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**Weekly News**

**9th February 2018**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Many thanks to all of you that have said hello and made me feel so welcome.  I have had a wonderful first week at Our Lady of the Angels  
- and what a great school it is!  
I have been really impressed with the behaviour and politeness of the children.  I have chatted to many and they have all shown great courtesy and been a real credit to all of you.  I especially enjoyed a fantastic performance of Matilda on Wednesday night and it was lovely to see the children gain so much pleasure from performing to an audience.  There were definitely some future stars in the making!   
As you know the school is going through a period of rapid school improvement and I know that, particularly in the absence of Mrs  
Fraser, this is an unsettling time for you as parents and carers.  I welcome open and frank discussion and would far rather hear about your  
concerns directly from you than from a third party.  If you are worried about anything regarding the school please don't hesitate to  
make an appointment to come and talk to me via the school office.  
During my time here, I fully intend to continue the programme of school improvement that is already well underway.  Yesterday we were  
re-visited by Jonathan Bishop on behalf of the Regional School Commissioner.  As before, he met with staff, children and governors  
and our Area Advisor from Plymouth CAST across the day.   His feedback recognised the impact of, and highlighted the strengths of, the Governing Body and Senior Leadership Team in continuing to drive forward school improvement.

If you haven't already, don't forget to have a look at the school's new website.  It is far more user friendly than the previous site, and  
we plan to post lots of information and photographs about your child's learning.  The address is  
[www.ourladyoftheangels.eschools.co.uk](http://www.ourladyoftheangels.eschools.co.uk/)

Please remember that the Lounge is open every Monday at 8.40 a.m. Please pop in for a cuppa and a chat, everyone is welcome.

Best Wishes

Mrs Harding

**Contact details**

We have at least two contacts for every child in our care. Please ensure that you let us know if any details change so that we can update your child’s file. Thank you.

**School Attendance**

Last week **Class 2** topped the table with 97.6%. Our school average was 88%. Our school target has been set at 96%.

Classes who win this trophy five times are rewarded with some form of class treat!!

If your child is sick please ring on the first day of absence and every other day thereafter. As part of our safeguarding duty we will try to contact you. If we cannot speak with you we ask South West Family Values to call at your address.

We do require evidence of all medical appointments.

**If you bring your child in to school outside of the registration periods you MUST come to the office to sign them in to school.**

**School Meals**

If your child has an appointment and will be late in to school please ensure that you have ordered a school meal online or contact the office to let us know your child’s choices before 10.00 a.m. so that the kitchen can provide a meal. Thank you.

**Celebration Awards**

**Gold Award**

Class R Steel

Class 1 Leenah

Class 2 Harry

Class 3 Esmee

Class 4 Paige

Class 5 Sam

Class 6 Patrice

**Silver Award**

Class R Anthony

Class 1 Jamie

Class 2 Caoimhe

Class 3 Alexander

Class 4 Ashton

Class 5 Ocean

Class 6 Mahnoor

**Bronze Award**

Class R Alesha

Class 1 Angelia

Class 2 Sean C

Class 3 Nyah

Class 4 Ciara

Class 5 Sajor

Class 6 Mia

**Discipleship Award**

Class R Kieron

Class 1 Leonard

Class 2 Weronika

Class 3 Scarlett

Class 4 George

Class 5 Carolina

Class 6 Khira

Well done to them all.

**PTA Diary Dates**

23rd February Non Uniform-wear yellow- bring a Mother’s Day Gift –NEW DATE

9th March Bring £1 to buy a Mother’s Day Gift

23rd April Non Uniform – wear red - £1 donation

8th June Non Uniform – bring a Father’s Day Gift

15th June Bring £1 to buy a Father’s Day Gift

22nd June Non Uniform – Tombola donations

29th June Summer Fayre

**Ocean Asks?**

There is an interactive online radio show at Ocean Youth Radio on the 10th February, 12.30-1.30pm - broadcast fromOcean Youth Radio studio at Paignton Library.

It’s not enough to give young people a voice – we have to listen to them! Torbay Council is in the process of re-commissioning a number of specific services used by children and young people and we want to ask young people themselves about what would make these services more accessible.

There is a chance for young people to win one of four £100 Amazon vouchers by taking part.

**Diary Dates**

12th – 16th February Half term

1st March World Book Day

6th March Whole Class Photographs

13th March Class 3 / 4 to Mass at Holy Angels

20th March Class 2 / 5 to Mass at Holy Angels

20th March 2.45 p.m. Open Classroom - Class 1 and 2

21st March 2.45 p.m. Open Classroom - Class 5

22nd - 27th March Book Fair

22nd March 2.45 p.m. Open Classroom - Class R

and 4

23rd March 2.30 p.m. Open Classroom – Class 6

2.45 p.m. Open Classroom – Class 3

27th March Class 1 / 6 to Mass at Holy Angels

**Clubs**

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| **CLUB** | **DAY / TIME** |
| Art Club  KS1 | Monday and Thursday-lunchtime |
| Chess Club  KS2 | Tuesday lunchtime |
| ‘Green Tree’ Award  Class 2 only | Tuesday lunchtime |
| TUFITC Football club  Class 3, 4, 5 and 6 | Tuesday 3.15 – 4.15 p.m. |
| Mindfulness Colouring  KS2 | Wednesday lunchtime |
| Film Club  KS1 | Wednesday lunchtime |
| Civic Award  Class 6 | Wednesday lunchtime |
| Premier Sports  Fitness to music  All ages 21/2 – 28/3 | Wednesday 3.15 – 4.15 pm  Chargeable |
| Origami  KS2 | Thursday lunchtime  Every other week |
| Acting up Club  Wef 8/3/18 | Thursday  3.15 – 4.15 pm  Donations |
| Premier Sports Fencing/archery  Yr R, 1, 2 and 3 | Thursday  3.15 – 4.15 p.m. |
| Website Editing Club  Class 5 and 6 | Friday lunchtime |
| TUFITC Handball  All ages | Friday 3.15 – 4.15 p.m. |