

St. Bernard's Weekly



Catholic Primary School & Nursery. News

Friday 25th September

INSET

A reminder that our school & nursery is closed next Friday, 2nd October for Staff Training.

ASC

After School clubs do not need to be booked as far in advance now as we have staff in place for each bubble, You can still use the app to do this.

However no bookings will be taken for "on the day" after 12 noon. Please ensure all attendance is paid for in a timely manner. Thank you.



100 Club

Please support our school by buying one (or more) numbers. Information is attached to the newsletter. Cash prizes each month. All profits for resources to be spent on our children.

Phonics in Dolphins Class

We had hoped to be able to hold a phonics information evening in October showing how you can help your child with phonics at home. BUT as you are aware we are unable to do so.

On Monday we will be sending out links to a very useful phonics video that will explain how phonics is taught in school.

We will follow this up on Wednesday by sending out more information.

Nursery

Has anyone got any old pots, pans or kitchen utensils etc they would be happy to donate to our nursery for the children to use in their mud kitchen?



PSHE

In November we are having a **PSHE (Personal, Social, Health & Economic Education)** week to coincide with anti- bullying week and world kindness day.

We plan to cover the following areas :

- Bullying including online bullying - Keeping yourself safe online
- World Kindness
- Mindfulness and relaxation
- Sanctuary
- Health

Usually we would plan some whole school events but this year we will just work in our bubbles.

If there is anything else that you think would be useful for us to look at during that week please let us know.

Primary & Secondary Admissions

There are details on our website about how to **apply online** for a school place for September 2021. If you know anyone whose child turns 4 in the next school year please let them know.

As we are unable to have our Open Afternoon & Evening we have available 15 minute appointments for parents to come & look around school when our children have left for the day. If you know anyone who would like to come & look around please ask them to contact us.

If your child is in Year 6 then you need to apply online with your choice of High School – ensure a copy of your child's baptismal certificate is sent to the Catholic high school of your choice (if applicable) & you receive a receipt for this.

Deadlines - Secondary 31 October 2020 & Primary 15 January 2021

Tudor Day

This week Bears class had an amazing day when Lady Anne came to visit us. The children travelled back in time with her to 1560 to learn about Tudor times & dressed up and looked at various artefacts. They also learnt how to write with a quill and ink, and made pomander necklaces.

Thank you for the support of all the parents, who sponsored the children in a mini skills challenge. Without their very generous contributions, it would not have been possible to have our Tudor day.

STARS OF THE WEEK

Ducklings: Meleah
Dolphins: Charlie & Amelia
Seahorses: Peter & Miley
Sharks: Freddie & Oscar
Penguins: Dylan
Bears: Dominic & Reaghan
Leopards: Zac & Abigail
Tigers: Elliott & Millie
Lions: Maya & Joshua

Class Star Attendance:
Bears 100%

