



St Michael & St John's RC Primary School

NEWSLETTER - 13th November 2015

"I have come that they may have life and have it to the full." (John Ch10 vs10)

Dear Parents/Carers

Armistice Day

On Wednesday, at 11.00 am, the whole school fell silent for 2 minutes to remember those people who have died in the wars. During the afternoon, Year 4 and Year 2 led a joint assembly all about Armistice Day telling us about their brave and heroic relatives who took part in past wars and how we remember them.

Anti Bullying Week

You should have received a letter and booklet (produced by Mrs Jackson) all about Anti Bullying week next week and what our school is doing to try to educate about and combat all forms of bullying both in and out of school. Please discuss this with your child. Last Tuesday Soren Bennick productions delivered 2 performances of 'The Power of One' (one for KS1 and one for KS2). Next week, the whole school (children and staff) will sign the anti-bullying charter.

Packed Lunch Children - Special Lunch, Thursday, 19th November

Mrs Coar is "cooking up" a "special" lunch for Anti Bullying week. If your child usually has a packed lunch and would like a school dinner on Thursday, 19th November please send in £2.20 to Mrs Moon

Behaviour

Last half term the majority of children kept all of their Golden Time every week. Well done children for making the right choices.

Our new "think" sheets are working well and the children are reflecting well on the choices they are making and remembering to ask themselves 'What Would Jesus Do?'

Following parent feedback we will be ordering stampers so that we teachers can report to parents weekly, via reading records, where their child has achieved 100% Golden Time. We will let you know when this begins.



Reception Class 'Silly Clothes Day'

Today, our Reception class wore 'silly clothes' to school as part of their topic launch. They have been searching for Aliens and enjoying 'Space smoothies'.

Reception Class Photo

The Reception class photograph that was taken on the 30th September has now been published in the Clitheroe Advertiser this week (12th November). If you wish to order a copy of the photograph please call Photosales on: 0330-123-0203 or email: photosales@jpress.co.uk

Knitting Club - Volunteers needed Wednesday lunchtime

If any parents/grandparents would like to volunteer to help at our Knitting Club, on a Wednesday lunchtime from 12.30 pm to 1.15 pm, please contact the school office. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Road Safety

Congratulations to our Year 1's and Year 2's for completing their Road Safety Stages 1 & 2 respectively. Thank you to Mrs Cook for organising this and to all the Teaching Assistants who supported the children.

We would like our children to use their new skills, if possible, so would encourage you and your children to walk to school if you can.

Next Week at School

Monday, 16 th - Friday, 20 th Nov	-	Anti Bullying week
Monday, 16 th November	-	Assembly to launch Anti-Bullying week 9.00am (Parents welcome)
Wednesday, 18 th November	-	Year 5 Swimming
Wednesday, 18 th November	-	Full Governing Body Meeting
Thursday, 19 th November	-	Anti-Bullying Non-uniform Day (Dress code: Blue - no charge)
Thursday, 19 th November	-	Special Lunch for Anti Bullying week
Friday, 20 th November	-	Celebration Assembly - Year 5
Friday, 20 th November	-	"Friends" Film Night - Infants

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards

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Headteacher