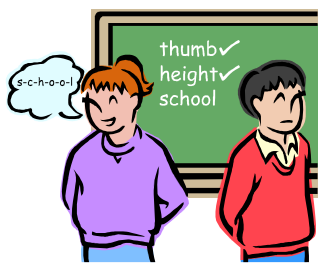


# St Albert's Catholic Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter Friday, 27 September 2013



### Spelling Week

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> will see Spelling Week at St Albert's. As part of this, a Spelling Bee will take place at 2pm on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October in the hall. Spelling 'champions' who have been selected from Y2 to Y6 are now busy learning their spellings for the competition. The children have been split into 4 groups – red, yellow, blue and white, and are required to wear a T-shirt of that colour for the competition. Parents are welcome to the event, so come along and join in with the buzz!

### Disney Day

On Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October, we will be holding a 'Disney Day' in honour of Mrs Price. The day will involve all the children and staff dressing up as their favourite Disney Character, and getting involved in some fun activities, including a Disney Parade, Art, Poetry (with special awards) as well as a special guest appearance. All donations will go to cancer charities.



### Attendance News



CLASS	ATTENDANCE	
Rec	94.8%	Amber
Y1	99.3%	Green
Y2	95.2%	Green
Y3/4	95%	Green
Y4/5	94.6%	Amber
Y6	95%	Green

### News from Fr. David

Fr. David came to school this week to meet all the children in their classes, and show them a statue of Our Lady of Walsingham. It was lovely for all the children to meet and get to know their parish priest.

Also, Fr David has acquired a statue of St Joseph for the church, which will be blessed with holy water and incense at the end of the 10 o'clock Mass on Sunday. Please come along.



### Football News

Mr Jacobs continues to train our football team, in readiness for the next Small League challenge on Wednesday next week. The team practice every Wednesday night after school and if open to all junior children if you would like to join in.



### Sports Club

On Monday every week, Mr Unwin holds a Sports Club open to all children from the Juniors after school. He will change what sports they do on a regular basis, so the children get experience of different activities.

### Macmillan Cake sale

On Thursday, we held a cake sale in aid of MacMillan Cancer Care. The children in year 6 all brought in cakes and we held a sale in the hall for the whole school. The staff also held a coffee morning and made cakes for sale in the staff room. Today, our nursery are holding their own coffee morning with children and parents to help raise funds for the charity, and 2 parents have made a special 'Nursery' cake which we have raffled off. Thank you to everyone who helped us to raise a massive £228.19 so far – and a special big thank you to Faye in Y6 who gave a puppet show with her brother Riley at home and raised £26.06! Well done!



### Speakeasy course

Please see the back of this newsletter for details of a local Speakeasy course at the Children's Centre which is a fun, relaxed course for all parents/carers who may be worried about talking to their child about changes to their bodies and relationships.



### Happy Birthday

Happy birthday this week to: Taylor 6; Tyler 9; and David 11.



### Thought for the Week

Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

**2 Corinthians 9:7**