Friday November 9th 2018



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Dear Parents

Welcome back to what has been a busy start to this Half Term.

Canon Frank joined us on Wednesday for our Liturgy with the Infant Students on 'Remembrance' in the month of November along with our 'All Souls and All Saints'. Our Remembrance Mass takes place next Wednesday at 11am in the John Fisher Chapel. It would be lovely to see Parents and families join us for this and for the laying of our crosses in the memory garden at school afterwards. Congratulations to our champion athletes who did tremendously well in the Catholic Cross Country on Thursday. Many thanks to Mr Judge for all his hard work organising this. Every athlete did their best and did us proud.

Hopefully you have all seen my letter this week detailing our plans for the possibility of hot school lunches. Many thanks for the feedback we have received already. Please do let us know your thoughts on this idea if you have not already had the chance to do so. Anti-Bullying week begins on the 12th-16th of November; during this time we reinforce our zero tolerance approach to bullying.

We have opened an Art Competition this week giving each student from Rec-Y6 the chance to create their interpretation of our School Prayer for display in the School and Head Teacher's offices. The deadline for entry is next Friday. Good luck to all entrants.

Have a lovely weekend.

Ms Barry Head Teacher





Well done to all our Stars!

Spiritual Reflection

November is the month of Remembrance. In assembly this week we heard the following reading from the Gospel of Saint John:

'Don't get upset, trust God the Father and trust me. 'There is plenty of room in my Father's house, and I am going to get a place ready for each one of you.

'Then I will come back and take you with me, and you will be able to stay with me forever.' Remembrance Mass will be held in the John Fisher Chapel at 11am on Wednesday November 14th. All are welcome to attend the Mass and our cross laying at the front of School afterwards.



As we think about Remembrance this week and 100 Years since the end of WW1, Mrs Green has kindly brought in some fantastic historical artefacts from WW2 for Pupils+ to look at. The items belonged to her late Father-in-law who served in the RAF.









Well done to Aidan in Year 3 who is our Heart of the Week for his fantastic support and encouragement of other Pupils at the Cross Country on Thursday. Well Done Aidan! Well done to all our athletes who took part in the Catholic Schools Cross Country Competition on Thursday. Special congratulations to Rok who came first in the Year 5/6 boys' race and to Brandon who came third in the Year 3/4 boys' race. Rok had already played in three football matches the night before and said his dad was so proud he cried with joy!





Mathletics Certificates

Gold—Patrick, Alex Silver—Patrick, Josh B, Alby, Alan, Alex, Rico, Nathan, Shayne, Conn, Annie, Rebecca, Isla



We have extended the deadline for shoe boxes to November 16th. Please could you return any outstanding boxes by this date? If we manage to collect over 100 boxes they will be collected by the charity in their special truck.

Many thanks in advance for your support.



Year 3's History topic is currently the Celts and their Half-Term homework was to create their very own Celtic Roundhouse. Well done to the whole class for a fantastic effort in creating some amazing pieces. Many creative designs also included hand made animals and other props too!

This week Nursery children have been learning all about Diwali. This included a group discussion and the use of pictures as visual aids



to support the children's understanding. They learnt about the 'Goddess of Wealth' Lakshmi and why Diwali



is called the festival of light. The children then created their own lanterns using paint and glitter. Please see our Diwali display by the Nursery entrance door.

School Calendar W/C November 12th 2018

Monday Nov 12th	Swimming	Yrs. 1 & 4	Kit Required
NOV 12th	11+	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4.00pm
	Netball	Yrs. 3-6	1-1.40pm
	Lego	Rec—Y2	3.20-4.00pm
	Tennis	Rec-Y6	3.20-4.20pm
	Save our Planet	Yrs.3-6	1.05-1.35pm
Tuesday Nov 13th	Homework	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4pm
	French	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4.30pm
	CPFC	Rec-Y2	3.30-4.30pm
	Computer Club	Yrs.3-6	3.30-4.30pm
Wednesday	Mass	All	11am JFC
Nov 14th	Mathletics	Yrs. 4-6	8.25-8.55am
	Fruit Fit	Yrs. 3-6	1.05-1.35pm
	Homework	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4pm
	Orchestra	Competent Players	12.45-1.15pm
	Games	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4.30pm
	Art	Yrs. 1–Y3	3.30-4.30pm
Thursday Nov 15h	Mathletics	Yrs. 1-3	8.25-8.55am
	Drama	LAMDA	12.30-1pm
	Homework	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4pm
	Am Soccer	Yrs. 3-6	3.30-4.30pm
	Ballet	Nurs/Rec	3.15-4.00pm
		Y1	4-4.30pm
		Y2/y3	4.30-5.15pm
	SuperSkills	Yrs. 1-2	3.30-4.30pm
Friday Nov	Prayer	All	12.35-1.05pm
16th	Art Club	Yrs. 4-6	3.30-4.30pm
	Fencing	Yrs.1-6	3.30-4.30pm

Nut Free School

We have children in school who have severe allergies to peanuts and all nuts.

<u>Please do not send your child to school with any nuts or</u> <u>peanuts for snack time or in their packed lunch</u>, this also includes Nutella, peanut butter and any biscuits/ cereal bars or sauces (pesto) that may contain nuts or nut spreads.

Staff Emails

To help aid ease of communication between parents and staff, please contact your child's Teacher directly using the email addresses below. Please be assured that Teachers will respond as soon as they can, but understandably, teaching your children comes first, so responses may not be immediate. N—Nurseryteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk Rec-receptionteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk Y1—lowertransteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk Y2—uppertransteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk Y3—preprepteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk Y4—lowerteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk Y5—middleteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk Y6—upperteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk spanishteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk Mr Palmer (Music and I.T) itteacher@lalehamlea.co.uk **Admin and School Business Manager**

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Then select if you wish to play on a desktop or tablet.