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St. Joseph's Newsletter

FRIDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER 2017

Mass Times

St Agnes: Saturday – 5.30 pm Wednesday – 7.30 pm
Sunday - 11.00 am

St Aidan's: Sunday – 9.30 am

BEST CLASS ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY
Year 1 had the best attendance & punctuality this week. Well done Year 1!!

MR MULCAHEY STEPS DOWN

After 36 years as a governor here at St Joseph's, Mr John Mulcahey has stepped down from his position as Chair. In all his time in this role, Mr Mulcahey has had many significant achievements including appointing Mr Newstead as Head teacher, all our teaching staff and most of our support staff; leading at three successful Ofsted inspections (the last of which being graded outstanding in all areas) three successful archdiocese inspections (the 2013 inspection also graded outstanding in all areas); sporting, singing and acting successes and celebrating our school's 50th anniversary. He has always been a great support to staff, children, families and parish. Mr Mulcahey will remain as a foundation governor and will continue to support the school in this role. Mrs Marion Hughes, who has been our Vice Chair of Governors for 5 years, has been voted into the position of our new Chair. Mrs Hughes has been a member of the governing body since 1998 and will continue to provide the school with strong leadership as well as effective challenge and support. Ms Christine Mudge has been elected as Vice Chair.

PANTOMIME

Children in all classes will be treated to a free pantomime of Robin Hood in school on Tuesday, 14th November.



NASAL FLU VACCINATION FOR CHILDREN IN RECEPTION CLASS, YEAR 1, YEAR 2, YEAR 3 & YEAR 4

The nasal flu vaccination will be given in school to children in Reception Class, Year 1, Year 2, Year 3 and Year 4 whose parents/carers have given their signed consent on:-

Friday, 17th November 2017

NATIONAL SCHOOL MEALS WEEK

National School Meals Week is being celebrated from 13th - 17th November. We will be having an Indian themed day in school on Thursday, 16th November, with chicken curry & rice and samosas. Soup and sandwich will also be available on this day. The cost of a school meal on this day is £1.00 (for junior children only; Reception Class, Year 1 and Year 2 do not pay for school meals, as they are covered by the Universal Free School Meal provision).

PERFORMANCE OF MACBETH

AT KNOWSLEY LEISURE & CULTURE PARK

Children from Year 5 and Year 6 who attend after school drama club will be performing Macbeth at the Shakespeare Schools Festival on Friday, 17th November 2017. The festival is being held at Knowsley Leisure and Culture Park and there will also be performances from other schools in the Knowsley borough. Tickets for the performance are available from Knowsley Leisure & Culture Park at a cost of £9.50 for adults and £7.00 for concessions. Their contact details are:-

Phone:- 0151 443-2200

Website:- <http://www.knowsley.gov.uk/tickets>

Opening Times:- Monday - Friday 8.00 a.m. - 9.00 p.m.

Saturday & Sunday - 9.00 a.m. - 6.00 p.m.

YEAR 6 RETREAT WITH ANIMATE

Animate Youth Ministries are visiting school on Monday, 13th November to spend the day with our Year 6 children. The children will be taking part in confidence building spiritual activities, looking at their gifts and talents with the theme "Let Your Light Shine".