



ST. NORBERT'S  
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Newsletter

13th January 2017

**Article 28: You have the right to an education.**

## New Year Mass

We were delighted to welcome Father Stan and Deacon Dennis to St Norbert's on Wednesday for the celebration of our first School Mass of 2017.

As always, a whole-school Mass at St Norbert's is a very special time and it was wonderful to see and hear our children's keen participation in all aspects of the occasion.

Our thanks, as always, go to our clergy for their support and to Mrs Amess and Miss Bools for their work at school to ensure that all goes smoothly.

## Research Cafe

Our next Research Café is in the school hall on Wednesday, February 22nd from 2pm to 3:15pm. It will be all about 'Teaching for Mastery' and we would love to see as many parents there as possible to find out what this approach is all about and why we are all so enthusiastic about it. As always, you will be very warmly welcomed and refreshments will be served.

## Reception places 2017

The closing date to apply for a Reception place for September 2017 is 12 noon on this Sunday, 15<sup>th</sup> January 2017.

All details and application forms, including for those parents or carers requesting a place based on Faith, are available online at [www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/schooladmissions) or by telephoning 01522 782030.

## SATS Club Reminder

Just a reminder to any Year 6 children who are not yet attending SATS revision club, we currently have 20 at our club and there is always room for more. If you would like to join please sign up at the main school office or speak to Mrs Withers. This club will run throughout Spring Terms 1 and 2.

Thank you to all those who attended this week we had a really productive session- your enthusiasm was excellent!

## Charity Collections



A big thank you to all those who supported our charity fundraising we have received 2 thank you certificates.

## Parking

A reminder that parents should not be parking on the zig zag lines or on the green in Tollgate. Please consider our neighbours when parking to collect the children at the end of the day. The PCSO has been informed and will be visiting in the coming weeks.

## Pupils of the Week



**Reception - Olivia Pagani** for her excellent attitude to learning and developing her own learning further during child initiated learning. Well done!

**Year 1 - Maja Skala** for always being ready for learning and trying her best in all her work.

**Year 2 - Harley Fletcher** for showing good understanding in Science about life processes.

**Year 3 - Emilia Wierzbicka** for her improvement and confidence when using subordinate clauses.

**Year 4 - Gabriela Szeliga** for excellent comprehension skills identifying the features and conventions of fairy tale narratives.

**Year 5 - Liga Poca** for an excellent attitude to learning and being supportive to others.

**Year 6 - Weronika Ragan** for progress in Maths including calculating missing co-ordinates on unlabelled grids.

### Attendance

Week commencing: 9 <sup>th</sup> January 2017						
REC	Yr1	Yr2	Yr3	Yr4	Yr5	Yr6
95.15%	97.27%	98.05%	90.66%	90.96%	84.48%	99.09%

Congratulations go to Year 6 this week for the best attendance.



### Rewards-House Points

1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
120 points St Francis	107 points St Lucy	81 points St Dominic	75 points St Bernadette

Well done St. Francis House. You are the winning house this week.

### English Challenge Corner



Insert the commas;

- 1) Jannah bought a pen and a pencil and a rubber.
- 2) Saleh had some paper and a ruler and a book in his tray.
- 3) The room was dirty and smelly and very dark.
- 4) The flowers were red and pink and yellow and white.
- 5) The boys liked rugby and football and tennis and golf



### Prayers please!

Dear God, you are my shepherd,  
You give me all I need,  
You can take me where the grass grows green  
And I can safely feed.

You take me where the water  
Is quiet and cool and clear;  
And there I rest and Know I'm safe  
For you are always near.

Amen

*(Based on Psalm 23)*

**Mr J Burns**

**Headteacher**