

St Albert's Catholic Primary School

Weekly Newsletter Friday, 28 April 2017

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R.E. Inspection



Our R.E. Inspection is due very soon, and we are looking forward to showing off all of the good work taking place and building further upon positive feedback from Ofsted. All parents will have received R.E questionnaires this week, please ensure they are returned to school as soon as possible.

Preparation for Y6 SATs

Our Year 6 children will sit their SATs week commencing 8th May. They have been working extremely hard in the run up. We are really proud of the progress they have made and the effort they have put in. Full attendance is a priority and all children must be in school in plenty of time. Please ensure your child has plenty of sleep and they have had breakfast during SATs week. There will be a Year 6 Breakfast Club provided by school starting at 8.30am each day which we are encouraging the children to attend.



Communion classes



Please remember, if your child is making their Holy Communion this year it is very important that you attend the communion classes with Fr. David. Please remember that Fr David has stated many times that if you/your child have not attended at least 3 sessions, your child will not be able to make their first communion with the class. The last date for the class is on:

7th May

The classes start at 11.5am in St Albert's Club Function Room.

PGL

Year 5 are really excited about going to PGL Boreton Park next week. They will leave on Wednesday at 9.30am and return on Friday at 4.30pm. They will be taking part in exciting activities such as the giant swing, trapeze, abseiling and zip wire. Please log onto our twitter account so that you can get regular updates @StalbertsRc



Special visitors



We had planned to receive our ducklings this week but unfortunately they could not visit due to late hatching. They should be with us very soon!

Swimming

Year 4 will be going swimming next Thursday instead of Y5 who are away.

Children will require a full swimming kit which includes:

Boys

Swimming trunks above the knee (no pockets)

Girls

Full costume (no bikinis)

ALL children require a towel and a swimming cap.



Mini Vinnies

On Tuesday 25th April, Vincent and Ann came to visit and tell us all about Mini Vinnies. Vincent told us the story of how the S.V.P. was started. The children thought of some ideas of what they could do as a group. The children showed them our prayer garden and had their photograph taken with them. Watch this space!

Y6 Important Dates for your Diary

8th-11th May - SATs Week

Wed 21st June - Sports' Day (weather dependant)

Mon 10th July - Ladeywell Visit

Wed 12th July - Secondary Transition Day (tbc)

Fri 14th July - Fancy Dress 2pm

Mon 17th July - Y6 Performance (tbc)

Wed 19th July - Y6 Leavers' Mass 10am

Thurs 20th July - Leavers'/Awards Assembly 9.15 am

Collective Worship

Parents are invited to the launch of our Prayer Garden. Please refer to the recent letter sent out for times.



Uniform - Bows

Some children are coming into school with particularly big bright bows in their hair. Please be reminded that big bows are not allowed in hair. Please remember that this is not appropriate for school and that children should have these for week-end wear only.



May Day

Reminder: Monday is a bank holiday and school will be closed. School will be open as usual on Tuesday at 8.55am promptly.

Attendance

Rec	96.7 %	GREEN
Y1	93.1 %	AMBER
Y2	100 %	GREEN
Y3	96.8 %	GREEN
Y4	95 %	AMBER
Y5	90.1 %	AMBER
Y6	92 %	AMBER

Whole school attendance for last week in school was - **95.0 - AMBER**

After School Clubs Cancelled

The following clubs will be cancelled next week due to staff attending the Y5 Residential Trip:

Wednesday Dance Club (Y1, Y2 & Y3)

Thursday EAL Club (Reception)

Friday Dance Club (Y4, Y5, Y6)

Quote of the week

Your talent determines what you can do
Your motivation determines how much you are willing to do
Your attitude determines how well you do it

**At St. Albert's, our mission is to educate the children and serve the community, in the love of Jesus Christ-
LEARN, SERVE AND LOVE**

Our vision centres around the 'CHILD'

C for the Child, H for High Expectations, I for Inspirational & Memorable, L for Listening and D for Dreams and Doors.