



4th December 2020

St. Mark's Newsletter



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

Zoom Assembly:

We enjoyed a lovely assembly this morning through Zoom. Mr Coakley spoke about the meaning of the Advent Wreath and how different countries celebrate advent. Year 3 sang 'We Three Kings' for the whole school. Well done to all the children who were awarded certificates this week.

Year 4 100% Attendance Award:

Congratulations to Year 4 who have managed to achieve a fabulous 100% attendance this week. We are extremely proud of them for attending school every day this week. They have been rewarded with an own clothes day on Monday 7th December.

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.

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

Liam	NURS AM
Hughie	NURS PM
Lucie	REC
Hudson	YEAR 1
Evie	YEAR 2
Rueben	YEAR 3
Malak	YEAR 4
Eleni	YEAR 5
Michael C	YEAR 6

Good Manners

Olivia	NURS AM
Leela	NURS PM
Thomas	REC
Laken	YEAR 1
Harrison	YEAR 2
Annie	YEAR 3
Daniele	YEAR 4
Finley	YEAR 5
Thomas E	YEAR 6

Reading Award

Connie	REC
Paddy	YEAR 1
Dominic	YEAR 2
George	YEAR 3
Eva	YEAR 4
Jayden	YEAR 5
Ava D	YEAR 6

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

Christmas Activities:

Christmas has arrived at St. Mark's! We have lots of activities planned over the course of the next couple of weeks:

Christmas Jumper Day and Santa Dash—Friday 11th December, please bring a £1 donation to CAFOD.

Breakfast with Santa 8:00am

EYFS—Monday 14th December

Year 1&2—Tuesday 15th December

Year 3&4—Wednesday 16th December

Year 5&6—Thursday 17th December

Letters have been sent home this week with further information. To book a place for your child, please return the reply slip enclosing £3.

We are recording our Christmas performances next week. The children have been practising hard over the last couple of weeks and we hope you are looking forward to watching our play and carol concert.

Children have been busy making lovely Christmas cards for residents of local care homes. These will be delivered next week.

	Attendance	Punctuality
REC	88%	100%
YEAR 1	97%	100%
YEAR 2	99%	99%
YEAR 3	89%	99%
YEAR 4	100%	99%
YEAR 5	96%	97%
YEAR 6	93%	98%



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.

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★ Staff Book Recommendation: ★

★ Mrs Taylor is reading 'Run Rabbit Run' by Alex Smith. ★

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★ Pupil Book Recommendation: ★

★ Ava D from Year 6 has just read 'Coraline' by Neil Gaiman. ★
★ Ava enjoyed reading this book so much that ★
★ it has taken her less than 24 hours to read it! ★

★ That surely must be a record! ★
★ Well done Ava! ★



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

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