

Friday 24th November 2023

St. Benedict's News



'With Jesus we learn, love and laugh'

Dear Parents/Carers,

Festive Dates for your diary

We have an action packed December planned filled with lots of lovely festive events. A list of these can be found over the page. Parents are welcome to come and watch their child's class play. Each class are performing twice so that babies can come along to the earlier performance.

Children in Need

Thank you for all your generous donations for Children in Need. Together we raised over £167.00.

Nasal Flu Vaccine

Sefton Immunisations team will be visiting our school next **Wednesday 29th November** to administer the nasal flu vaccine. A letter has been sent out along with an electronic consent link <https://econsent.merseycare.nhs.uk/>. Can we please ask that ALL parents take the time to complete this even if you do not want your child to receive the vaccine. If you have any issues please contact School Health directly on 0151 247 6130.

Year 6 SATS meeting

Year 6 are holding their very important SATS parent information meeting next **Friday 1st December** in school at 9am. The meeting will give parents the opportunity to see examples of past test papers and discuss teaching styles for writing, reading and maths as well as end of year expectations. There will be NO RM maths on this day.

PFSA Christmas Bingo

Our PFSA Christmas Bingo is next **Friday 1st December** in St Benet's Parish club. Doors open at 7pm for a 7:30pm start. Only those who have already purchased tickets will be able to enter. Any money raised will go towards our School fund.

Christmas Panto

The PFSA have organised for all children from Year 1 to Year 6 to see the Panto Aladdin at the Royal Theatre in St Helens on **Tuesday 5th December**.

Christmas Fayre

Our Christmas fayre will take place on **Friday 8th December** at 3.30pm in the school hall. All are welcome.

Mission Christmas Charity

St Benedict's will once again be supporting the Radio City Mission Christmas Appeal this year. If you would like to help, we would greatly appreciate if you are able to donate a new and unwrapped gift for a boy or girl aged from 0-18 years by **15th December**. All gifts can be dropped off at school. Some gift suggestions include: soft toys, craft sets, footballs, stationery sets, makeup, toiletry gift sets, puzzles, books, rattles, cars, dolls, playdoh, jigsaws and lego.

Medical info and contact form

We have still not received all of the important medical information and updated contact forms. Can you please complete and send these in asap even if your child DOES NOT have a medical need.

Healthy Snacks and water

Children may bring in snacks for break time but can you please ensure these are healthy items such as fruit instead of crisps or sweets. This also applies to packed lunch, please provide a healthy balance including fruit and vegetables. Can you also send children in with **regular size**, reusable bottles filled with water, juice is not allowed.





St Benet's
Mass Times

Sunday 9am
& 11am

Attendance
& Punctuality

Whole School:
93.8%

Highest Class:
6MC

 97.6% 
Well Done!!

Number of
Lates
14



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Champions of the Week



	Star of the Week	Maths Champion	Writer of the Week
Rec	Isabella G	Kai M	Leo D
1GN	Joshua K	Frankie J	Bella W
2C	Iris E	Elizabeth Mc	Noah L
3E	Junior G	Gary C	Luan S
4CL	Ollie F	Jake W	Reuben M
5CN	Charlie H	Imogen Mc	Aiofe D
6Mc	Bella H	Sid B	Bobby D

Festive Dates for your Diary In December

Friday 1st - Christmas Bingo - doors open at 7pm

Tuesday 5th - Year 1 to Year 6 Panto trip to see Aladdin

Friday 8th - Santa Dash
Christmas Fayre in the hall starting 3:30pm

Tuesday 12th - Year 3 play at 11am
Nursery and Reception play at 2pm

Wednesday 13th - Year 5 play at 11am
Year 4 play at 2pm
Year 3 play at 7pm

Thursday 14th - Nursery and Reception play at 9:30am
Year 1 and 2 (KS1) play at 2pm
Year 4 play 6:30pm
Year 5 play 7:30pm

Friday 15th - Year 1 and 2 (KS1) play at 9:30am
Children's festive meal

Tuesday 19th - Class Parties

Friday 22nd - Whole School Carol Service led by Year 6 in Church at 9:30am
End of term, school finishes at 1:30pm