



Living and Learning Together—Shining in our Faith

St. Mary's News

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NSPCC Visit

The NSPCC visited St. Mary's again this week. This time it was to deliver a workshop entitled "Speak Out—Stay Safe". Our children were asked to explore the themes of personal safety and inappropriate behaviour. The St. Mary's pupils engaged very well with Eric and Lynne, entering into excellent discussions with their classmates.

Well done Year 5 and Year 6



St. Mary's Catholic Primary School

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Parent Teacher Evenings

The Autumn Term Pupil Progress evenings will take place next week. If you have not received an appointment time, please complete the pro-forma below. Reception class appointments will be on Tuesday, 17th only. Please do your best to attend so you can discuss how your child has settled into the new school year.



Activity After School Clubs

The activity after school clubs on Tuesday and Wednesday next week are cancelled due to Parents Evening.



A Message from Pope Francis

"Put your faith in all those who still work for good".

(via [@Pontifex](https://twitter.com/Pontifex))

IMPORTANT DATES

Parent Teacher Evenings

Tues. 17th & Wed. 18th Oct.

PTA

Spooky Bingo

Wed. 25th October at 3.30pm

Half Term

30th Oct to 3rd Nov.

End of Term

Fri. 22nd Dec

at 2.00pm



Cookery Club News

Tuesday this week was "Muffin Night" with our young chefs cooking up a selection of chocolate chip muffins to take home. Well done to everyone involved— next time it's Malteser Cake!

Stars of the Week

Each week we will be letting you know the names of the children who have been

Special Award

Matilda
Pippa
Ava
Harry N
Harry P
Nile
Isobel

Good Work Award

Troy
Jobe
James
Cameron
Alex C
Flynn
Paddy

Parent Governor Election

A reminder that the closing date for nominations for the Parent Governor Election is Tuesday, 17th October at 12 noon. Please have a look at the information and if you are interested in being nominated or require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact either myself or Mrs. Marshall for further details.

Headteacher's Award

Ruby
Lewis B



Birthdays

Over the coming week, we celebrate birthdays for:

Marlee Sonny Samuel



Archdiocese Levy

Many of you will be aware that as a Catholic school all children are required to pay a levy to the Archdiocese. The levy is used to pay for key Archdiocese officers, such as advisors, building surveyors and financial personnel. As a school we have benefitted significantly from the services of the Archdiocese over recent years. I therefore feel it is very important that we continue to pay the levy. The levy is £10 per family and I would be grateful if this could be sent into school as soon as possible to enable your contributions to be allocated accordingly.



Thank you to those parents who have already paid

Flu Vaccination

Consent forms were sent recently to all children in the Reception Class to Year 4. Please complete and return either one of the forms with your permissions as soon as possible. We will let you know when the vaccine is to be administered to the children.

Mathematician of the Week

This week our 'Star Mathematician' is Alex in Year 5 for his excellent work on division.

Well done Alex keep up the good work



Cross Country False Start

Unfortunately the Ormskirk District Cross Country Match was cancelled on Thursday this week. Although disappointed, our children took part in an extra training session to prepare for the re-arranged event. Well done runner.

Parent Teacher Evenings

Name of Child: Class Teacher:

I would prefer an appointment on Tues. 17th Wed. 18th Either Day

At: 3.30pm 4.00pm 4.30pm 5.00pm 5.30pm 6.00pm Anytime

Signed:

After School Club—Booking Form

If you would like to reserve a place at the St. Mary's After School Club: Sessions run from 3.20 pm to 5.00pm, costs £3.50 per child and until 6.00pm the cost is £5.00 per child, and includes a drink of juice and a snack/biscuit. Cheques to St. Mary's please.

W/C: 16th October	Until 5.00pm	Until 6.00pm
Monday, 16th		
Tuesday, 17th		
Wednesday, 18th		
Thursday, 19th		
Friday, 20th		

W/C: 23rd October	Until 5.00pm	Until 6.00pm
Monday, 23rd		
Tuesday, 24th		
Wednesday, 25th		
Thursday, 26th		
Friday, 27th		






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★ PUMPKIN CARVING COMPETITION ★
Wednesday 25th October



-  Bring your already carved pumpkin in on the morning of Wednesday 25th October to the hall.
-  Prizes for each year group.
-  Winners for each year will be announced at Spooky Bingo that evening.
-  Please only use small/medium pumpkins.
-  If you want to light your pumpkin up, please use battery operated lights not a naked flame.