

St Cuthbert & The First Martyrs' Catholic Primary School



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YOUR TUESDAY NEWS

Date: Tuesday 12th July 2016

Through the sign of the cross we follow Jesus

Dear Parents, Carers and Parishioners

In Monday's Worship, we present a contemporary retelling of the story of the Good Samaritan using a simple narrated drama. The purpose of this was to offer pupils the chance to think about who their neighbour really is and what it means to be a good one. Niamh, Ida, Malaika and Adrian helped Mrs Winnery act out a story about a young girl who was lost and frightened in a big city but people had just walked away. In thinking about how they might have reacted, pupils begin to think about how their actions affect others. The story asked some challenging questions for the children: Are we sometimes too busy to stop and help someone? Too embarrassed? Worried about how others might view us? Is it sometimes easier to walk away and do nothing?

At the end of the Worship the children were encouraged to reach out to others in need.

Retreat Day

Year 6 are going to **Fountains Abbey** on **Friday 15th July** for a retreat day focused around vocation. This will be an excellent opportunity for the children to think about their time at St Cuthbert's and their future at their new schools as well as later in life. It is always an occasion the children enjoy. The children will be going by coach during normal school hours so will just need a packed lunch.

Celebration Worship and Music Assembly

On **Friday 15th July at 9.10am** our Celebration Worship will be followed by a presentation of musical talent from the children who take music lessons within school. Everyone is invited.

Our Statement to Live By this week: I try to be accepting of others.

Excellence in all we do. Outstanding every day.

Every week we look to celebrate excellence in all we do. Each class is collecting Gold Coins for their treasure chests and the winners each week will receive a prize!

Celebration Worship Leaderboard		
Year Group	Class Pirate Name	Winners
Nursery:	Mini Skulls	
Reception:	Little Treasures	
Year 1:	Mr Booth's Brave Buccaneers	
Year 2:	Swalshbucklers	
Year 3:	Hit The Deck	
Year 4:	Miss Sheehan's Scallywags	
Year 5:	Full Fathom Five	
Year 6:	Pieces of Six	

Congratulations to:

Sienna Fish, Franz Remoroza, Ayaan Tahir, Laila Stocking, Nehan Imran, Clare Usero, Nataniel Duda, Aleksa Comia, Holly Smith and Jessica Whitaker who were awarded Class Merits for their outstanding achievements for last week in our Celebration Worship last Friday.



Mr Copley & Mrs Winnery's Headteachers' Award went to Sameel Ali.

If your child has achieved something outside of school we will celebrate their achievements in our special Celebration Worship. However, due to all the children being so unbelievably talented we celebrate this on the last Friday in the month.

City Park Big Sing

Congratulations and well done to **Year 5** who represented the school last Friday in Centenary Square for the **Big Sing**. They were skilled performers and wowed the crowd with their beautiful singing and accomplished guitar playing. We are very fortunate to have such a love of music at St Cuthbert's and talented staff and children to keep this strong tradition alive.



Reports

Reports are going out today for all our pupils.

The **Year 6 Production** this year is **Mary Poppins**. This is to be held on **Thursday 14th July at 6.30pm**. On that evening (14th July) we would like the Year 6 children to remain in school until the show to enable them to prepare. They will need to bring in a packed tea to eat before the performance.

Leavers' Mass & Disco

The Leavers' Mass starts at **6.30pm on Wednesday 20th July** at **First Martyrs' Church, Heights Lane, BD9 6HZ** followed by the **Year 6 Leavers' Disco** in the Church Hall downstairs. Parents are invited downstairs for refreshment after Mass.

Sports Day

Sports Day will be held on **Tuesday 19th July** on the field across Farfield Street.

Nursery, Reception and Years 1 & 2 will commence at **9.30am until 11.30am**. Parents welcome.

Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 will commence at **1.15pm until 3.00pm**. Parents welcome.

Lets hope and pray for a nice, dry day!

Friends of the School

Thank you to everyone who helped to make the school Disco a great success. Everyone had a great time and some brilliant dance moves were exhibited! A fantastic amount of **£475.75** was raised. Next week we will be able to disclose the total amount raised this year.



Please visit the Friends Facebook page
<https://m.facebook.com/profile.php?id=424388321072615>

If you are worried or concerned about the wellbeing of any of our pupils, please ask to speak to Mrs Winnery, Mrs Farrell, Mrs Walsh or Mr Copley.

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Tuesday News Feed Back Reply Slip

Please could you take the time to read the following questions. We are looking to further improve communicating with our families and wider community. Please could you complete and return to the office.

1. **What type of device do you usually read the 'Tuesday News' on (tick all that apply);**

Laptop/Desktop Computer
Tablet
Mobile Phone

If you ticked more than one choice, please tell us why you use more than one device to read 'Tuesday News':

2. **What areas of 'Tuesday News' are you most interested in reading?**

Weekly Worship
Celebration
General notices and information

3. **Are there any other categories that you would like to appear in the 'Tuesday News'?**

Please specify:

4. **Would you prefer to read information in an email or on the school website?**

Website
Email

5. **Any other comments or suggestions:**

MILK – Reply Slip

If your child would like milk for next term the cost will be **£10.00**. Children who are in receipt of **free school meals** (not universal infant free school meals) are entitled to **free school milk**. Children in Nursery and Reception receive free school milk. **Please return the slip before Friday 22nd July 2016. MILK WILL NOT BE ORDERED AFTER THIS DATE.**



MILK – September 2016

Name of Child: Year:

My child would like school milk and I enclose:

£10 for the Autumn Term (September 2016)

My child is eligible for free school meals and would / would not like to have milk

Signed: Date: