



St. John the Baptist Catholic Primary School

We will prepare the way by loving, living and learning with the Lord

9th October

Newsletter No. 6

Dear Parents/ Carers,

This half term's keys to happiness and well-being are:

Trying Out Keep learning new things	Meaning Be part of something bigger
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Dates for your diary - October		
Thurs 15 th October	From 3.30pm	Parents' Consultation Evening
Friday 16 th October	9.30am	Mass led by Year Two
Monday 19 th October	All week	Well-Being Week
Friday 23 rd October	All day	School closed (staff training day)

Parents' Evening

Our first parents' evening of the year will take place on Thursday 15th October. Please ensure you have signed up for an appointment on the list next to your child's classroom door.

Netball

A huge well done to our netball team, who played brilliantly this week against St Margaret & St Mary's. We won 5 – 2 but importantly Mrs Taroni also highlighted their fantastic team work too.

Kitchen Update

Thank you all for bearing with us during the refurbishment of our school kitchen. The main works have now been completed and we are now able to offer hot pasta dishes and baguette choices again. We are just waiting for a new servery and should be fully operational again within the next two weeks.

Healthy Break Time Snacks

Can we politely remind you that children should only bring fruit for their morning snack. Lately we have noticed that some children have been taking crisps and sweets from their lunch box and eating them early in the playground. Whilst we would encourage all families to prepare healthy lunchboxes, please ensure that a separate healthy snack is provided.

Lunch Time Supervisor Role

We wish to appoint an additional lunch time supervisor. If you are interested in applying for the job or wish to find out more details, please ask at our school office. Thank you

Harvest Mass

As part of our mission to serve our local community we would like to collect some food items for local families who are less fortunate. To prepare for our Harvest Mass next Friday, we would really appreciate donations of tea, coffee, sugar, biscuits and tinned food. These will then be donated to a local food bank. Thank you for your support.



Birthdays

Happy birthday this week to: Daniel M, Michael B.

Attendance

Our school strives for 100% attendance. This week the class with the highest attendance was Year 3 with 99.3% Well done!

Ready to Learn Award

Congratulations, our most punctual class this week was Year 5.



Stars of the Week

Congratulations to Freya C in Rec. and Misha K in Year 6, we're all really proud of you!

Have a lovely weekend

Yours sincerely
I. Gallagher

Mr I. Gallagher
Headteacher

A Harvest Reflection

*Creator of seed and mountain,
of raindrop and fountain.
We bring our offering of praise.
God of right and God of might
God of the rich and homeless
We bring our offering of praise*

