



# NEWSLETTER



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## OFFICE HOURS

OFFICE OPEN - 8.15 a.m - 4.00 p.m. Telephone calls received when the office is closed will be recorded on the answer phone and dealt with as soon as possible.

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SCHOOL CLOSURES FOR HALF TERM ON FRIDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER AND RE-OPENS ON TUESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> NOVEMBER. PLEASE NOTE – MONDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER IS AN INSET DAY AND SCHOOL IS CLOSED.

Dear Parents/Guardians,

### First Forgiveness 2011

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Yasmin Wilson  
Kane Tinsley  
Myles Smyth  
Jack Rogers  
Oliver Rogan  
Isaac Naisbett  
Niamh Mckettrick  
Billy Martin  
Grace Farnell  
Brooke Cairns  
Joe Benford  
Alex Otty  
Alex Dance  
Madeleine Arber  
Oliver Davies  
Seton Adam

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Phoebe Rushton  
Anya Wickham  
Lee Leighton  
Ana Waite  
Sam Crooke  
Megan Threllfall Thomas  
Faye Corrigan  
Alexander Constantine  
Zak Taylor Valles  
Mia Swainson  
Leah Green  
Connor Atherton  
Jessica Rimmer  
Grace Maude  
Helen Lunt

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Arran Showering  
Harry Smith  
Amelia Thomas Lopez  
Emillie Gregory  
Eve Carney  
Rhys Wilgar  
Natasha Macaulay  
Amelia Hudson Knight  
Laurence Dorr  
Angela Leighton  
Natalie Lam

The children in Year 4 were recently involved in preparatory sessions led by Father Atli, enabling them to understand and celebrate the Sacrament of reconciliation. On Thursday last week all Year 4 visited Our Lady of Lourdes Church to enact a Baptism, as part of the topic of Signs and Symbols. Following this a number of children remained in Church to make their First Confession. Please keep them close in your prayers.

Have a lovely half term break.

M. C. Hillsdon  
Headteacher

### SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

Tempest have been in school recently to take photographs of the children, we ask parents to return their photo requests and money by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November. If you leave it after that date you must return the slip and money to Tempest yourself. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

A REMINDER THAT AFTER HALF TERM WINTER UNIFORM SHOULD BE WORN. PLEASE SEE SEPARATE SHEET.

MASS TIMES	OUR LADY OF LOURDES	ST. JOSEPH'S
SATURDAY	5.30 p.m.	7.00 p.m.
SUNDAY	11.00 a.m.	9.30 a.m.
MASS TIMES SUNDAY	ST TERESA'S	9.00 a.m 10.30 a.m 6.00 p.m

**THE BOOK FAIR WILL BE IN SCHOOL ON WEDNESDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER FOR 1 WEEK.**

**START RIGHT BABY GROUP WILL BE RUNNING ON WEDNESDAY'S TO BEGIN AFTER HALF TERM. PLACES ARE AVAILABLE IF YOU ARE INTERESTED PLEASE CONTACT MRS. DODD IN THE NURSERY.**

**OCTOBER HALF TERM ACTIVITIES (JUST A SELECTION) AT WACA – WOODVALE & AINSDALE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION:**

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> Zumbatomic 'Little Stars Rec Centre age 4-8 9.30 a.m – 10.15 a.m £2.50**

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> Drama Rec Centre age 4-19 10.15 a.m – 11.00 a.m £2.50**

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> Art & Craft Comm Centre age 8-19 1.00 p.m – 3.00 p.m £2.50**

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> Drama Rec Centre age 8-19 10.00 a.m – 11.00 a.m £2.50**

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> Street Dance Rec Centre age 8-19 11.00 a.m – 12.00 p.m £2.50**

**For more information on other activities taking place during half term please contact 01704 573084 or 575264.**

## **HSA News**

Thank you to those who came to the meeting this week it was great to see some new faces. We have decided to go ahead with Supper with Santa and the Christmas fair. I will be in touch with those that offered help. Nearer the time we will be looking for volunteers to bake for us. Our next meeting will take place **Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 7.30pm** in school. If you can support please come along.

### **Family Bingo**

Don't forget is our **Family Bingo Night on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November**. We have had a great response for tickets and only have a few remaining places so please send you request slips back to school as soon as possible. This is a great evening for adults and children to take part in. If you would like to bring the family along please fill in the reply slip. There is a £2 charge for a family ticket and books of bingo tickets are available to buy on the evening usually priced at £2 per player.

Refreshments including hot dogs and cakes are available to buy. Please clearly mark your envelope HSA Bingo. Any donations of raffle prizes or cakes to sell on the evening would greatly appreciated.

### **Toy Sale**

Our second event is a **toy sale on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> November 10.30 – 12.30**. This is a good chance to have a Christmas clear out and make yourself some money at the same time. We have now sold all the tables but please come along to this event and you might even bag yourself a bargain. Refreshments will be available to buy.

Those that have booked a table can place an advert with us at 50p per item and we will produce a flier to go home with all children in the week leading up to the sale. If you wish to place an advert please contact me directly. Can anyone that has booked at table with me directly please send their £7 into school as soon as possible please. Cheques should be made payable to the HSA.

**Supper with Santa – Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November** (details and request slips to follow after half term)

**Christmas Fair – Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November 12 – 3pm.** To support the Christmas Fair we will be holding two mufti days on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> November (details to follow after half term)

**Junior Christmas Disco – Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December.** Y3/Y4 5.15 – 7.45pm and Y5/Y6 7 – 8.30pm.

**Many Thanks**

**Claire Crew (571087 or text to 07769210397)**

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### **Family Bingo Request**

**Child's Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Class** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please send me a family entry ticket for the bingo. I enclose £2.**

**Number of people attending** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signed** \_\_\_\_\_