

18th January 2018

Dear Parents

<u>Mass and Assembly</u> – a copy of the mass and assembly rota has been sent out this week. Year 6 have their class mass on Tuesday 23rd January 9am, Parents and Grandparents welcome. The first class assembly will be **Year R on Friday 2nd February** at 2.45pm, Parents and Grandparents welcome.

<u>School Inset Day</u> – school will be closed on Monday 29th January for staff training day.

<u>Admission to school September 2018</u> – the on-line application process has now closed, any late applications need to be registered through the Admissions Section at Tameside MBC 0161 342 8355. Two proofs of residency are required, please send into school.

<u>Nursery Admissions</u> – we still have nursery places available. We are currently offering 15 hours a week morning session only. Please enquire at the school office about registering for a place.

<u>Dinner Money/Nursery snack fund</u> – Please would you bring any outstanding payments up-to-date. Please ensure that money is placed in an envelope clearly marked with the pupils name and class and handed to their class teacher, alternatively you can pay through the Tameside website <u>www.tameside.gov.uk</u> school & education > school meals.

We will not be able to issue a school dinner to any child where there is a debt of more than £20.00. In such cases parents will be expected to provide their child with a packed lunch.

School fund next term will be £7.00 per family for the term payable to St. Peter's Catholic Primary School.

Nursery snack fund

- for the term will be £24.50 payable to St Peter's Catholic Primary School; alternatively you can use the School Money on-line system www.schoolmoney.co.uk

<u>Carillion</u> - Our school dinners remain unaffected so far. I will let parents know as soon as possible if the situation changes.

<u>Residential trips</u> – please would you bring your payments up-to-date. If you wish to pay by cheque, please make cheques payable to St. Peter's Catholic Primary School alternatively you can pay using the online payment scheme <u>www.schoolmoney.co.uk</u> The next instalments will be due on 19th January 2018 for Kingswood £26.00 and 22nd January for Robinwood £36.00.

<u>Year 3 First Forgiveness and Holy Communion</u> – the Sacramental Programme will begin for Year 3 and their parents in January. Please see dates below:

Enrolment Mass: Sunday 21st Jan 11:00am – in church (parents and children)

A list of all dates for the programme was given out to parents at the first meeting.

<u>St Peter's PTA Family Quiz Night</u> – Friday 26th January 6:30 until 9:00pm in the school hall. Adults £4.00 including potato pie supper, children £2.00 includes hotdog. Vegetarian option available. There are only 100 tickets so buy your tickets soon as this is always a popular family night out. Flyers were sent home today; please complete the slip along with your payment. Clearly mark the envelope PTA Quiz Night.

Parish and Community events

Mary's Meals - Mr White, A parishioner and a volunteer reader at school is celebrating his 70th Birthday by doing a sponsored walk for Mary's Meals. On the 26th January he will walk from St. Peter's Primary School Stalybridge to St. Peter's Primary School in Hazel Grove. Our Chair of Governors, Mr Murphy, who was the Headteacher at St Peter's Hazel Grove, will walk some of the way with Mr White.

The children will be making flags to wave him off on his walk and the local press will also be there. We are asking for 50p donation, which will be donated to Mary's Meals.

St. Peter's Cubs are holding a Race Night, in the Parish Hall on Saturday 17th March at 7.30pm. Tickets cost £3.50 for adults & £2.50 for children or a family ticket costs £10 (2 adults & up to 3 children), supper included. Please bring your own drinks. The proceeds will go towards helping two of our ex-pupils, Charlie McCallum and Thomas Worrall, who have been selected to represent Tame Valley Scouts at the next World Scout Jamboree in North America in 2019. Tickets can be bought from Caroline McCallum (Cubs Akela) or from Ann-Marie Worrall on 07545379305.

Manchester Football development – Hyde Community College commencing Wednesday 31st January Year R – 6. For more information please collect a flyer form the school office.

Diary Dates.

Sunday 21st **January -** FHC enrolment mass in church (parents and children)

Friday 26th January – Mr White's walk from St Peter's to St Peter's.

Friday 26th January – PTA quiz Night at school 6:30 – 9:00pm.

Monday 29th January – school will be closed on this day for staff training

Thursday 15th February – Year 5 & Year 6 Trombone performance for parents at 9:15am in school.

Thursday 1st **March** – World Book Day. Children are welcome to come dressed as a book character. Please bear in mind that Thursday is games day and children will need to change into their PE kit!

Friday 2nd March – support for the Children's Liver Foundation and Sophia in Year2. More details to follow.

Kind regards

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Headteacher