



# Our Lady's Catholic Primary School

## Newsletter - 22nd January, 2018



Dear Parents and Carers,

*In Sunday's Gospel we heard about Jesus gathering together the first Christian community. Just like all families and communities, they were not perfect—but worked well as a team. Our schools and parishes were founded to be places of love, friendship, security, and inclusiveness. We must continue this mission together.*

### Events this week

Monday	Catholic headteachers visit postponed until 5th February
Tuesday	Forest school visit for Reception class children
Wednesday	Dance lessons in school— please wear PE kits to school every Wednesday Year 5 Fire safety talk
Thursday	8.15— Credit Union open for savers— new savers welcome
Friday	9.05am— Praise assembly— all welcome 2.20pm— Stay and play session for Reception class—all welcome

### UNWANTED GIFTS PLEA

If you have any unwanted Christmas gifts (toiletries , toys, books, games, new clothes etc...) that you would like to donate to some of our families in need, we would be delighted to receive them and distribute them. Please send them into school as soon as you can. Thank you in anticipation of a positive response.

### E Safety

During the next few weeks the children and staff will be re-visiting E safety rules during computing lessons.

Thank you for sending completed contracts back to school. Please send any outstanding forms back to school this week.

Thank you.

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	<b>Certificate winners</b>	<b>Attendance</b>
Reception	<b>Isla Hicken and Layton Hennigan</b>	Best attendance- Year 1 98.3% Well done! 
Year 1	<b>Layla Craven and Oakley Cowlam</b>	
Year 2	<b>Lily Haynes and Ella Wade</b>	
Year 3	<b>Kade Hickson and Alexis Basco</b>	
Year 4	<b>Jessica Mitchell, Harrison Haynes and Kaiden Smith</b>	
Year 5	<b>Antoni Wegrzynowski and Livvy Hollingshead</b>	
Year 6	<b>George Hopkins and Tyrone Gentles</b>	

### RESIDENTIALS 2018.

Thank you for monies received so far for both residentials.

Please continue to pay small instalments off the total amount owed.

Thank you.

### Dance lessons this half-term

**Children should come to school EVERY WEDNESDAY this half-term dressed in their white PE T-shirts, black jogging bottoms/leggings and their school sweatshirts. They can wear their kit all day.**

Thank you.

### HOME LEARNING TO SUPPORT SCHOOL WORK

We have been looking at pupil progress in each class as usual and are addressing individual needs.

All children would continue to benefit from reading regularly at home, learning spellings and times tables. In addition, children can access Phonics play, Mathletics and Times table rock stars at home to help with their learning. If we continue to work well together, children will benefit enormously. Thank you.

Our local Catholic headteachers visit

On Monday 5th Feb our local Catholic heads will visit our school to meet children, parents and staff, observe lessons and behaviour in school, observe our morning assembly (which will be led by Year 5) and look at children's work in books. They will give us constructive feedback at the end, then I will have the chance to visit their schools and do the same at a later date.

I hope you all have a lovely week.

God Bless  
Mrs Flaherty  
Head Teacher