



St Jude's Newsletter

Week Ending 11th March 2016



ATTENDANCE FOR THIS WEEK

YR	91.2%
Y1	97.6%
Y2	89.3%
Y3	96.4%
Y4	90.7%
Y5	96.3%
Y6	95.8%

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HEALTH & WELLBEING WEEK

We have all enjoyed a fantastic Health and Wellbeing week and the children have been visited by many professionals to talk to them about ways to keep ourselves healthy and well. All the children have taken part in skipping, which was very enjoyable for the children and the staff!

Thank you to Mrs Wallwork-Jones and Mrs Graham for arranging a wonderful week of activities.

DINNER ARREARS

A reminder to ensure you regularly check your child's dinner balance. We have had a few children unable to order their lunch, and unfortunately, we can no longer over-ride the system.

PUNCTUALITY - LATES

YR	8
Y1	8
Y2	3
Y3	5
Y4	1
Y5	5
Y6	1

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SPORTS RELIEF DAY

Friday 18th March is Sports Relief Day. Children are invited to come to school dressed as their favourite sports star or a memorable sporting figure from the past. We are asking for a donation of £1 which will be given to Sports Relief.

In addition, the children will be running a Sports Relief 'mile' on the playground. Parents and carers are invited to join in. This is the planned timetable:-

YR	2.30pm
Y1 & Y2	2.40pm
Y3 & Y4	2.50pm
Y5 & Y6	3.00pm

Children can be collected once their 'mile' is finished.

REMINDER - THREAD WORMS

We have had a report of threadworms in the lower school. Threadworms are parasites that live in the large intestine; they are easily passed on if hygiene is poor. One symptom is itching, particularly at night. It is very important that children wash their hands thoroughly and you keep your child's nails short. Should you require any more information then please see the NHS website or call into school for a leaflet.

EASTER RAFFLE

School is holding an Easter Raffle with tickets costing 25p each. We have 3 prizes:-

- 1st Prize** **Easter Chocolate Hamper**
- 2nd Prize** **Wigan Rugby Shirt**
- 3rd Prize** **Easter Rabbit and Easter Egg**

This week four tickets have been sent home with each child. Please return any tickets (sold or unsold) with the correct money in the envelope provided.

The raffle will be drawn at the Easter Mass on Wednesday 23rd March.

EASTER COFFEE MORNING

We are holding a Coffee Morning on Friday 18th March at 9.15am in the hall. Children will be displaying their homework and 'Easter Eggstravaganza' creations.

Please come along for a cup of coffee and a piece of cake to support the children.

UNSAFE PARKING

Please ensure you do not park on the zig-zags or double yellow lines around school.

EASTER SERVICE

There will be an Easter Service in the hall on Wednesday 23rd March at 9.15am. All parents, carers and families are welcome to join us.

YEAR 1 ASSEMBLY

Year 1 will be holding an assembly to celebrate 'meals' on Monday 14th March at 9.15am. All Year 1 parents, grandparents and carers are invited.

MRS WALLWORK-JONES

We are very sad that Mrs Wallwork-Jones will be leaving us at Easter. Her new role will be as an Early Years Ofsted Inspector, which is a fantastic opportunity. I am sure you will join us in wishing Mrs Wallwork-Jones best wishes in her new job.

Mrs Ashurst will join us after Easter in the role of Pastoral Manager. Mrs Ashurst is currently at Abraham Guest Academy and has a wealth of experience in working with children and families.