



St Jude's Newsletter

Week Ending 18th September 2015



PUNCTUALITY

Most Punctual Class this week: Y6 - who got no late marks all week!

As this week's most punctual class, Year 6 are welcome to wear their own clothes next Friday! Well done Year 6!!

ATTENDANCE FOR THIS WEEK

OVERALL SCHOOL ATTENDANCE - 94.1%

Y1	95%	**WINNING CLASS**
Y2	94%	
Y3	94%	
Y4	91%	
Y5	87%	
Y6	91%	

As this week's best attending class, Year 1 are welcome to wear their own clothes next Friday! Well done Year 1!!

ACHIEVERS

R	Jack Stanton
Y1	Bethany Tighe
Y2	Ella Charles
Y3	Lucy Houghton
Y4	Arora Hilton
Y5	Lily Price
Y6	Libby McNicholas



A 'huge' well done to all this week's Achievers!

BOOM BAGS

Several children have brought 'Boom Bags' into school. These are NOT to be brought to school or into the school grounds.

CHOIR ACHIEVER OF THE WEEK



Maddie Bryan



There is no choir on Thursday 24th September, because Mrs Manning is at Low Bank Ground with Y6

HEADLICE

Please remember to check your child's hair for headlice and eggs at least once a week.

GOLDEN BOX WINNER

The golden box winner for this week is:

CALLUM WOOD

Staff give a 'golden ticket' to children for being kind or helpful, having good manners or generally behaving well. All tickets are entered into a draw with the winner being drawn in assembly on Friday. The winner each week receives a £10 Smyths Toy Shop voucher.



Road Safety



Please cross Tyrer Ave and Worsley Mesnes Drive with the Lollipop. Families and children have been seen crossing where the road is not safe to cross.

MEDICINES

Parents should try to administer their child's medicine at home. However, if it is necessary for a child to have medicine during the school day then parents should speak to Mrs Jones, Pastoral Manager, at the start of the school day so that arrangements can be made.

MARKING POLICY

If you haven't already completed the Marking Policy questionnaire then please do so, and return it to school ASAP.

EARRINGS REMINDER

Please may I remind you that children are not allowed to wear earrings for school. If your child has had their ears pierced over the holidays, plasters must be worn until they are healed.

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BEFORE SCHOOL CLUB

Please be aware that Before School Club children **should not arrive before 7.45** for breakfast club. No children should be dropped off or left unattended before this time.

DATA COLLECTION SHEETS

We have sent home 'data collection sheets' and 'safeguarding information forms' (persons you allow to collect your child). Please ensure you check the data collection sheet and make any amendments and complete the information on the safeguarding form. Please return both forms **EVEN IF YOU HAVE NO AMENDMENTS**. Thank you.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

	CLUB	CLASS	COST
Mon	KS2 football	Y4, Y5 & Y6	£1 per session
Tues	Jolly Olly Basketball	Y1, Y2 & Y3	£1 per session
Wed	Netball	Y4, Y5 & Y6	£1 per session
Wed	Art Club	Y1, Y2 & Y3	Free (currently full)
Thurs	Multi-Sports	Y1, Y2 & Y3	£1 per session
Thurs	Choir	Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6	Free
Fri	Archery/Fencing	Y4, Y5 & Y6	£1 per session

**** All activities end at 4.15pm ****

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

The provisional date for our Christmas Fayre is Friday 4th December however, we need parent volunteers to undertake various tasks.

If you are able to spare some time either before the event or on the day then please let the office know. Also, if you or anyone you know would like to 'buy a stall' to sell their own items then please let the office know.

E-SAFETY

In an age where children seem to be spending more and more time online it is even more important that they know how to stay safe. E-Safety is taught in school to all children however, this needs to be supported and reinforced by parents. Please take a look at <http://www.kidsmart.org.uk/parents/> for information and guidance.

SOME DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

23rd – 25th September	Y6 to Low Bank Ground
30th September @ 9.30am	Homework drop in session for parents – school hall
20th October	School Photographs
21st October	Non uniform day (£1 donation)
23rd October	Last day of Autumn 1

SCHOOL WORKING PATTERN FOR 2015/2016

Start	Wednesday	2 nd September
Finish	Friday	23 rd October
Half-term	Mon 26th Oct - Fri 30th Oct incl.	
Start	Monday	2nd November
Finish	Thursday	17th December 2015
Christmas	Fri 18th Dec – Mon 4th Jan incl.	
Start	Tuesday	5 th January 2016
Finish	Friday	12 th February
Half-term	Mon 15th Feb - Fri 19th Feb incl.	
Start	Monday	22nd February
Finish	Wednesday	23 rd March
Easter	Thurs 24th Mar – Mon 11th April incl.	
Start	Tuesday	12th April
Finish	Friday	27th May
*BANK HOLIDAY	Monday 2nd May	
Half-term	Mon 30th May - Fri 3rd June incl.	
Start	Monday	6th June
Finish	Wednesday	20 th July 2016

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