20th November 2020

St. Mark's Newsletter

In a caring Christian community together we love, learn, laugh and achieve.

Welcome back EYFS:

It was lovely to see our Nursery and Reception children return on Tuesday this week.

Year 5 Closure:

Year 5 are due to return to school on **Monday 23rd November**. Miss Doyle and Mrs Taylor would like to say how proud they are of the children for their hard work and commitment to home learning over the past two weeks. The work they have completed and submitted on Seesaw has been outstanding.

Zoom Assembly:

The topic for our assembly today was anti-bullying. Mr Coakley discussed different forms of bullying and we watched a short film on how to be kind. Well done to all the children who were awarded certificates this week.

Primary Admissions:

The closing date for Primary admissions is 15th January 2021. The supplementary faith form should be returned to school with proof of baptism/faith by 15th January 2021.

Anti Bulllying Week:

To mark the start of Anti Bullying week, children and staff came to school wearing odd socks.

Throughout the week classes have been completing various activities to learn about different forms of bullying and how to be a good friend.

Y5 completed fabulous Anti Bullying work as part of their home learning.

Christmas Boxes:

Halewood Town Council are collecting new or nearly new toys (soft toys/teddies are excluded) to create Christmas boxes for Knowsley children. Please drop off donations to the Arncliffe Centre from Monday 16th November—Friday 18th December between 10am-3pm, Monday to Friday.

	Attendance	Punctuality
REC	97%	96%
YEAR 1	97%	99%
YEAR 2	95%	100%
YEAR 3	98%	98%
YEAR 4	97%	99%
YEAR 5		
YEAR 6	93%	99%

Family Learning:

Family Learning have put together Christmas Art and Craft packs for you to complete at home with your child/ren. If you would like to receive a pack, please contact Vicky Powell directly on 07825 117 487 or email her your name, child's name, class and school.

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Class	Start time	Finish time	Entry/Exit point
Y6	8:45-8:55	2:50-3:00	Leathers Lane Door
Y5	8:45-8:55	2:50-3:00	Playground Door
Y4	8:50-9:00	3:00-3:10	Leathers Lane/Hall Door
Y3	8:50-9:00	3:00-3:10	Playground Door/Hall Door
Y1/2	8:55-9:05	3:10-3:15	Playground Door
Reception	8:45-9:05	3:00-3:10	Classroom Door

Student of the Week

Piper	NURS AM
Lottie	NURS PM
Oliver	REC
Ria	YEAR 1
Poppy	YEAR 2
Lealand	YEAR 3
Laton	YEAR 4
Charlie	YEAR 5
Thomas F	YEAR 6

Good Manners

Caden	NURS AM
Leighton	NURS PM
Archie	REC
Lucie	YEAR 1
Ria	YEAR 2
Finley	YEAR 3
Jake-John	YEAR 4
Jayden D	YEAR 5
Michael	YEAR 6

Maths Award

Hollie	REC
Lucia	YEAR 1
Darcie-Rayne	YEAR 2
Harvey	YEAR 3
Alexia	YEAR 4
Joshua B	YEAR 5
Ava M	YEAR 6

Well done to all the pupils who received an award this week.

Staff Book Recommendation:

Miss Ashton is currently reading 'Seven Sisters' by Lucinda Riley.

Pupil Book Recommendation:

Honey from Year 2 is reading 'Survival Island'. She said this book is very interesting and said that it is her favourite book.

There will be no afterschool clubs until further notice, due to COVID-19