# WITH GOD IN OUR HEARTS, WE LOVE AND LEARN

## St. Joseph's Newsletter

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Over the last two weeks we have welcomed several visitors into our school for different reasons such as: Vocations Week, Local Authority Visits or even just our weekly Mass. Children have also been out of the school on various trips to support their learning. I am overwhelmed by the feedback I have had from all of the people that have come into contact with your children. Time and time again I have been told how proud I should be of them or how well they have listened or how knowledgeable they are. This is wonderful to hear and demonstrates the children living out the school values.

I would once again like to thank you for all of the support you give the school and your child's education.

### Pupil Premium Funding

Pupil Premium was introduced in April 2011 and is allocated to schools to work with pupils who have been registered for free school meals (FSM) at any point in the last 6 years (known as 'Ever 6').

The funding is used to provide additional educational support to improve progress and to raise the standard of achievement for pupils who are, or who have ever been, registered as eligible for FSM as well as helping to ensure social and emotional well being.

The school therefore recommends that you apply to see if you are eligible for FSM and therefore the Pupil Premium funding even if it is a on a short-term basis. To find out if you are eligible please click on the link on the school website. (Parents—Funding)

#### PTFA -Your School Lottery

Congratulations to Mrs Vukmirovic & Mrs A who have won £20 each so far!

To be in with a chance of winning please go on to the school website and look under parents/school lottery. This is your chance to play the lottery and support the school at the same time. It is simple to play, only takes 5 minutes to register and costs just £1 per week.

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#### **Future Events**

Monday 21 January KS1 Food taster session in hall 3.30pm Tuesday 22 January KS2 Food taster session in hall 3.30pm

Monday 28 January Y5/6 Children at Cardinal Griffin for Lion King Monday 28 January Lion King Performance @:Cardinal Griffin 7pm Lion King Performance @:Cardinal Griffin 7pm

Wednesday 30 January Football Finals @ RLC Thursday 31 January Year 5 to Cardinal Griffin

Thursday 31 January Lion King Performance @: Cardinal Griffin 7pm

Thursday 31 January No Mass

Wednesday 13 February KS2 Sports Hall Athletics
Friday 15 February Break up for Half term
Sunday 12 May First Holy Communion
Thursday 20 June Y6 Leavers' Mass 6pm

@ St. Joseph and Etheldreda's Church

Wednesday 3 July Confirmation

Star Learner Week 015

Nursery Scarlett
Class A Ivy
Class B Evann
Class C Jessica
Class D Scarlett
Class E Rose
Class F Kale
Class G Sienna

Star Person Week 015

Nursery Hunter
Class A Lucas
Class B Megan
Class C Class C
Class D Lexi-May
Class E Evan
Class F Jayden
Class G Oliver

Star Presentation Week 015

Nursery Brighid
Class A Liana
Class B Riley
Class C Karina
Class D Tilly-Rose
Class F Cole
Class G Connie

Star Friend Week 015

Nursery Honor
Class A Isabella
Class B Ava
Class C Liam
Class D Lydia
Class E Olivia
Class F Keira
Class G Tiernan

#### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS THIS TERM

Clubs running this term:

Monday: Football for years 3-6 All welcome

Tuesday: Class clubs for years 1-6

Thursday: Netball for years 3-6 All welcome

Mon-Fri: Morning Club from 8.00am (£1.50) available to all children

Afterschool Club until 4.30pm (£2.50) available to all children