



All Souls' School Newsletter

"Christ is our Light"

w/e 16th October 2015

Y5 & 6 Class Mass

Please join Y5 & 6 at their class Mass
9.15am Tuesday 20th Oct

Y3 Parents

The next Sacramental meeting will be 6pm, **Mon 19th October** in the Parish Room

Half Term

Children will break up for half term on
Thurs 22nd Oct, 3:15pm. Children should return to school **Mon 2nd Nov**.

Feast of All Souls

Monday 2nd Nov, the first day back to school after the half term holiday is the feast of All Souls, a very special day for our school and parish. Please join the whole school at 9.15am Mass. Reception children will also join us at this Mass.

School Closed

Please note the next teacher training day is **Friday 23rd October** when the school will be closed.

Future teacher training days when the school is closed are:

Friday 12th February 2016

Friday 27th May 2016

Wednesday 20 July 2016

School Office Closed

Please note, the school office is being refurbished during the half term break. This work will begin on Friday 23rd Oct. Consequently, the office will be **closed** all day **Thurs 22nd Oct and Mon 2nd Nov** so that it can be cleared and then set up again, once the work has been completed. Can you please help by making any general enquiries before or after these dates.

Also phone lines will be disconnected, therefore if you need to contact the school urgently, please use the mobile number 07914045671. We are sorry for the inconvenience this will cause.

Football Match

The football team are playing a home match against St John Vianney 3.15pm
Monday 19th Oct. Please come along to support if you can.

Y1 & 2 Flu Jab

Just a reminder, children in Y1 & 2 will receive the flu jab in school on **Monday 19th October**.

Cash & Forms

Please note, when returning cash and consent forms please return **both together** as currently we are receiving slips without money and money without slips. This is causing a huge amount of unnecessary work. Also, please ensure money and slips are sent in a named envelope.

If you have any spare envelopes would you please donate them to school. Thank you.

Returning Clothing

Occasionally children have toileting accidents in school. We are happy to sort them and put clean underwear on. If this happens to your child, please could we ask that the underwear is washed and returned to school.

PE Kit

The school policy is that children should have their own PE kit in school and not 'borrow' kit from other children. There have been a couple of occasions this term where children have taken it upon themselves to borrow kit from other children and then either not returned the kit or returned it in less than satisfactory condition. The children have all been told in assembly today that they are **not** to borrow kit and that we have kit (not the best) that they can use. The main message is that they should all have their own kit in school ready for lessons.

Cov FabLab?

FabLab Coventry is a not-for-profit partnership between Coventry University, Coventry City Council, the University of Warwick, and numerous other partners from the private and voluntary sectors.

Cov FabLab is financed through a combination of partner donations, membership fees, grant funding, volunteering, and a modest income from fees for materials and machine use. However, we have a "sweat equity" policy that means that volunteering counts towards the use of machines and membership fees.

It's important to us that Cov Fab Lab is created by the people of Coventry for the people of Coventry. Please help us make it happen by coming to our Cov Fab Lab co-creation event

What is a Fab Lab?

A FabLab (fabrication laboratory) is a small-scale workshop with a range of equipment and tools, with the aim to make "almost anything". FabLabs encourage sharing information and ideas. Cov FabLab includes:

- Computer aided design (CAD) modelling
- Laser cutter
- 3-axis CNC milling machines
- 3D printer
- Printed circuit board milling
- Microprocessor and digital electronics design, assembly, and test stations
- equipment and materials for sewing and casting

For more information please visit www.coventry.ac.uk/CovFabLab or to register email Sinead Ouilon: s.ouillon@coventry.ac.uk

PTA Notices

Thank you to everyone whose children have signed up for Cinema Night tonight. We hope they have a lovely time. **Please collect your child from the School Hall at 5.15 pm.** Thanks also to the parents and staff who are helping to supervise this event, your support is much appreciated.

The next meeting will take place on **Tuesday 10th November**, 6.30 pm at the Maudslay.

Christmas Gifts

We will be giving children the chance to purchase their own gifts for parents this Christmas. The PTA will be in school on **Friday 6th November** with a selection of gifts for mums & dads. The children are asked to bring in £2.50 for each gift they wish to purchase. Presents will then be wrapped and stored safely until the children bring them home during the last week of term. A letter with further information will follow next week.

Christmas Bazaar

The Bazaar will be taking place this year on **Saturday 5th December** between 12 - 2 pm. If you are interested in having a stall of your own, please contact either the PTA or the School Office with details. Stalls cost £10 plus donation of a prize. Please let us know by **Friday 6th November**.

Thank you.

Attendance

Year group attendance for the week beginning 12th October 2015

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
96.13%	96%	97.33%	99.33%	98%	98%	97.67%

Whole school attendance: 97%

Overall school attendance since Sep 2015: 96.86%

Next Week...

Mon 19th Oct	Morning	Flu Jab	Y1 & 2
	12.10 – 12.40pm	Basketball Club	Y2,3,4,5 & 6
	12:30 – 1pm	Gardening Club	Y3 – 6
	12:30 – 1pm	Recorder Club	Y4 – 6
	3.15 – 4.15pm	Football Club	Y5 – 6
	3.15 – 4.30pm	Cookery Club	Y4
Tues 20th Oct	9.15am	Class Mass	Y5 & 6
	12.00 – 12.30pm	Dance Club	Y1 & 2
	12.30 -1.00pm	Ballroom & Latin Dance	Y3,4,5 & 6
	3.15 – 4.15pm	Netball Club	Y5 & 6
Weds 21st Oct	8.00 – 8.40am	Running Club & Toast!	Y1 - 6
	12.30 – 1.00pm	Cards Club	Y3,4,5 & 6
	12.30 – 1.00pm	Homework Club	Y1 -6
	12.30 – 1.00pm	Street Dance	Y5 & 6
	3.15 - 4.15pm	Tennis Club	Y3,4,5 & 6
Thurs 22nd Oct	12.30 – 1.00pm	Choir	Y2,3,4,5 & 6
	3.15 – 4.15pm	Computer Club	Y3 & 4
Fri 23rd Oct	SCHOOL CLOSED – TEACHER TRAINING DAY		

Thank you for your continuing support

Caroline Quinn,
Headteacher