



# Our Lady's Catholic Primary School

## Newsletter - 2nd October, 2017



Dear Parents and Carers,

*Throughout our lives we all change and learn more about life and each other. God our Father is always there to welcome a change of heart— no matter how many times we need to start again in our lives. Pope Francis reminds us 'Our friendship with God changes our lives-filling us with passion and with joy'.*

### Events this week

Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	5pm– Friends of Our Lady's AGM– all welcome.
Thursday	8.15– Credit Union open– new savers welcome Samba music session (pm) for a group of children National Poetry day– please share a poem.
Friday	9.10– Year 6 welcome Reception class assembly– all welcome

### MACMILLAN COFFEE AFTERNOON

Thank you to everyone for supporting our coffee afternoon last Friday– it was great to see you all!

Thank you for donating gifts, toys etc...and buns to sell on the day. All raffle prizes were claimed and the winner of the £10 teacup Lily Hamer.

A fantastic £600 was raised for Macmillan Cancer Care– brilliant!


### School Council

Our elected School Council members for this year are-

- Year 2: Jude Hickson + Ella Wade
- Year 3: Oliver Simpson + Hanna Manoj
- Year 4: Colin Pawlak/Tara Connor
- Year 5: Livvy Hollingshead/Talia Keegan
- Year 6: Craig Watson, Ellie Dyer, Tegan Quinn and Ella Anguige

Well done to everyone who was nominated and prepared a speech.

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	<b>Certificate winners</b>	<b>Attendance</b>
Reception	<b>Olivia King and Sam Simpson</b>	Best attendance- Year 2 98.3 % Well done! 
Year 1	<b>Ruby Dunwell and Olly Young</b>	
Year 2	<b>Daniel Kinsey and Sophie Poole</b>	
Year 3	<b>Lexie Clarke and Amy Sarsfield</b>	
Year 4	<b>Isabelle Casey and Travis Hayton</b>	
Year 5	<b>Janai Adum-Kwapong and Talia Keegan</b>	
Year 6	<b>Harriett Brooks and Isha Joof</b>	

**RECEPTION CLASS WELCOME  
ASSEMBLY**

**You are invited to a very special assembly this Friday at 9.05am, where Year 6 will officially welcome our new Reception class children to Our Lady's. Parents are welcome to join us as we celebrate this milestone in the children's lives.**

**FLU NASAL SPRAY FOR RECEPTION,  
YEARS 1,2,3 AND 4.**

This year the flu nasal spray is offered to the children in the classes above.

Nurses will visit school on Friday 10th November to administer the simple nasal spray, which can prevent children from getting flu during the Winter months. Please complete the form attached to give permission and return it to school by 20th.

**APPLICATION TO HIGH SCHOOLS**

It is time for families in Year 6 to apply for a high school place for your children. We have sent the forms home for you to complete if you want your child to attend a Catholic high school-please return the form to our school by Monday 16th October. All parents **MUST** complete the common preference form online at [www.leeds.gov.uk/highschool](http://www.leeds.gov.uk/highschool) by the end of October at the latest. Please contact school if you need any help.

**DATES FOR DIARIES**

Tues 10th Oct- Year 7 Welcome Mass at Corpus Christi (2pm)

Mon 16th Oct- Year 3 Chocolate trip.

Tues 17th Oct- Year 4 Temple Newsam house educational visit.

Thurs 19th Oct- Year 5 class assembly (9.05am)

Friday 20th Oct- Wear pink for breast cancer and break up for half-term.

**National Poetry day is this Thursday. Please try to share a poem with your children- thanks.**

I hope you all have a lovely Week.

God Bless  
Mrs Flaherty  
Head Teacher