

★ SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School ★



Part of... St. John Paul II Multi-Academy

We live and learn in the light of Christ!

Weekly Newsletter to Parents



Autumn 1

Friday 15th November 2024

This Week we Pray for Year Six



Dear Parents, Staff and Children,

Thank you to all of the children who brought in a Tombola prize today. Each of these non-uniform days is held throughout November to support our Christmas Fayre and children will be asked in exchange for wearing non-uniform that they bring in an item for one of the stalls. Next week's item is a packet of sweets. We appreciate your support with this but also understand that some parents may be struggling financially so this is optional not compulsory.

Next week the SPFA will be running the Key Stage One and Key Stage Two Movie nights. Tickets are no longer available for purchase as the deadline has now gone. If your child is attending they will be taken into the hall by their class teacher and then you will need to collect them at 5pm from the school hall. They will be provided with snacks and drinks so please do not send any additional things in for them.

Unfortunately there will be no Mass next week as Father Prabhakar has cancelled it. Year Three will be given the opportunity to lead another Mass in the New Year. Apologies for any inconveniences caused but unfortunately this matter has been taken out of our hands.

The SPFA will be holding their Annual General Meeting on November 29th in the School Hall at 2pm. This is an important meeting where a new committee will be elected. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to get involved and have their say. We hope to see you all there.

Finally a reminder to save the dates for the Key Stage One Nativity and Key Stage Two Carole concert. Details can be found in the Important dates section on the following page.

An Email was sent out this week asking whether your child will be attending the Key Stage Two Carole concert or not. It is important that you respond to this email as we will be starting to give parts out to the children. This will take a different format to last year and will be a whole Key Stage Two performance and all children will be given a part if attending.

Have a lovely weekend everyone.



Mrs Calvert-Lyons
Head of School

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ACADEMY TERM DATES

2024—2025

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Monday 4th November—
Friday 20th December

ACADEMY FUND DONATIONS

Academy Fund via ParentMail (School Enrichment Funding)

This is a voluntary contribution to be paid each term which goes towards buying additional equipment and resources for your children. You will receive a request via ParentMail termly...

"St. John Paul II Multi-Academy invites parents to give annually to your school fund. A donation of £10 per term is suggested but you may contribute more if you wish."

Please rest assured that any payment you make is for our school and our children only, guaranteed!
Thank you for your support.

School Mobile Phone

Please use for urgent contact out of office hours
(4.30 pm - 8.00 am):

07885 235 496



NEWS

We will keep you informed, please read this information carefully.

- **Ladies Night**— On the 22nd of November the Parish will be holding their Annual Ladies Night from 7pm until 11 pm. If you are interested please see Lucy Flynn for tickets or contact the school office.
- **Start and Finish Times**—Children can be dropped off from 8.40am when the school gates open. They must be in school by 8.50am (which is when the school gates close). Any child arriving after this will be marked late and parents will need to sign them in using the monitor outside the school office. The school day finishes at 3.20pm Monday to Thursday and 2pm on a Friday. Children who are not collected on time will be sent over to Leading light club and parents will be charged.
- **Dogs**— Dogs are not to be brought onto school premises at any time.
- **Celebration Assembly**—You will be notified if your child has been awarded writer of the week and star of the week and will be invited into school to attend the assembly. Parents are not invited into school for completed reward charts or outside achievement awards due to lack of space.
- **Photographs**— A polite reminder that **no photographs** are to be taken during Celebration Assembly or anywhere on school premises. We have a strict policy to safeguard all of our children. Thank you for your co-operation with this.
- **Food Bank**—A reminder that any parent that would like to access this service or who may need some financial support can contact the school on our confidential email address: family@ssptrpl.net
- **Operation Encompass**—SS Peter & Paul is an Operation Encompass School, working closely with West Midlands Police to identify and support victims of Domestic Abuse. We remain vigilant and urge anyone suffering domestic abuse to contact the school or Police for help.
- **Birmingham Local Offer**—This link to Birmingham's Local SEN offer website provides information and support for families with children who have any special educational needs or disabilities. Take a look. www.localofferbirmingham.co.uk
- **SENCo**—Mrs Calvert-Lyons will be holding her next SENCO drop in morning on Friday 22nd November from 9.15—10.15 am. Please contact the school office if you require an appointment. If you have any SEND concerns regarding your child please contact Mrs Calvert – Lyons on the SENCo email which is senco@ssptrpl.net
- **Children's Liturgy**— This takes place every Sunday at 9.30am Mass and is available to all primary aged children. This group is run by volunteer parishoners who are all DBS checked. All children are wel-

IMPORTANT DIARY DATES

- **Monday 18th November**—Movie Night 3.30-5pm
- **Wednesday 20th November**—Movie Night 3.30-5pm
- **Thursday 21st November**—Y3 Mass
- **Friday 22nd November**—Non-uniform Day
- **Friday 29th November**—Non-uniform Day
- **Friday 29th November**—Year 3 Assembly
- **Thursday December 5th**—Year 4 Mass
- **Friday December 6th**—Christmas Fayre
- **Tuesday 10th December**—Y3 Reconciliation
- **Wednesday 11th December**—KS1 Production 2pm
- **Thursday KS1 Production** 9.15am
- **Tuesday 17th December**—KS2 Carol Concert 6pm
- **Wednesday 18th December**—Christmas Dinner and Elfridges
- **Thursday 19th December**—Y5 Mass
- **Thursday 19th December**—KS1 and KS2 Christmas Parties
- **Friday 20th December**—Break Up

TRAINING DAYS

6th January 2025
24th February 2025
28th April 2025
MAC training Day—TBC

AFTER SCHOOL

Tuesday - Football Yr 5 & Yr 6 3:20pm-4:20pm
Thursday— Irish Dancing 3:20pm—4:20pm
Thursday— Girls Football 3:20 – 4:20pm
Friday— Football Yr 3 & Yr 4 2pm-3pm

- **P.E. Kits**—Children should only wear plain **black** tracksuit bottoms and tops, with a pair of black shorts and the t-shirt colour of their house team.
- **Water Bottles**—Please ensure that all children have a labelled water bottle in school every day. These are to be filled with water only. Squash is not permitted in school.
- **Earrings**—a reminder that earrings are **not allowed** to be worn in school and children will be asked to remove them if they are wearing them. Children are permitted to wear plastic retainers in their ears.
- **Uniform**— Please ensure that children are wearing sensible shoes. These shoes must be black. **Children are not permitted to wear trainers**, unless it is their PE day. Please ensure all uniform is labelled.
- **Hair**—A reminder that **all long hair should be tied back**. Large hair bows and head bands are not permitted, hair bands and ties should be kept simple. Fashion hair cuts and lines shaved into hair are also not allowed. Please refer to the schools uniform policy or ask at the school office if you are unsure.

Bookworm

Karis Awagu, Olivier Bak

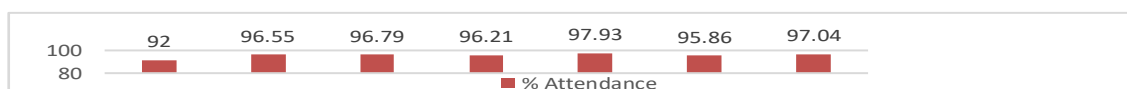


Writers of the Week

Reception - Malachi Kabongo
Year 1 - Bethany McMahon
Year 2 - Marcus Murtagh
Year 3 - Baran Samiee
Year 4 - Tilly Porter
Year 5 - Skylar Barrett
Year 6 - Oliwia Wadowska



Attendance this Week 96.79%



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



**Jaxon Reavley, Aneya Myooran, Oliwia Wadowska,
Ayden Ward.**

'STARS OF THE WEEK'

Congratulations to these children for being awarded Star of the Week:

Reception — Tashay Byfield
Year 1 — Faith Dempsey
Year 2 — Isabella Roe
Year 3 — Cristian Lontani
Year 4 — Pola Hara
Year 5 — Noah Balogun
Year 6 — Filip Klaja



Reward Chart

Carter Pointon-Meah, Emaleeya Savva Stanley, Tommy Conway, Gabriella Kawalek, Patryk Eltringham, Lulia Elias, Deion Gjoka, Noah Balogun, Luke Keenan, Roselyn Lufua, Roman Mytton, Grace Brooks, Esmail Allen, Isabella Malone, Dolce Fuller, Amel Tayeb, Isabella Roe, Finely Cardell, Kristopher Khera, Alice Bradley, Oliwia Wadowska, Poppy Porter, Sofia Balogun, Georgie Sullivan, Oliver Grajoszek-Leszczynski.

House Points

St. Peter - 162
St. Paul - 168
Our Lady - 193
St. Joseph - 180

**Congratulations !!!
Our Lady Weekly Winners.**

ERDINGTON RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB

MINIS & JUNIORS SECTION

**WE ARE RECRUITING ALL AGE GROUPS
FOR CONTACT AND TOUCH RUGBY!**



If your child is interested in rugby and/or you are just looking for a great outdoor sport activity, please come to Gallagher's Rugby Club of the Season 2019/20 and get involved or email us on the address below.

M&J TRAINING SESSIONS ARE ON EACH SUNDAY AT 10:30AM

**OUR CLUB IS LOCATED AT:
SPRING LANE PLAYING FIELDS, KINGSBURY ROAD,
ERDINGTON, BIRMINGHAM B24 9NF**

**FREE MEMBERSHIP FOR ALL
UNDER 18!**

For more information, contact us on:
info@erfc.uk

The SEND Local Offer website - support, information & advice for SEND, all in one place



Birmingham
City Council



www.localofferbirmingham.co.uk



BIRMINGHAM
CHILDREN'S TRUST



Dinner Rota

Monday	3	4	5	6
Tuesday	4	5	6	3
Wednesday	5	6	3	4
Thursday	6	3	4	5
Friday	Alternate order in each week			

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LEARN PANTOSAURUS' FIVE EASY RULES FOR STAYING SAFE



PRIVATES ARE PRIVATE

Your underwear covers up your private parts and no one should ask to see or touch them. Sometimes a doctor, nurse or family members might have to. But they should always explain why, and ask you if it's OK first. Remember, what's in your pants belongs only to you.



ALWAYS REMEMBER YOUR BODY BELONGS TO YOU

No one should ever make you do things that make you feel embarrassed or uncomfortable. If someone asks to see or tries to touch you underneath your underwear say 'NO' – and tell someone you trust and like to speak to.



NO MEANS NO

You always have the right to say 'no' – even to a family member or someone you love. You're in control of your body and the most important thing is how YOU feel. If you want to say 'No', it's your choice.



TALK ABOUT SECRETS THAT UPSET YOU

There are good secrets and bad secrets. If a secret makes you feel sad or worried, it's bad – and you should tell an adult you trust about it straight away.



SPEAK UP, SOMEONE CAN HELP

It's always good to talk about stuff that makes you upset. If you're worried, go and tell a grown up you trust – like a family member, teacher or one of your friend's parents. They'll say well done for speaking out and help make everything OK. You can also call Childline on **0800 1111** and someone will always be there to listen.



Remember all of these rules and they'll help you stay safe, just like Pantosaurus

