mental Health Week

An important week, whereby staff and pupils explored the management of feelings as well as coping strategies to support good mental health. Safeguarding issues including online safety were also addressed.

Garden of Dreams and Goals

Your children have been doing some excellent work through the Jigsaw programme – thinking and writing about their dreams and goals. Staff will be creating a 'Garden of Dreams and Goals' in the hall next Thursday – parents and family members are welcome to visit next Thursday after school to view this spectacular display.

Early Reminder: First Holy Communion: Saturday, 19th May

Due to Health & Safety considerations, we must stress that only one row of seating will be available for each family. Only those on Miss Carroll's attendee list will be accommodated safely. We actively encourage extended family and friends to celebrate with you at family gatherings and parties, following the service.

Playground Safety Reminder

A gentle reminder that the use of bikes, scooters or skateboards on the school playground is not permitted. This includes the MUGA too. This is to ensure the safety of everyone. Thank you. Please also ensure that all children and siblings do not play with any equipment on the playground after school hours. Health and safety considerations are important with this matter.

World Book Day: Guardian Angels Version: Friday 2nd March

World Book Day will be on Friday 2nd March for us- this is because Year 2 are on a school visit to the Space Museum. As we do not wish for any class to miss out, (actual World Book Day is on 1st March), we have decided to delay Guardian Angels' World Book Day until Friday 2nd March, when the whole school can celebrate together.

Special Mentions:

Well done to Kristina & Marley (Y6) for showing great effort during Maths lessons. You are always enthusiastic!

Heidi & E'Shae (Y3) who deserve a special mention-putting 100% effort into their maths work. Well done!

Super effort by Coen (2H) for writing his own adventurous story by re-creating 'Little Red Riding Hood'. The title of Coen's story is now called 'Little Blue Riding Hood'. Keep up the good work!

Birthdays

This week, we have wished a 'happy birthday' to Scarlett – 2H, Jemma and Lexi – Y5. We wish them many happy returns.

Reception Class 2018

If you have applied for a Reception place for September 2018, please remember that you need to complete a supplementary information form in addition to the online application through Birmingham City Council. This is available from the school office.

ATTENDANCE FOR LAST WEEK

WELL DONE 2J

Rec – 99.4% Year 1 – 98.7%

2H – 96.7% 2J – 100%

Year 3 – 99.3% Year 4 – 98%

Year 5 – 98.1% Year 6 – 97.3%

Overall total – 98.4%

Star of the Week

We look forward to congratulating:

Aiden and Saoirse - Rec

Layla and Phillip - Y1

Millie and Louis - 2J

Joshua and Rose - 2H

Madison and Elijah - Y3

Lacey-Jay and Bethany - Y4

Jack and Tayla – Y5

Harrison and Grace M – Y6

Parents of these pupils are invited to attend the assembly on Monday 12th February 2018 at 9.10am

Safeguarding Tip of the Week

When playing outside, never approach or talk to a stranger, always play in an area close to home and if someone makes you feel uncomfortable tell an adult.

E-Safety Tip of the Week

Keep your privacy settings as high as possible.

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely

Mrs M Johnson

Mrs H Milligan

Mr A Spindlow

Miss E Keating

***We pray for the Church: that she may be a sign of God's light and goodness in our world, and a beacon of hope for the most vulnerable.
Lord, in your mercy...***

