



St. CUTHBERT'S Catholic Primary School (NC)



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Dear Parents,

Good afternoon to you all; I hope that you have all had a good week. I know I always comment on how quickly the weeks go by but many members of staff have also mentioned that these two weeks have flown past!

We welcomed many of our new Reception class this week; they have all looked very smart in their new uniforms and (although shattered) Mrs Hodson and Mrs Boyle have had a great week. We warmly welcome Lacey, Harley C, Liam, Ali, Harley F, Paige, Tristan, Callum, Gerard, Khadija, Omair, Carmel, Cristel, Jake, Charlie, Joseph, Gabriel, Ava, Fatima and Tommy into St Cuthbert's School and we look forward to their final 10 class mates joining them on Monday. Our Nursery team have also welcomed our first Nursery children, every time I have popped over all seems to be well and the children are very busy and don't have time to chat, (there's always so much to do in Nursery).

Well done to Year 3 and Year 5 who started their swimming lessons without any fuss or bother this week and thank you to Year 6 who presented a very mature and thoughtful Mass this week.

Many thanks to all the parents who attended the Year 6, 5 and 4 class meetings - I do hope that you found them useful and informative. As I said communication is extremely important at St Cuthbert's so if you do have any questions or queries about things then please do see your child's class teacher or myself or Mr Kelly. Next week we have Year 3, Year 2 and Year 1 meetings - please make every effort to attend.

House Captains and Vice-Captains

Year 6 pupils put themselves forward this week for the role of House Captain and Vice-Captain, the KS2 classes voted and the results were announced on Thursday.

Congratulations to:

Durham: Ewan and Alyssa (House Captains) and Scarlet and Orla K (Vice Captains)

Winchester: Jack and Reese (House Captains) and Evie and Aadam (Vice Captains)

York: Corey and Grace (House Captains) and Cairo and Ella (Vice Captains)

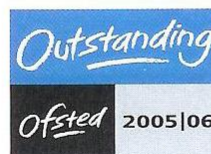
Canterbury: Reiana and Josh (House Captains) and Noah and Tilly-Bo (Vice Captains)

Attendance

Last week: 96.18%

Winning Classes: **Year 2 and Year 3 with 100%**

Congratulations to Year 4 (last year's Year 3) who won the class attendance for the year with an excellent 97.22%. They are off to the cinema next Thursday as a special treat for doing so well.





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Dates for the diary

Monday 19th September—Year 3 Class meeting 3:30pm
Tuesday 20th September—Year 2 Class meeting 3:30pm
Thursday 22nd September—Year 1 Class meeting 3:30pm
Friday 23rd September—Year 3 Class Mass—9:15am

After School Clubs

If your child wished to do a club and returned a reply slip you will be informed tonight about what club your child is doing and when - please check your child's bag for a letter - any problems see Mr Kelly. Demand has been high this year and places are limited. If your child has not gained a place on their chosen club(s) then they will have a place for the second half of the school year.

TERM 1 CLUBS

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Dance</u> <u>Year 1 and 2</u>	<u>Football</u> <u>Year 2 and 3</u>	
<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>P.E. Skills (Gym)</u> <u>Year 1 and 2</u>	<u>Fizzbang:</u> <u>Year 5 and 6</u>	<u>Netball:</u> <u>Year 5 and 6</u>
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Football</u> <u>Year 4, 5 and 6</u>	<u>Basketball</u> <u>Year 3, 4, 5 and 6</u>	
<u>Thursday</u>	<u>P.E Skills (Gym)</u> <u>Year 3</u>		

SEND: Special Educational Needs and Disability

Mr Kelly would like to meet all parents of children who are on the Special Educational Needs Register. The meeting will be held on **Monday 3rd October at 2:00pm** in school. Mr Kelly would like to explain a new review system that teachers and children will be using this year and parental input would be greatly appreciated.

Macmillan Coffee Morning (AFTERNOON)

For the past few years we have held a coffee morning after Mass on a Friday to raise money for Macmillan. This year we are going to hold the coffee morning in the afternoon, it will be straight after school on Friday 30th September for all families and there will be cake! The Macmillan charity help countless people who suffer from cancer and we do like to support them in the work they do. Please join us if you can.

I wish you all a lovely weekend
Yours Sincerely

