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NEWSLETTER

'With Jesus at the centre of all we do and say'

Our new children

Welcome to our new children and their families. The children are settling into school life very well. It is lovely to see the enjoyment and happiness in the children's faces in Class 1. They are having a wonderful start to their school life and our Year 1 children are super role models to them. Please remember children in Class One are entitled to a free school meal (and free milk until the age of five years.) Register at Cool Milk.



Faith in Action

We have launched a new award in school for Years 5 and 6 and this is named 'Faith in Action'. The children will be able to be credited points for the many ways in which they contribute positively to our school and our school community.

The team helping the children will consist of Mrs De Carteret, Kath Altham and Miss Sheckleton in school. But of course, you our parents are very valuable to your child's journey as a spiritual role model. We are very blessed as a school to work so closely with our Parish community and Father Firth.



Our class virtues and Saints

As you know each class has chosen a virtue. Invitations will be sent out to families to invite you to your classes assembly which will be based on the chosen virtue. During this year Here is a reminder of each class with their virtue.

Class 1– Love and Saint Teresa

Class 2– Friendship and Saint Francis of Assisi

Class 3– Honesty and Saint Catherine of Siena

Class 4– Trust and Saint Oscar Romero

Class 5– Respect and Saint Christopher

Please talk to your children about their class virtue and what that means to them. Our school Mission Statement, Statements to live by and School prayers are on the school website so that you can reinforce key messages given in school. Maybe you could research your Class saint at home?

Dates for your diary

Harvest Festival– Sunday 13th October at 10.30am. Donations of food will go to West Craven Food Bank.

School Photographs– Individuals and Families– 3rd October. Families groups may come from 8.30am.

Open Day– Wednesday 9th October for admissions to primary school 20120

Parents Evening– Class 1 only– 7th and 9th October starting at 2.30pm.

Good News Assembly– 27th September and 11th October. These occur fortnightly. Our school library is open after each assembly.

School closes on Friday 18th October and re-opens Monday 4th November at 8.55am.

Statements To Live By
Each week we have a statement to live by. Please discuss these with your children.

Wb 22nd September– I can say how I feel

Wb 29th September – I can laugh and have fun

Wb 6th October– I know what to do if I see anyone being hurt

Year 5 children become Buddies

The Year 5 children have their buddy's for this year. They are all looking forward to working with our younger children and have already attended Church with them.



If you have any queries regarding this newsletter please see Mrs De Carteret (Deputy Headteacher)

Mini Vinnies

Our new Mini Vinnie group has now been elected and have already begun work on future projects. We will be meeting regularly and will be involved in working with our parish and Father Firth.



Our elected Head boy, Head girl and Deputy Head boy and Deputy Head girl

Year 6 pupils spoke in assembly about why they would like to be given the role of Head boy or Head girl and the pupils all voted.

We were very proud of all the children who stood and spoke.

Well done!



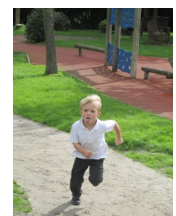
School Council

Each year group has elected their own School Councilors. Well done to you all. I am sure you will do a fabulous job!



Running Track

The children and staff are enjoying the running track in school. Remember to send trainers into school each day. We are extremely grateful to all those who have contributed to raising funds for it.



Please take care when parking your car whilst dropping your children off or picking them up at school.. We need to be mindful of our neighbours.

