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NEWSLETTER

Friday 21st September 2018

Mass in Church (9.30 a.m.) – Autumn Term 2018

Class	Date
Year 2	Monday 24 th September
Year 5	Monday 8 th October
Reception	Wednesday 10 th October

Mass in the Classroom

Class	Date
Year 6	Tuesday 2 nd October – 2:30pm
Year 5	Tuesday 27 th November – 2:30pm

Children taking a lead in Mass on a Sunday with the Parish

Date
Sunday 30 th September at 6:30pm
Sunday 14 th October at 11:00am (Harvest Mass)
Sunday 2 nd December at 11:00am

JOB OPORTUNITIES

Ss Peter and Paul requires a **Teaching Assistant** to work in class as well as cover the lunchtime period. Pay and Salary NJC Scale A1-B1 £16, 863 - £18,672 (Actual Salary £6,364.12 commencing on SCP10). The hours for this post are 11:55 a.m. until 3:15 p.m. which is 16 hours and 50 minutes. The closing date will be the **4th October** and interviews will be the 22nd October.

Ss. Peter and Paul are also seeking **two lunchtime supervisory assistants** to actively supervise the pupils in the dining room, playground and throughout the school premises during the lunchtime period. **NJ Scale A1. Scale Point 8 (actual salary £1,957.34 per annum)**. Hours are 5 hours 25 minutes per week. 11:55 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Full details of how to apply can also be found on the Bishop Wheeler website. Please fill in the CES application form obtained via the Bishop Wheeler website <http://www.bishopwheelercatholicacademytrust.org/vacancies/>

VACANCIES

Do you know any Catholic Families that have moved in to the area and require a school place? We have one space in Year 1 and one space in Year 3. Please ask any interested party to contact the school office for a Supplementary Information form and an In Year Transfer form.

YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL TO KINGSWOOD

Year 6 will set off on their residential to Kingswood next Wednesday. The coach will leave at approximately 9:00 a.m., please see the letter sent home this week regarding information on clothing and items required. If your child requires medication whilst at Kingswood, please ensure that we have this in school with clear instructions for administration by Monday morning.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

The photographer will be in school on Monday 24th September to take children's individual and sibling photographs. If your child has a sibling not yet in school but would like a photo with them included, this will take place from 8:30am.

WHOLE SCHOOL ART PROJECT

Please can your child bring in an empty 2 litre plastic pop bottle for a whole school art project.

Ambition

*"I have come so that they may have life and have it to the full."
John 10:10*

Congratulations Mini Vinnies

Congratulations to the Year 6 children who were commissioned and recommissioned by Fr John and Bishop Marcus this year. Josie and Gabriella A, John-Paul, Sean, Lily, Harry, Ella, Gabriella P, Tizianna, Luke, Hermione and Cole. We hope that they will be Ambitious when they put their faith into Action. I am sure they will be an excellent example to us all this year and we pray for the work of this group.

RECEPTION REQUEST

Could we please ask that your child does not put their water bottle in their book bag as we have had some leaking bottles this week that have damaged library books.

Can we also ask that each child in Reception class brings in a photo of themselves as a baby to help with their topic work. Thank you *Mrs Bennett*

COATS

As the weather has definitely taken on an Autumn feel with wind and rain this week, can we ask that you ensure your child has a coat with them in school. Thank you

A MESSAGE FROM THE FOOD AMBASSADORS

Please remember to make sure that packed lunches are healthy everyday. Try to include at least 2 of your 5 a day of fruit and vegetables. Please check our school food policy for more information (copy attached to the electronic version of the newsletter).

PARKING

Please only use the disabled parking spaces if you are a blue badge holder. This week a parent who is a blue badge holder found no spaces were available, whilst waiting behind a disabled space another driver parking incorrectly swore at her. Please be respectful and considerate when parking.

ONLINE SAFETY

YouTube is the world's largest video platform and the 2nd biggest search platform (after Google), with over 1.8 billion users per month, National Online Safety have created a free guide for parents & carers which covers what they need to know about the platform to help safeguard their children from potential online risks including; *age inappropriate videos, in-app messaging, dangerous challenge/viral videos, digital wellbeing and more.* To read this guide please use the link below

<https://2j39y52a62qm1afygb3g1xbu-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/YouTube-Parents-Guide-September-2018.jpg>

LEEDS DYSLEXIA FESTIVAL

The first Leeds Dyslexia Festival will take place on Saturday 29th September 2018, at Leeds Art Gallery, 10am-5pm. Leeds Dyslexia Festival is brought to families and educators of Yorkshire by West Yorkshire Patoss and Yorkshire Rose Dyslexia. Please book your FREE entry ticket, and workshop tickets on the Eventbrite link below.

Facebook: @leedsdyslexiafestival

Twitter: @leedsdyslexia

Web: leedsdyslexiafestival.org.uk

Eventbrite: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/leeds-dyslexia-festival-2018-tickets-47223355327>

WEEKLY AWARDS

'John Paul II Foundation for Sport' Virtue of Ambition

Reception – Valentino F.

Year 1 – Luca M.

Year 2 – Poppy B.

Year 3 – Max G.

Year 4 – Noah K.

Year 5 – Rowan S.

Year 6 – Hermione T.

'Mathletics – Best in Class'

Year 1 – Archie F

Year 2 – Esme B

Year 3 – Emma Mc

Year 4 – Rachel F

Year 5 – Thomas E

'Spellodrome – Highest Achiever'

Year 1 – Daniel W

Year 2 – Esme B

Year 4 – Noah K

FRIENDS OF Ss. PETER & PAUL

An **Annual General Meeting [AGM]** – will take place on **Thursday 27th September 2018 at 7pm** in School – all are welcome to attend.