

## HOLY NAME CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

### NEWSLETTER: JUNE 2016

Please be advised that all school documentation is available in different formats, on request.

#### SUMMER FAYRE

Thank you to everyone who donated goods for the summer fayre which will be held on Friday 24 June at 2.00 pm on the field (weather permitting). Unfortunately, a lot of the cakes that were sent in are out of date or will be out of date by the day of the fayre. Children can wear their own clothes on Monday again, as England are playing and in return, they should bring in something for the summer fayre. We should be grateful if you are going to send in any cakes, that you wait until at least Monday 20 June and please check the sell by date. Any homemade cakes can come in the day before or on the day. We should also be grateful of any other unwanted gifts or 'bottles' that you have to make sure we have enough on the day. Children will need to bring money on the day as stalls will cost between 10p and £1. The PTFA are looking for volunteer parents/carers to help out so if you can spare some time, please contact Mrs Glennon, Mrs Hitchman, Mrs Donaldson or the main office. Thank you.

#### NURSERY STAY AND PLAY FOR DADS – FRIDAY 17 JUNE

Nursery Stay and Play activities to celebrate Fathers' Day for male family members. Times: morning nursery 11.00 am until 11.45 am, afternoon nursery 2.00 pm until 3.00 pm.

#### SPORTS DAY/ CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Sports day will be held on Wednesday 29 June. There will be a round robin of events then parents/carers will be able to watch children race (if they choose to). Key Stage 1 parents/carers should arrive at 10.45 am. After the race, they will be able to go into class with their child to look at books. Key Stage 2 parents/carers should arrive at 2.00 pm. After the race, they will be able to go into class with their child to look at books. In the event of inclement weather, books will still be available for parents/carers at the times stated. The reserve date for sports day will be Thursday 30 June.

Please note, for any parents/carers not able to attend during the school day on 29 June due to work commitments, books will be available after school until 5.30 pm.

#### TRANSITION DAY/NEW STARTER DAY – WEDNESDAY 6 JULY

Year 6 children will be spending the day at their new high school so we will be holding the new starter day at the same time as well as transition to new classes. New Reception children will come into school with parents/carers to see their new class, speak to their teacher and attend a meeting in the hall. (Further details to be provided by Mrs Doyle) All other children will spend the day in their new class with their teacher.

#### GREEN SCHOOLS PROJECT

Workers from the Green Schools' Project will be in school for the final session with Mrs Lane and the Eco Committee on Monday 27 June. The greenhouse is now complete so we will hopefully soon be growing produce inside. Thank you to everyone who sent in plastic bottles.

#### ROAD SAFETY/PARKING

We thank everyone who continues to support us by parking in a safe place when dropping off your child. We think that the barriers and the opening the doors at 8.45 am has helped to ease the congestion.

#### LIVERPOOL COUNTS QUALITY MARK

We are happy to announce that we qualified for the Silver award. Thank you to Mrs Burns and her team of apprentices and pupils who helped her to prepare for the assessment. Mrs Burns and two Year 6 children will attend the award ceremony on Monday 11 July.

## **Y6 RESIDENTIAL TO COLOMENDY (current Y5)**

The 2nd instalment of £50 is due to be paid by 15 July.

## **ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY**

We need to reach 97% Attendance or it will go against us in an Inspection. Please try to keep our attendance up by only letting your child stay off school if they are really ill and need to be at home. Please note that the school doors are open from 8.45 am. However, school starts officially at 8.55 am and all children should be in school by this time. The number of persistent latecomers who arrive after the bell has gone is rising. We ask that you please get your children to school on time by 8.55 am. Thank you.

## **MARRIAGE & FAMILY SUPPORT TEAM (Archdiocese)**

This is offered by Jackie Brougham who can be contacted on  
Tel: 0789 179 5145 or by Email: [jackiebrougham@btinternet.com](mailto:jackiebrougham@btinternet.com).

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

- 15.6.16 = Military School for Infants – children have enjoyed this immensely
- 15.6.16 = Juniors to I M Marsh for sports activity day
- 16.6.16 = Year 6 Cricket
- 16.6.16 = Pop Project – British Values
- 17.6.16 = Empty Classroom Day
- 17.6.16 = Euro Football Championships in house tournament
- 20.6.16 = Year 6 Athletics tournament at Childwall High Schol
- 22.6.16 = Children’s University Graduation – further details from Mrs Lane
- 23.6.16 = Military School for Juniors
- 23.6.16 = Infants to I M Marsh for sports activity day
- 28.6.16 = KS2 Victorian Role Play at Croxteth Hall Park, Class 10 and 11 am, Class 9 pm
- 29.6.16 = Sports Day – Key Stage 1 am and Key Stage 2 pm
- 29.6.16 = Year 4 Sacrament Celebration Mass – 9.15 am at Holy Name Church
- 29.6.16 = Sports Day (weather permitting) Further details to follow
- 30.6.16 = Reserve day for Sports Day
- 4.7.16 = Science Week
- 5.7.16 = Schools’ Parliament
- 7.7.16 = Forensic Science Day all day
- 8.7.16 = Forensic Science Day morning only
- 8.7.16 = Fair Trade Activity afternoon for Key Stage 2 – further details to follow
- 11.7.16 = Maths Party – further details to follow
- 12.7.16 = Year 6 Leavers’ Mass – 6.00 pm in the school hall
- 13.7.16 = Year 6 Compact – transition event called Switched On
- 15.7.16 = Year 6 Leavers’ Assembly – 9.15 am in the school hall
- 16.7.16 = Archbishop Beck’s Performing Arts Festival
- 9.7.16 = Whole School End of Year Mass at Holy Name Church (time to be arranged)
- 19.7.16 = End of Year Mass – at Holy Name Church 9.15 am
- 22.7.16 = End of Year Golden Assembly – unfortunately we cannot invite parents/carers
- 22.7.16 = School closes for the summer holidays at 1.15 pm