Spring 1 Week 3 – 23.1.26

The Walburga Weekly

Putting Others First
Let no-one seek his own good but the good of his neighbour
(1 Corinthians 10:24)

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The Word

In the second reading on Sunday, we heard about St Paul writing to the people in Corinth. This links with Mission Monday that we held in school this week. We thought about how we live out our mission of putting others first - every day in every way. Our Mission is rooted in St Paul's first letter to the Corinthians - see the top of this newsletter for the extract.

Attendance

Attendance at school makes a huge difference to your child's education. Please ensure your child attends school every day when they are well.

Class	This week	Overall	Whole school
Preschool	88%	92%	This week
Reception	91%	93%	
Year 1	99%	95%	96%
Year 2	98%	98%	
Year 3	98%	95%	Overall
Year 4	95%	96%	
Year 5	97%	96%	95%
Year 6	96%	95%	

If you need to request absence in term time, these will only be authorised in exceptional circumstances. Please complete the form here, in line with school policy.

Meetings with Mrs Fearnley or Mrs Higgins will take place to discuss your individual case.

Our Virtue winners

I know that faith is a gift from God.
Faith helps me grow in friendship with Jesus.
I show my faith by living my life filled with hope and love.

- Maeva - Reception
- Frances - Year 1
- Laurie - Year 2
- Alex - Year 3
- Gerard - Year 4
- Felix - Year 5
- Iga - Year 6

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St Walburga's Catholic Primary School

Coming up soon

A new science club is beginning on 25th Feb run by Mad Science following an assembly on 21st Jan.

New whole school focus on Oracy. The launch day will be Tuesday, 27th Jan. Ninjas ready!!!

The inter-house Hockey competition is being held on 28th Jan. Year 3 and 4 will compete.

Diary Dates:

Thursday 29th Jan	Year 6	Open afternoon - 2:00-3:00pm
Monday 2nd Feb	Years 3 and 4	Mayans WOW day
Tuesday 3rd Feb	Year 6 Years 3 and 4	St Blaise Feast day DT day - Chocolate
Thursday 5th Feb	Choir	Young Voices Concert-Coop Live Manchester
Monday 9th Feb	Preschool	DT day - Pizza
Monday 9th - Friday 13th Feb	Whole School	Children's Mental Health week
Tuesday 10th Feb	Whole School	Safer Internet Day

Our Merit winners

Very well done to all our children who have been recognised for their hard work and effort. More details on the website...

Reception - Ruby & Maeve

Year 1 - Sam

Year 2 - Olivia

Year 3 - Isaac

Year 4 - Henry

Year 5 - Louis & Angus

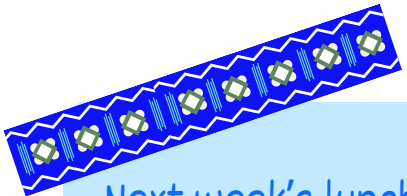
Year 6 - Jonah

Class newsletters

Please make sure that you have taken the time to read your child's class newsletter so that you can support them with their learning at home. They are found on the website under 'Classes'.

Parent Governor news

We are delighted to announce that following the elections last term, we have a new Parent Governor. Dr Maud Halstead, mum to Hester in Year 1, was successful and will take up her role in the very near future. Maud is very excited to represent you all and is looking forward to being involved in decisions that impact our children as part of the Academy Council.



Next week's lunch menu

Week 1

Happy weekend !

We hope you have enjoyed reading our first edition of The Walburga Weekly. This newsletter will be emailed out every week and a copy placed on the website. This is part of our response to our Ofsted actions regarding communication.