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Dear Parent/Guardian,

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National Anti-Bullying Week

Next week we will be participating again in National Anti-Bullying week.

The theme this year is 'All Different – All Equal' and in class the children will be celebrating what makes them unique and special. We will also explore what bullying is and is not, how it can affect others, what to do if we are experiencing bullying and how we can all work together to prevent it.

As always we remind the children that we are a 'TELLING' school, and if we are upset or unhappy about something, not to 'bottle it up' but tell an adult so something can be done.

For useful advice and information for parents, please visit www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk and take a look.

Poppy Appeal

Thank you to all those who have bought poppies or items in support of the Royal British Legion and the work they do.

As we are not at school on the 11th November, we will hold our 2 minute silence at 11 am on Monday to remember all the brave men and women who have served us so well in the armed services and in particular, Joseph Murphy, a past pupil, who died serving his country in Afghanistan.

Mrs Whitehouse

We say goodbye to Mrs Whitehouse from our school office today.

We will miss her friendly smile and calming manner and wish her every success and happiness for the future.

School Photographs

On **Monday 13th November, 2017**, the school photographer will be in school for family and individual photographs – so extra smart uniform, tie and combed hair!

If you require family photographs of siblings not at school, these will take place in the school hall between **8-9 am**.

School Council

Our new School Council members have been voted in by their classmates.

We congratulate:

Poppy and Tanaka – 1R

David and Aurora – 1P

Jakub and Christina – 2R

Andrius and Ellie-May – 2M

Poppy and Peter – 3G

Harafa and Leeson – 3M

Regan and Julieta – 4B

Brooke and Harlei – 4LG

Kiaya and Ellis – 5F

Ruby and Cristiano – 5HH

Najim and Lewis – Y6

We look forward to them helping to shape the school.

Many congratulations also to our new Head Boy, Thomas Y6 and Head Girl, Laci Y6, who were voted in by their peers to represent the school.



Catholic Schools' Pupil Profile

This half term, we are learning to be more **Learned and Wise**. This means that we will be learning more about how God wants us to live our lives and using what we have learned, wisely. The children have been re-introduced to these values during Class Collective Worship and will learn more about these values and virtues throughout the term. From time to time, we will reward children with a sticker, if we hear them being **Learned and Wise**, or their name may appear in the newsletter. Congratulations, this week, to Andrius and Ellie-May in Year 2M who have demonstrated their ability to be both **Learned and Wise**.

Parentview

Each year we ask you to complete a few short questions about our school.

The 12 questions give an opportunity to provide feedback about the school.

Please visit the Ofsted Parentview website at www.parentview.ofsted.gov.uk to register and complete the questionnaire. (Many of you will already be registered if you completed it last year – you just need your password).

When we have at least 15 replies, you will be able to view in graph form the results for the school.

This is one way to give feedback, but we are always here to speak to if you have concerns or want to tell us what went well.

Behaviour Awards

Light Blue Badges: Aurora Hanley, Nevaeh Evans, Preston Rivers, Finley Lake, Olivia Lillie-Ratcliffe, Divine Beyioku-Alase, Zane Roberts, Elijah Bailey-Fletcher, Javeria Zahid, Dylan Cleaver, Matteus-Junior Barnett, Orlando Pennant, Leonard Neculau, Ionel Stan, Peter Adefioye, Amari Dickenson-Jones, Poppy McLaren, Ebony Holder, Archie Davies, Maisie Dainty, Esther Popoola, Rachel Boakye, Ella Nolan-Brookes, Julieta Elezi, Lauron Thornton, Luke Cave, Malachi Robinson, Asiya Sharifi, Ezekiel Baidoo, Faris Jaylani

STAR AWARDS AND MERIT CERTIFICATES THIS WEEK

Nursery	Summer Cave, Myles Rivers
Reception AP	Zariah Tulloch
Reception CT	Paul Adefioye, Mariam Moustafa
Year 1P	Alexandru Dragu
Year 1R	Divine Beyioku-Alase, Jessica Lisoikowska-Babinski
Year 2M	Isabelle Murray
Year 2R	Avyanna McDonald
Year 3G	Leo-Soleil Emmanuel, Chloe-May Holt
Year 3M	Paola Peprah
Year 4B	Rayan El Idrissi
Year 4LG	Cleo Smith
Year 5F	Ellie-Mae Reilly, Keisha Chirata
Year 5HH	Laris Apetroaie, Benjamin Hondar
Year 6T	Ishpreet Mankoo
SPORTS AWARD	Lewis O'Leary
MUSIC AWARD	Khushi Faghiri
WISE OWL AWARD	Ellie-May Heaney

Well done everyone!

Period – 30th October – 3rd November, 2017

Group	% Attend
Reception AP	87.7%
Reception CT	82.2%
Year 1P	98.3%
Year 1R	91.7%
Year 2M	86.3%
Year 2R	99%
Year 3G	89.3%
Year 3M	92.9%
Year 4B	92.3%
Year 4LG	93.3%
Year 5HH	98.2%
Year 5F	98.2%
Year 6T	96.3%

Prayers

Please pray for Mrs Kenny's father who is ill in hospital and Mrs Turner's new granddaughter who is in hospital too.

Have a good weekend

Yours sincerely,

R.Baker and staff

