



Love set in Christ

St Chad's Newsletter

29th September 2017

"At St. Chad's, we grow in the light of Christ, to share his love and reflect the gospel values."

A big thank you to the staff and parents who organised our Macmillan coffee afternoon yesterday. It was a great success, probably our best ever. Mrs Azadeh also did sterling work behind the scenes in the lead up to the day, and of course thanks to our Eritrean and Ethiopian families who prepared such lovely coffee and bread. I hope to be able to bring you news of how much was raised by next week.

A reminder to parents of all children that for the safety of our children, you must drop your child off at the gates and allow them to walk to their classrooms. From Monday 2nd, this will include Reception children as well. Thank you for your understanding.

Please enjoy your weekend spending time with your families, it's so important to make the most of those opportunities.

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS ARE 8.45AM - 4.30PM ON MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY. THE OFFICE WILL BE OPEN 9.30 - 4.30 ON A WEDNESDAY.

A reminder to our Y6 parents' that all secondary school applications are done through the Birmingham City Council website - www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions

If you need help with your application, please come in and speak to us as we're happy to sit with any parents - it can be a confusing process if you don't know the system.

Thank you to the Y6 parents who attended the SATs meeting this week. I hope you got a flavour of the changes that have been made to the testing and feel more able to support your child.

www.stchadsprimary.co.uk
Contact us:
Hospital Street
Newtown
Birmingham
B19 3XD
0121 464 6554
enquiry@st-chads.bham.sch.uk

Every school must have a 'safeguarding' policy which informs parents about our procedures for keeping children safe whilst they are with us. If you would like to see the most up to date policy we have, please visit our website and download a copy. There is lots of other information on there including our term dates and all of the weekly newsletters.

www.stchadsprimary.co.uk

Congratulations to Naod (Y3) who has received a certificate in assembly for his Karate skills. It's great to see our children taking part in after school sport.

Mr Benjamin came back from his weekend residential with some of our children full of praise for how well behaved they were and how brave they'd been in trying all of the activities. Thank you to the children who went, for your excellent attitude.

It's Y3 who are this week's best attenders with 99.65%. Well done.

Thanks to Y4 who led our prayer service this morning on the feast of the Archangels. We are all asked to listen to the messages from God in the same way that Mary and Joseph did.

I don't think I've ever written anything positive about Villa in my four years at St Chad's, but things are looking good at the moment with three wins on the spin. We play bottom of the league Bolton Wanderers tomorrow so surely even Villa can't mess that one up!!

Masses at the Cathedral are -
Saturday at 4.30pm (Mass for Sunday)

Sunday at 9am and 11am

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Matthew 20:1-16

Our school football team were back in action this week as they played four league games last night. We lost to St Vincent's and St Teresa's but beat St Edmund's and St Patrick's. Nathan scored all of our goals but Mr Benjamin chose Raul as the player of the day. Well done to all of the boys.



Star of the week this week is Petra she's been working hard and setting a great example.

Our Virtues certificate winners are: Alazar, Nina, Lorenzo, Naod, Aaliyah, Annaliese and Sonya.