



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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REMINDER – SCHOOL CLOSSES FOR HALF TERM ON WEDNESDAY 21ST OCTOBER AT 3 P.M AND RE-OPENS ON MONDAY 2ND NOVEMBER 2009 AT 8.55 A.M.

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Last week our children were introduced to the BIKE IT project, which aims to encourage them to cycle to school and generally increase their cycling skills and enjoyment. Our first major event in association with the project was our Bike It Breakfasts, which took place throughout this week for different year groups. After each breakfast in class groups, Dr. Bike checked the children's bikes and the children received short skills sessions on the playground with Mary Kelland our Bike It Officer. All the sessions have had positive feedback from our school community and we look forward to future events.

On behalf of the Governors and staff have a lovely half term break.

Thank you for your continued support.

M.C. Hillsdon
Headteacher

FIRST RESPONSE

As you may be aware school operates the 'First Response' system to safeguard our children. This means that if your child is absent from school for any reason, or will be late in, the child's parent/carer must inform school of the reason for absence before 9.15 a.m on the first day of absence. This can be done by leaving a message on the school answer phone, sending in a letter, completing a holiday form, or coming into the office personally. If we have not received any information regarding your child's absence you will receive a phone call from the school office. If no contact can be made your child may receive an unauthorised absence mark. It is for this reason that school requires you to inform us of any altered telephone numbers or addresses. Please note, if children are off school due to sickness, they must not return until 48 hours after the last bout. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

ADMISSION FORMS

We ask parents to complete and return the secondary Sefton admission forms to school before Wednesday 21st October. Please note, check the front of the application form for misprints (it should show page 71 at the bottom of the first sheet to complete.) Any admission forms from Christ the King must be completed and returned to them, not Our Lady of Lourdes.

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.

MISSING BOOKS

During a book audit, we have noticed that we are missing many of our school reading scheme books. If you do find any at home please could you return them to school as soon as possible. Many thanks for your support.

TEMPEST PHOTOGRAPHERS WILL BE IN SCHOOL ON TUESDAY 20TH OCTOBER 2009 TO TAKE PHOTOGRAPHS OF ALL PUPILS WHO ARE IN SCHOOL ON THAT DAY.

LOST PROPERTY IS LOCATED UNDER THE JUNIOR VERANDAH JUST INSIDE THE SCHOOL GATES, PARENTS/CARERS MAY LOOK FOR LOST ITEMS EITHER BEFORE OR AFTER THE SCHOOL DAY.

STREETDANCE

Please note the after school activity of Streetdance is cancelled on Wednesday 21st October. It will be on as normal from Wednesday 4th November, the week we return after Half Term.

WE WOULD LIKE TO SAY A BIG THANK YOU FOR ALL THE DONATIONS TO THE MACMILLAN CANCER NURSES FUND. WE RAISED THE GRAND TOTAL OF £316.63! WELL DONE TO EVERYONE.

H.S.A NEWS

News of our next event

Quiz n' Chips - Saturday 21st November 7.30 - 11pm (adults only)
Come to school and enjoy a 'Swan Restaurant' Supper and take part in a 'not too difficult' quiz.
Bring along your own wine, beer or soft drinks (and glasses/cutlery)
12 bottles of wine for the winning team. Tickets £6 each
Quiz starts 7.45pm Supper served 8.30pm
This is always a great night so come and join us and help our 'Sound System' fund raising

Please complete the slip below if you wish to order tickets and send into school with cash or cheque (payable to OLOL HSA) in an envelope marked HSA. Please don't leave it until the last minute to request tickets as we need to place food orders. Many thanks.

Child's Name _____ Class _____

I would like ____ tickets for the 'Quiz n' Chips' evening

Supper selection Fish and Chips _____

Chicken and chips _____

Cheese/onion pie and chips _____

I enclose £ _____ Signed _____ Contact No _____