



St Albert's Catholic Primary School

Weekly Newsletter Friday, 11 March 2016

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World Book Day

As part of World Book Day, all classes have had visits from authors this week. Thank you to all of the visiting authors; every class has said their author was brilliant. Please talk to your child about their visit and find out about the exciting stories they were told.

Friend Like Me

Year 4, along with other primary schools, will be supporting St John Bosco's production of 'Friend Like Me' on Thursday 17th March. A separate letter, with details of performance times, will be sent out by Mr Breen. All parents should now have their tickets.

Swimming – Year 5

Year 5 will go to the swimming baths for a 'play' session next Thursday as a reward for their good behaviour. Please see Mr Powell for more details.



Forest School Year 2

Our next visit to Forest School is on 17th March. Please ensure your child comes in the appropriate clothing, including warm protective clothes as it currently gets cold and wet at the Forest School.

Science Week

Next week we will celebrate British Science. The children will cover a variety of exciting science topics including:

A Rockpool Study (y2)

A Bird Watch Nature Study

A Planetarium Visit (whole school)

All classes will undertake a variety of experiments throughout the week. Please take the time to talk to your child to find out what they have been learning!



Planetarium

This coming Tuesday, we will be treated to a fantastic Planetarium experience here in school. Each class will visit a mobile planetarium and the children will deepen their knowledge and understanding of the Earth and our solar system.

Book Amnesty

If you have any school reading books at home, please bring them back in to school as we are running low on certain books, in particular turquoise and purple. Thank you.

Pre Easter Mass

We are having a Pre- Mass on Wednesday in preparation for Easter in Church at 10am. We will be joined by St Brigid's.



Happy Birthday this week to:

Drew – 4 Kiera – 9 Charlotte – 10

Year 1 – My favourite bit was the treasure chest and I had a really good time. **By Lexi**

Reception – I really liked the lady coming in. Her story was really good. **By Brody**

Year 2 – It was spectacular! It was amazing! **By Alfie**

Year 4 – It was really interesting because she was talking about mysteries and I really like mysteries. **By Favour**

Year 3 – I liked it when she made a book mark with me and she really captured my imagination. **By Leah**

Year 5/6 - He was really interesting and he inspired me to start writing. **By Ava**

Easter Holidays

Please remember that Easter half term is different this year. We are off school for Easter weekend from Good Friday to Easter Monday. We do not have the traditional 'Easter' holiday until the following Friday 1st April, when we break up for 1 week returning on 11th April.

Easter Teddies

We now have Easter teddies on sale at the school office for £1. All money raised will go towards the Willowbrook hospice.



Chicks

Good news... Tiny Tim is on the mend! Yesterday Miss Power took him to the vets and they have now put another bandage on his leg. He has to go back in a weeks time but the vet is really happy with his progress! All the children are taking really good care of our chick and making sure he is getting looked after. We will keep you all updated on Tiny Tim's progress.

Attendance News

Rec	94.7 %	AMBER
Y1	97.3 %	GREEN
Y2	84.0 %	RED
Y3	92.3 %	AMBER
Y4	94.5 %	AMBER
Y5	99.0 %	GREEN
Y6	91.0 %	AMBER

Whole school attendance for last week was **96 % - AMBER**, this is slightly below the National Average of 96.2%

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.