



Our Lady of the Angels Catholic Primary School



Weekly Newsletter

17th October 2022

We are committed to safeguarding children.

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Harvest

Everyone is welcome to join our Harvest Thanksgiving assembly on Wednesday 19 October at 2.15pm. Y2 children will be presenting and reading the prayers.

As part of our Harvest celebration this year, we are requesting a 20p donation. We hope to raise enough money to provide the seeds for at least one family to grow a vegetable garden in Southern Sudan, where millions of people are being affected by famine.

The second is for donations of packets and dry goods such as pasta, noodles and rice which we can donate to one of our local food banks.





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School Meals-changes



Chartwells

So much more than Fantastic food

Please ensure that any school dinner debts are cleared by 31st October by logging into your Pay360 account.

A reminder that due to the change of meal provider the system for payment and ordering of meals is changing after half term. Lunches cannot be ordered by the school in class or by the office staff. Parents will order and pay for lunches in advance via a new system called ParentPay.

Please ensure that you activate your account and order your child's lunch if they are not bringing a packed lunch to school.



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Open day sessions-change to date

Is your child due to start school in September 2023?

We are holding open sessions on the **1st and 3rd November** at 9.15 a.m. for parents considering the school for their child's primary education to view the school and meet the Head Teacher.

Children are welcome to attend with their parents.



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Secondary Applications

TORBAY COUNCIL

The application period for children born between 1.9.11 and 31.8.12 to make a secondary school application, is 1st September 22 until 31st October 22.

The Portal is now open.

Applications received before 31.10.22 are given priority of places.

<https://www.torbay.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/admissions/secondary-admissions/secondary-applications/>

The Torbay Community Helpline is a one-stop-shop for access to advice, information and referral to a whole range of support in the community and beyond.

Call or use the online form to ask for help or signposting about anything, including:

- Benefits, debt, and finance
- Housing issues
- Activities and groups in your area
- Mental and physical wellbeing
- Caring for someone
- Accessing training and skills
- Domestic abuse
- Volunteering

If you need to speak to someone face to face, you can also visit the Community Cafe and Help Hub at Temperance Street, Torquay (down the slope next to McDonalds in Union Street). They are open Tuesday to Friday, from 10am to 3pm.

Torbay Community Helpline

One call - that's all



Contact us:

Phone: 01803 446022

Online form: bit.ly/torbayhelpline

Monday-Friday: 10am-6pm

Saturday: 11:30am-12:30pm





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Supporting Torbay through the cost-of-living crisis

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Torbay Council understand that there is a rise in the cost of living. They want to make sure they support residents where they can. If you need advice, support or urgent help, there are organisations and schemes that could benefit you as we head into the colder months.

<https://www.torbay.gov.uk/benefits/cost-of-living/>



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Library Opening

The library is open every day at hometime. Please feel free to pop in after school to choose books with your child.

The library is located just to the left of the Reception area. We have books for sharing for younger children and the children's Accelerated Reader books.



Remember that research tells us that the more children read for pleasure the higher their academic attainment will be. [More information here!](#)



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Autumn Term - After School Clubs Yr R-6

Monday - Dodgeball 4,5,6

Tuesday- Boys football 3,4,5,6

Wednesday - Girls football 3,4,5,6

Thursday - Basketball 3,4,5,6

Friday - Multi Skills/Sports R,1,2

The clubs are free but please book online via your Pay 360 account.





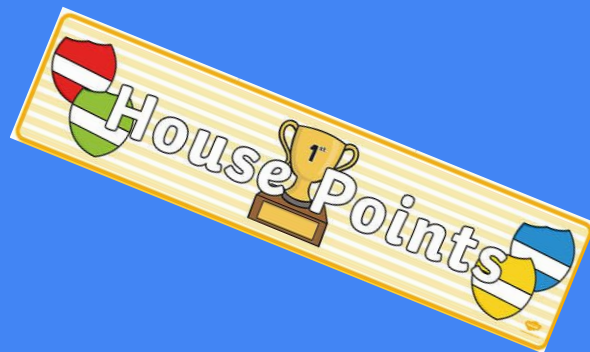
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House Points - Weekly



Bevan House
310
Stephenson House
333
Pankhurst House
244
Thompson House
317





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Endeavour Awards

Class R Damian

Class 1 Otto

Class 2 Lexy

Class 3 Antoni

Class 4 Franky

Class 5 Bradley

Class 6 Rudy



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Achievement Awards



Class R Riley

Class 1 Lana

Class 2 Harper

Class 3 Aaliyah

Class 4 William

Class 5 Anthony

Class 6 James R



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Respect Awards

Class R Demi-Sue

Class 1 Lacey

Class 2 Christopher

Class 3 Amara

Class 4 Harry

Class 5 Gracie

Class 6 Barney





Attendance Reminders

If your child is sick please ring on the first day of absence by 9.15 a.m. and every other day thereafter. If you don't do this we will ring you as we are required to check on the welfare of our pupils. You must inform us of your child's symptoms.

Evidence of all medical appointments must be provided.

Children arriving after 8.50 a.m. will be recorded as Late, and after 9.15 a.m. will be recorded as late after registers have closed.





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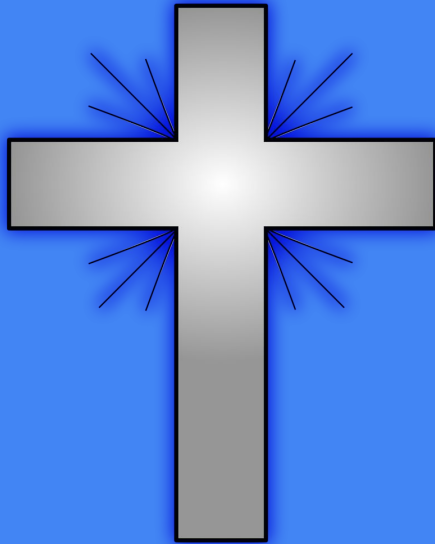
Upcoming Events

October

Thursday 20th	Parents evening 3.30 - 6
Friday 21st	Celebration Assembly by invitation only 9.00
Monday 24th -28th	Half term week
Monday 31st	Non pupil day



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Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come,

Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread

And forgive us our trespasses

As we forgive those who trespass against us.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

Amen



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