

St Patrick's News



Autumn Term Week Five
Friday 3rd October

I can't quite believe that we are in October already and a whole month of the school year has passed.

Firstly, all of our thoughts and prayers are with those affected by the shocking incident in Crumpsall yesterday. I understand that people may be worried after this but want to reassure you all that school remains very safe. We will keep working with the council, police and other professionals to make sure that our children stay as safe as they can be.

Lots of great things happened in school this week. Our GIFT Team led the whole school on a creation walk today - you can find out more about that in this newsletter.

Have a great weekend

Attendance

Well done to YEAR FOUR for having the best attendance this week.

Letters will be sent next week where attendance is a concern at the start of the year

Non-uniform days

We have two non-uniform days over the next two weeks. On Friday 10th, children can come in their own clothes and we are asking for a donation of canned or dried foods for our harvest. On Friday 17th, we are asking for a donation of £1 towards our school fund.

Creation Walk

"On Friday, we led all of the children in school on a Creation Walk around our school grounds to explain why God's creation is so special and why we should treat it with respect. As Saturday is the feast day of St Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of nature, it has been a great opportunity to follow in his footsteps. At St Patrick's we know that we should care for the creation just as he did."

The GIFT Team - Milan, Brian, James, Analise, Cyiarra, Esther, Olivia and Daniel.

Dates coming up...

6th Oct: Open Afternoon (1.30pm)

10th & 17th: Rosary at 8.30am

9th Oct - Y3 Sacramental Programme Meeting at 6.30pm at St Patrick's Church

10th October: Non-uniform day - Harvest items

12th Oct - Presentation Mass for Sacramental Programme - 9.15am in St Patrick's Church

17th Oct - Non-uniform Day - £1 donation to school fund. School closes at 3.15pm

October - Month of the Rosary



October is a month dedicated to the Rosary. On Friday 10th and Friday 17th October, we will be praying the Rosary before school at 8.30am, in the Library. Families are invited to join us as we pray together.

Open Afternoon

We have an Open Afternoon coming up at St Patrick's on Monday 6th October. This is for parents who have children starting school next September or the September afterwards. Please pass this on to anyone you know who may be looking for a school place.

Parent Governor Wanted

The governing board are looking for a parent from St Patrick's to sit on the schools governors and help to lead the school forward. You do not need any experience and all of your training will be provided. This is a great way of serving our community and ensuring school continues to improve. If you are interested in knowing more, please speak to Mr McMahon on the gate or contact the school office.