

ST COLUMBA'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Week Commencing 27th November 2017

MOVIE NIGHT

The Year 4 Enterprise, Christmas Movie Night, will be held on Thursday 7th December between 3:15pm—4:30pm. Tickets will be available to purchase once your child has returned the permission slip to Mrs Dunne. The cost of a ticket is £1.50 and this includes, the movie, popcorn, chocolate lolly pop and a drink.



Supporting our community since 1881

The votes are in and our wonderful St Columba's children have decided that this year, the charity that we would like to support is Nugent Care. Nugent Care do so much to help our school all year round, so this year we would like to try and give back. We will be fund raising in school with various different activities and events. However, we would be extremely grateful if parents could make donations too. We are hoping to collect gifts such as; books, games, bubble bath or gift sets for any ages. Gifts can be brought to the main office and they do not need to be wrapped. These gifts will be donated to children who may not receive anything else for Christmas this year. We thank you in advance and all staff at St Columba's are tremendously grateful for all of your continued generosity.



We would like to welcome all Nursery parents/carers into school on Thursday 30th November for our Nursery Performance which will be followed by Christmas Card making. For more card making dates, please see the back of this newsletter.



LATENESS

Well done to all children



who attended school on time every day last week. We have seen a slight improvement in punctuality. However, 10 hours of learning time was still missed due to pupils arriving to school late. Please ensure your child arrives in school at 8:50am every morning.



PARENTS EVENING

Thank you to all parents who attended parents evening last week. If you missed your appointment, please contact the school office to rearrange.

ATTENDANCE

Above 97%	96% - 97%	Under 96%
Exceeding Target	On Target	Below Target
Class	Graded	%
Reception		80.4
Class 1		97.3
Class 2		95
Class 3		96.3
Class 4		98.9
Class 5		92
Class 6		91.4
WHOLE SCHOOL		93.3

Winners

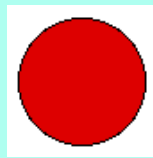
The award for the best class goes to Year 4 with 98.9%

WELL DONE!!



This Weeks Maths Challenge

Match the shape to the name.



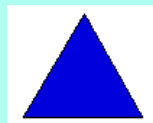
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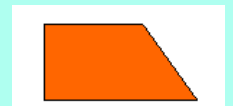
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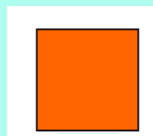
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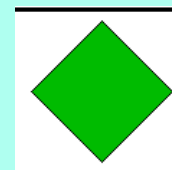
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PARALLELOGRAM



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

TUESDAY	TIMES/TIME TABLES	YEARS 3/4/5/6	3:30-4:00
TUESDAY	GLEE CLUB	YEARS 3/4/5/6	3:15-4:00
THURSDAY	DANCE	YEARS 3/4/5/6	3:15-4:15



IMPORTANT DATES



<u>Thursday 30th November</u>	Nursery Christmas Card Making
<u>Tuesday 5th December</u>	Year 3 Christmas Card Making
<u>Wednesday 6th December</u>	Year 4 Christmas Card Making
<u>Tuesday 12th December</u>	Year 5 Christmas Card Making
<u>Thursday 14th December 2017</u>	<u>Infant</u> Christmas Play
<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