



# All Souls' School Newsletter

## "Christ is our Light"

w/e 04<sup>th</sup> March 2016

### Lenten Charities

#### Y1 & 2 Big Breakfast for Cancer Research

On **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March**, we are asking Y1 and 2 to bring in £1 so they can enjoy a lovely breakfast hosted by Miss Cowley and Mrs McGovern. Children should come to school at normal time and all proceeds will be going to Cancer Research.

#### Myton Hospice- Teddy on Tour

We are still excitedly waiting for lots of photos of your wonderful 'Teddy on Tour' activities! Please send all photos to [caroline.quinn@allsoulsschool.co.uk](mailto:caroline.quinn@allsoulsschool.co.uk) and they will be shown on the school website. All sponsor money will go to Myton Hospice to support the fantastic work they do. If you need more information on this charity challenge, please see last week's newsletter

### Half Marathon

We are so very proud of all children and staff that participated in the Coventry Half Marathon School's Challenge. The children did so well and thoroughly enjoyed the event. A big congratulations to Ryan in Y6 who came 2<sup>nd</sup> out of all children participating!

### Sports Results & Fixtures

**Football:** Congratulations to our team on their 3-0 win v. Corpus Christi. Good luck for your match v. St Thomas More tonight and also for their game v Our Lady's on **Fri 11<sup>th</sup> March**.

**Netball Team:** Well done to the team for their 11-6 win v Holy Family earlier this week! Keep it up!

**Boys Cross Country:** Our cross country team did a fabulous job at the weekend, well done to all involved! Again, an extra congratulations to Ryan in Y6 for coming 2<sup>nd</sup>!

### Y1 Assembly

Thank you to all parents that attended Y1's beautiful Mother's Day Assembly. The children did a fabulous job and we hope you all have a very special Motherina Sunday.

### Y3 Sacramental Meeting

The next Sacramental meeting for Y3 parents will be on **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March at 6pm** in the Parish room.

### Alton Castle

We hope all our Y5 children are excited for their trip to Alton Castle on **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March**. The coach will be leaving at approximately 2pm and parents are welcome to come to school to say goodbye.

Please have a last minute run-through of the kit list and make sure your child has wellies, lots of warm clothes and any medication they may require.

They will be returning on **Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March** at around 4pm. We will be notifying parents of our safe arrival and return via the school website and twitter. As stated in the most recent letter, there will be no phone tree. We can't wait to begin our adventure!

### St Patricks Donations

As it is nearing the big day, we are asking if you would kindly donate prizes for raffle and auction at the St Patrick's Day Coffee Morning on **Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> March at 9.15am**. All donations you make will contribute to making the morning very special and will be greatly appreciated!

### Club Cancellations

Running club will be cancelled next week and will start again after Easter.

Computer club cancelled Thurs.

Gaelic football after school is cancelled for the foreseeable future.

### Night Shelters

A massive thank you to all those children and parents who have made donations of tea, coffee, soup, biscuits etc to the Churches of Coventry night shelters for the homeless. You really have been so generous and the volunteers have asked to pass on their thanks too, it is really appreciated. Please keep it coming.

### Good Shepherd Appeal

During Lent each year, the Father Hudson charity delivers 'Good Shepherd Appeal' boxes for children to take home and save the money they would normally spend on sweets and treats. These boxes will be sent home with the children today and we'd be very grateful if you could fill them with loose change to help support the charity.

### PTA Latest News

Thank you to everyone who supported our Cinema Night and Mother's Day Gift Ordering Service last week. We really do appreciate your contributions! Many thanks to the PTA parent helpers who gave up their time to help make these events run so smoothly! All the gifts have been distributed today - we do hope that you are happy with your children's choices, we had some very discerning customers and some very amusing discussions with them! They were all so polite and well-mannered and they are a credit to you all. It was a pleasure doing business with them!

Our Next Meeting takes place on **Monday 11th April** - 6.30 pm at the Maudslay.

### Mud Run Money

Just a reminder to please bring in any sponsorship money for the Mud Run as soon as possible. Thank you!

### Coventry Recycling Club

The Coventry Recycling Club encourages families to recycle more at home and is funded by the government and run by Coventry City Council. Please see the attached poster encouraging families to join the Coventry Recycling Club. In doing so, you have the chance of winning a family trip to the Sea Life Centre and £600 for the school. Also if 15% of our families sign up the school is awarded a much needed £50, if 30% sign up we would be awarded £100 and we would be entered into a £500 draw. [recyclingchampions@coventry.gov.uk](mailto:recyclingchampions@coventry.gov.uk).

**Please take five minutes to sign up, help our school and the environment!!**

## ATTENDANCE

Year group attendance for the week beginning 29th<sup>D</sup> February 2016.

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
88.39%	88.33%	81.03%	90.32%	86%	94.29%	98.67%

Whole school attendance: 88.85%

Overall school attendance since Sep 2015: 96.18 %

### Next Week...

#### Monday 29<sup>th</sup>

12.30 – 1.00pm	Y3,4,5 & 6	Gardening Club
12.30 - 1.00pm	Y2,3,4,5 & 6	Basketball Club
12.30 – 1.00pm	Y4,5 & 6	Recorder Club
3.15 – 4.15pm	Y5 & 6	Football Club
3.15 – 4.30pm		Cookery Club

#### Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup>

12.00-12.30pm	Y1 & 2	Dance Club
12.30- 1.00pm	Y5 & 6	Street Dance
12.30-3.00pm	Y4	Swimming
3.15- 4.15pm	Y5 & 6	Netball Club
3.15 -7.30pm		Parent Consultation Evening

#### Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup>

8.10- 8.40am	All year groups	Running Club
12.30-1.00pm	Y3,4,5 & 6	Ballroom & Latin
12.30-1.00pm	Y3,4,5 & 6	Cards Club
12.30-1.00pm	Y1,2,3,4,5 & 6	Homework Club
3.15-4.15pm	Y3,4, 5 & 6	Tennis Club
3.15 -7.30pm		Parent Consultation Evening

#### Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup>

12.30-1.00pm	Y2,3,4,5 & 6	Choir
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#### Friday 4<sup>th</sup>

9.15am	Y1	Mothers' Day Assembly Archery Club
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**Thank you for your continued support.  
Caroline Quinn**

### Spring Term Dates 2016

Date	Time	Event
05/03	9am	Girls Cross Country at Bablake Playing Fields
07/03	2pm	Y5 go to Alton Castle
	6pm	Y3 Sacramental Meeting (Session 7)
08/03	9am	Y6 In-school Penitential Service and Confession
09/03	4pm	Y5 return from Alton Castle
10/03	3.30pm	Cross Country Boys & Girls
13/03	9.15am	Y6 Commitment Mass

Date	Time	Event
14/03		Science Week
		Catholic Swimming Gala at Coventry Sports Centre
		Easter Play Dress Rehearsal
15/03	9am	Y5 In-school Penitential Service and Confession
	1pm	Easter Play
17/03		St Patricks Coffee Morning
19/03	9am	Cross Country Relay at Keresley Grange
20/03	9.30am	Palm Sunday Family Mass

Date	Time	Event
21/03		Y3 First Confessions
22/03	10am	Y1 & 2 Stations of Cross
	10.30am	Y3 & 4 Stations of Cross
	11.00am	Y5 & 6 Stations of Cross
<b>24/03</b>		<b>END OF TERM</b>
25/03		Good Friday
27/03		Easter Sunday