

School Newsletter No 15 Lentern Term 1 5th January 2018

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School starts at 8:55am (Nursery 8.45am and 12.15pm), gates will be shut promptly. Please ensure children are in class in plenty of time. Please pick your child up promptly at the end of the day at 3.10pm (KS1) or 3:15pm (KS2)

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary and Nursery School has a commitment to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children.



Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary & Nursery School 'With Christ in our hearts, together we grow'

Dear Parents/Carers,

#### Welcome back

Welcome back to the new Spring term. We hope that you have all had a very restful and happy Christmas. The children have settled well into the new term, and we are all looking forward to the new year ahead.

Thank you for your continued support and we wish you all a very Happy New Year.

#### House Point Winners - EYFS, KS1 and KS2- Autumn Term

The House Point winners for EYFS and KS1 were Saint David and **Sirien Jabr** our House Captain and **Siddarth Chidipudi**, Vice Captain accepted the trophy this morning in assembly.



The House Point winners for KS2 were also Saint David.

### <u>Mufti Day</u>

Just a reminder that it is Funky Socks day next Friday 19th January. All children are to wear funky socks in exchange for a £1 donation. We will continue to raise funds for ICT equipment which will include a smart board for the classroom.

### Year 6 PGL residential trip

Just a gentle reminder that the next instalment of £50 is due on the 1st February, however payment can be made at any time.

### **Reporting Absence and Medical Appointments**

If your child is absent from school for any reason please send in a letter to explain why your child was absent. Alternatively please call the school office before 9am on the morning of the absence or email attendance@olopprimary.co.uk All medical appointments arranged, must be for the pupil and <u>not for a parent or</u> <u>sibling</u>. Please arrange appointments at the start or end of the day.

### <u>Flu Information</u>

Please see attached information on Flu.

### <u>Church Bulletin</u>

Please see the attachment for this week's Church Bulletin.

Kind Regards

Jan O'Kaffi

Mrs J O'Keeffe Headteacher

All the rivers run into the sea; yet the sea is not full

Ecclesiastes 1.7



## Attendance of the Week—4th-5th January 2018)

Year band	<u>Percentage</u>
Nursery	82.3%
Reception	94.0%
Year 1	94.7%
Year 2	91.0%
Year 3	90.1%
Year 4	92.0%
Year 5	93.5%
Year 6	97.3%

# <u>2 day week only</u>

# Well Done Year 6 !

## <u>Useful Dates for Your Diary-2018</u>

11/01/2018	Mass KS2 - Feast of the Epiphany at 10:45am 11:45am
12/01/2018	Mass KS1 - Feast of the Epiphany at 10:45am 11:45am
16/01/2018	Year 4 St. Paul to Mass at Our Lady of Peace Church 9:30am-10:30am
19/01/2018	Mufti Day with Funky Socks (in exchange for a £1 donation)
23/01/2018	Travelling Book Fair Week Location: KS2 Hall Travelling Book Fair until Friday 26th January
23/01/2018	Year 4 St. Blaise to Mass at Our Lady of Peace Church 9:30am-10:30am
26/01/2018	Year 1 St. Teresa's Q & A Session with Father Andy at 1pm Year 6 St. Cuthbert's Class Collective Worship at 2:30pm Year 1 St. Bernadette's Class Collective Worship at 2:30pm
30/01/2018	Year 4 St. Columba to Mass at Our Lady of Peace Church at 9:30am
12/02/2018 to 16/02/2018	February Half Term
19/02/2018	Children return to school