

ST COLUMBA'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Week Commencing 13th November 2017

PE Kits

As mentioned in last weeks newsletter, a number of children are missing out on PE lessons. Please can parents/carers ensure that your child brings their full kit into school with them every day. Children can leave PE kits in school if they would like to. A full PE kit must include: PE top, PE shorts and trainers or pumps
Children are not allowed to wear school shoes for PE lessons.



**DON'T
FORGET
YOUR
PE
KIT**



Christmas Craft Fair

As part of year 4's enterprise initiative, Mrs Dunne and our year 4 children would like to invite you in on Thursday 16th November 2017 for a Christmas Craft Fair. It will be in the Family Room between 3:15pm—4:15pm. All pupils and parents are welcome. Only a small amount of certain products will be available to buy on the day but we will be taking orders for the following:

Santa Plates

Personalised Baubles

Santa Milk Bottles

Santa Letters

Festive Christmas Tea Light Holders

With prices starting from only 60p, make sure you don't miss out on your chance to stock up on some Christmas essentials.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION PARENTS EVENING

Unfortunately, due to unforeseen circumstances, we have no choice but to **postpone** the parents evenings scheduled for **Tuesday 14th November** and **Wednesday 15th November** to **Tuesday 21st November** and **Wednesday 22nd November**.

The time allocations will **stay exactly the same**; it will just be **a week later**.

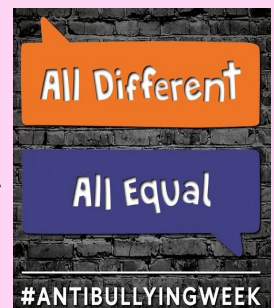
We sincerely apologise for any inconvenience this may bring. If you cannot attend your meeting the following week, please contact the school office and the class teacher will endeavour to meet you another time.

Thank you in anticipation of your continued support and again sincerest apologies.

Anti-Bullying Week

(13/11/2017-17/11/2017)

This week is anti-bullying week and we will be having a number of workshops and activities taking place throughout school all week.



Don't forget to wear spots and bring in your donation on Friday 17th November for Children in Need.
(50p per child/£1 per family)



ATTENDANCE

This Weeks Maths Challenge

Above 97%	96% - 97%	Under 96%
Exceeding Target	On Target	Below Target
Class	Graded	%
Reception		96.6
Class 1		96.3
Class 2		97.9
Class 3		96.3
Class 4		97
Class 5		98.4
Class 6		92.9
WHOLE SCHOOL		96.6



Sundae £1.10



Lolly 50p



Ice cream cone £1.05

You have £5 to spend what will you buy and how much change will you have? How many different answers can you make?

Winners

The award for the best class goes to Year 5 with 98.4% **WELL DONE!!**



Punctuality

In total we had **49** pupils arrive late to school last week.



Solihull Approach Parenting Programme

Miss Lorraine will be introducing the Solihull Approach Parenting Programme to parents for 2 weeks and more sessions to run after Christmas. We will be focusing on the parent/child relationship. If you would like further information or to take part in the group, please contact Miss Lorraine

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

TUESDAY	GLEE CLUB will be back to normal on 21st November 2017 TIMES/TIME TABLES will be back to normal on 28th November 2017		
THURSDAY	DANCE	YEARS 3/4/5/6	3:15-4:15

IMPORTANT DATES

<u>Monday 13th November</u>	National School Meal Day
<u>Tuesday/Wednesday 21st/22nd November</u>	Parents Evening
<u>Thursday 23rd November</u>	Year5/6 Mass at St Columba's
<u>Thursday 14th December 2017</u>	<u>Infant Christmas Play</u>
<u>Friday 15th December 2017</u>	Christmas parties
<u>Tuesday 19th December</u>	9:15am School Carol Service in Church
<u>Wednesday 20th December</u>	School Christmas Dinner
<u>Thursday 21st December 2017</u>	Break for Christmas 2pm