



St Alban's Newsletter

27th January 2017, 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Wednesday Word – HAPPINESS 2nd February - Presentation of the Lord

Our sincere apologies for the lateness of the newsletter.

First Confession meeting for parents: Tuesday, 28th February at 6:00pm in the Year 3 classroom

CAFOD Turn little fish into big fish March 6 to 10

This year, for CAFOD, the School Council would like children to do something at home and be given a donation for their work. This is something similar, for those who can remember, to “Bob a job week” at the cubs and brownies. At the end of the week the children will be given a certificate for their efforts and all the money raised will go to Cafod. To know more about the campaign please log on to the Cafod website: www.cafod.org.uk

School uniform

A number of children are regularly not wearing aspects of the school uniform. Please ensure you inform the school if there is a “one off” situation regarding uniform, otherwise all children are expected to be in the correct colours, clothes and footwear. If this is not possible please contact the school.

Attendance

The Educational Welfare Officer met with Mr McCrossan recently to discuss the attendance and lateness at school. If a child's attendance is 90% or less a letter will be sent home this week. It is important that all children are at school, and on time.

After school

A reminder that it is the responsibility of all adults collecting children to supervise the children playing in the school grounds after school. Also, if the children are playing with scooters they must return them to the scooter stands.

Parent Consultation Day (We are hoping to have a celebration of Science week displayed on this day)

March 22 3.30 to 7.00

March 23 1.30 to 7.00

Achievement Letter - [January 2017](#)

Science week ; week beginning 13 March

This year the school will be looking at science through art. If there is any parent or adult who would be interested in this topic please let the school know your expertise or interest.

Half term activities

Cambridge University Library - [Click here](#) for more information.

Leys Leisure - [Click here](#) to find out more.

PFA News

Curry and Ceilidh tickets are now on sale! They're available from all PFA year reps, or stalbanspfa@gmail.com. It's going to be a fabulous night, featuring the Session Ceilidh Band with caller Bernie Cafferkey and a wonderful chicken or vegetable curry from The Rather Good Catering Company. Please book the babysitters ready for 24 February 2017! The 2nd hand uniform sale raised £61, against all odds, in freezing temperatures. Thanks to everyone who contributed clothes and bought at the sale! And a big thank you to those who helped with the enormous task of setting it up and packing it away.

Quiz

1. What is the Wednesday word this week?
2. What is the special name for the blessings in the Gospel reading this week? Clue - Fill in the missing (vowel) letters: B _ _ t _ t _ d _ s
3. Which of the blessings from the Gospel is your favourite?

Home School Agreement

The children are bringing a paper copy home for you to sign and discuss with your child. If this is returned to the school your child will be entered into a class draw.

St Alban's Catholic Primary School, Lensfield Road, Cambridge CB2 1EN
Tel: 01223 712148 Email: office@stalbans.cambs.sch.uk Web: www.stalbans.ccceducation.org
Head teacher: Mr J McCrossan Deputy Head: Mrs J Muir