



St. Mark's Newsletter



Student of the Week

Nursery

All of Nursery

Reception

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Year 1

James Noon

Year 2

Kaylen Alexander

Year 3

William Williams

Year 4

Allannah Hurst

Year 5

Lewis Edwards

Year 6

Shea Youds

Good Manners

Nursery

Jacob Courtney Ward

Reception

Kyle Gwilliams

Year 1

Sienna Morris

Year 2

Callum Putterill

Year 3

James Campbell

Year 4

Callum Doyle

Year 5

Rebecca Ming

Year 6

Harvey Routledge

Maths Award

Reception

Noah Ross

Year 1

Maisey Thompson

Year 2

Joshua Byrne

Year 3

Ava Grace Mulhearn

Year 4

Tyler Schofield

Year 5

Rocco Getty

Year 6

Stephen Hurst

RE Inspection:

RE Inspectors were in school on Tuesday where they observed 'Come and See' lessons, scrutinised work and spoke to Governors, staff and children. We will let you know the outcome very soon.

Reception Applications:

The deadline for returning Reception applications is **15th January 2018**. Applications can be submitted either online or returned to school before the deadline date. Attendance at St. Mark's Nursery does not guarantee a place in Reception.

Knowsley Indoor Athletics Finals:

After a tough round of competition, our Athletics team finished in 2nd place, progressing onto the Merseyside finals. This is an unbelievable achievement for our Athletics team and each child should be extremely proud of themselves. Well done team!

Breakfast with Santa:

The festivities started this week with a visit from Father Christmas. The children enjoyed breakfast with their friends and met the man himself, they were each given a selection box. Thank you to the PTA for arranging this event.

Christmas Dates:

Please see reverse of this newsletter for important dates in December.

EYFS Christmas Play:

Well done to all our Nursery and Reception children for performing in their Christmas Play on Thursday and Friday this week. I am sure you will agree they were all fantastic. Thank you to all the parents/carers and family who came along.

Choir:

Our Choir are singing in a concert at Halewood Academy accompanied by the Philharmonic Orchestra on Tuesday 12th December at 7.00pm. If you have bought tickets, they will be sent home on Monday with your child.

Christmas Jumper Day:

Our Christmas Jumper Day is on Friday 15th December. We are raising money for the HOPE Project this year, a charity that supplies food and vital supplies for the homeless in Liverpool. Can children please bring a donation of £1.00 to school. Many thanks in advance.

Christmas Dinner and Disco:

Our Christmas Dinner and Disco is on Wednesday 20th December. Children should come to school wearing their own clothes and bring a donation of £1.00 to school for the disco. If your child normally brings a packed lunch and would like a Christmas Party Box please pay £1.90 by Friday 15th December so that the kitchen can cater for the extra meals.

Carol Concert:

Our annual Christmas Carol Concert is on Monday 18th December at 6:00pm at St. Mark's Church. The concert normally lasts approximately half an hour. Our school choir should arrive at church at 5.45pm wearing full school uniform. All children, parents/carers and family are welcome to attend.

Homework Club Year 5 & 6:

No homework club until January 2018

After School Activities:

Monday 4.00 - 5.00pm - Musicality Productions Dance/Drama Rec-Y6 £5.00

No after school clubs until January 2018

8th December 2017

04/12/17 – 08/12/17

Attendance

Reception

98%

Year 1

98%

Year 2

99%

Year 3

95%

Year 4

97%

Year 5

95%

Year 6

95%

Punctuality

97%

98%

100%

100%

97%

100%

97%

St. Mark's December Dates



Thursday 7 th December	10.30am	Nursery/Reception Christmas Performance
Friday 8 th December	8.00am	Breakfast with Santa (tickets only)
Friday 8 th December	10.30am	Nursery/Reception Christmas Performance
Tuesday 12 th December	7.00pm	Choir performance at Halewood Academy
Wednesday 13 th December	2.00pm	Year 3-6 Christmas Performance
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Thursday 14 th December	2.00pm	Year 1 & 2 Christmas Performance
Friday 15 th December		Christmas Jumper day - £1.00 donation
Friday 15 th December	2.00pm	Year 1 & 2 Christmas Performance
Friday 15 th December	11.30am	Nursery finish for Christmas Holiday
Monday 18 th December	6.00pm	Christmas Carol Concert, St. Mark's Church
Tuesday 19 th December		Panto 'Peter Pan' at Epstein Theatre
Wednesday 20 th December		Christmas Party Box and Disco (own clothes)
Thursday 21 st December	1.30pm	End of term
Wednesday 3 rd January	8.55am	Children return to school