



Newsletter 4

2019/20

This Week

Harvest 'Bake Off'

A huge thank you to those who sent cakes in for the Bake off.

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Friday Newsletter.

Please be aware that you can also view the newsletter on the school website
<https://stjosephs.npcat.org.uk>

Please also view St Joseph's Primary Catholic Voluntary Academy Facebook page for all upcoming events.

Code of Conduct

There is a new NPCAT Student Code of Conduct which we have received and shared this week.

You can see it in classrooms and on our website.

Dear Parents,

Welcome to 'Little Way Week' a week of service inspired by the life of St Therese of Lisieux who remained faithful to God throughout her short life. St Therese is a great model of faith for all people.

Helping our children to grow in faith, to know and to love God, is one of the greatest gifts we can give them. Faith in God transforms how we see the world and helps us to keep growing in our love to each other too.

Faith can 'move mountains' it can free us from anxiety and give us confidence and inner strength.

A family full of faith is a family full of joy.

Month of Mission

Thank you to Mr Scarlett's class for telling us all about Pope Francis' Month of mission.

Pope Francis would like us all to be missionaries during the month of October by following the example of St Therese of Lisieux and carrying out good tasks each day.

Each family should have received a 'Month of Mission' calendar with lots of ideas of how we can be missionaries.

Don't forget!

Mrs Mead's Parent Toddler Group every Tuesday
1:45pm till 3:15pm.

All welcome

Attendance

You should have received a letter from NPCAT outlining 'Attendance' expectations. Please make sure that you inform us if your child needs to be absent. The new term time leave of absence forms are on our website or available from the school office.

Sacred Heart

It was nice to see lots of our Y6 children at Sacred Heart Open Evening last night.

I enjoyed my tour around the school and Dr Caldwell told us lots about his plans and expectations.

Sacred Heart is a great school - as an ex pupil I suppose I would say that!

Uniform

Children should now be in winter uniform. They should be wearing the correct jumpers and cardigans. If you have an issue with these, please let me know or contact Lollypops directly.

East Cleveland Children's Council.

The ECCC had their first meeting at KTS this week where they talked about Rights Respecting Schools which we are working towards. On 20th November it will be 30 years since children's rights were established.

To mark this we would like to work on article 24, 'Every child has a right to good health care, clean water and a clean environment.'

Our councillors would like to invite children to plant a Conker, Acorn or Sycamore seed. So get out and about this weekend bring in any seeds you find!

Miss Horton will help the children to nurture these in the Y1 recyclable greenhouse over winter.



Cross County.

After some fantastic running in last week's first round of the competition, 7 runners qualified for the 2nd round. Our 7 runners ran on Wednesday as part of the East Cleveland Team. All the children ran really well and showed super sportsmanship.

HT Drop in

I will have a drop in session next Friday morning (11th) to discuss any issues, suggestions or concerns that you may have. 8:45am-9:15am

Stars of the Week

Little Joey's - Pippa

FS1- George & Oskar

Y1 - Henry & Holly

Y2 - Bruce & Fiann

Y3 - Freya & Lauren

Y4 - Sam & Scarlett

Y5 - Matthew & Charlie

Y6 - Tyler & Amelia

House Points

St Joseph - 146

St Cuthbert - 117

St Anthony - 140

Our Lady - 129

So the extra playtime goes
to those in St Joseph.

Well done!

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Next Week

Football - Mr Scarlett is taking a group of players to Westgarth tomorrow morning. Good Luck to them!

Tag Rugby

A group of Y6 Boys will take part in a Tag Rugby Festival on Tuesday morning.

The Y6 girls will have their tournament on Thursday the 10th.

EYFS

As part of their topic work, FS children will have a visit from a guide dog on Monday.

Have fantastic weekend.

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Head Teacher