

Friday 3rd November 2023

St. Benedict's News



'With Jesus we learn, love and laugh'

Dear Parents/Carers,

Mass times

From next week, St. Benet's Mass times will return to 9am and 11am .

Parents' Evening

It is parents' evening next **Monday 6th, Tuesday 7th and Wednesday 8th November**. Sign up sheets have been on class doors this week for parents to select a convenient time slot.

Healthy Habits

Next week, Active Sefton are coming in to school to deliver a range of workshops on Healthy Habits to children in Years 1 - 4. Children will be doing a variety of activities which include talking about healthy foods, doing exercises and making healthy smoothies. Please speak to children about this at home and help us reinforce the benefits of a healthy lifestyle.

Remembrance Day

On Friday 10th November we are marking Remembrance day. We will hold a minutes silence at 11am and the children will learn the importance of the day in school. It would be lovely if they could also discuss it at home with their families.

First Holy Communion Enrolment Mass

Thank you to everyone who attended the first sacramental preparation meeting in the parish centre. The enrolment Mass for Year 4 children making their First Holy Communion will be on **Sunday 12th November** at 11am in St Benet's. All children in choir are also invited to sing at the Mass.

Diabetes awareness day

Tuesday 14th November is world Diabetes day #nailingdiabetes. To mark the occasion, we are asking children to wear their **school uniform with one item of blue** eg socks, a bobble, hair band etc.

Children in Need

Friday 17th November is Children in Need Day. Children can bring in £1 to wear their own clothes and Children in Need memorabilia. All money raised will be donated to the charity.

Mufti Days

On **Friday 10th November** we are having mufti day. Children can wear their own clothes and bring in unwanted, unused gifts for our Christmas bingo. We are also having a mufti day on **Friday 17th November**, they can wear their own clothes and bring in a bottle for the Christmas fayre. Thank you for your continued support.

Nasal Flu Vaccine

Sefton Immunisations team will be visiting our school on **29th November** to administer the nasal flu vaccine. A letter has been sent out along with an electronic consent link <https://econsent.mersecare.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.



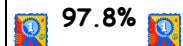
**St Benet's
Mass Times**

**Sunday 9am
& 11am**

**Attendance
& Punctuality**

**Whole School:
94.2%**

**Highest Class:
5CN**

 **97.8%**
Well Done!!

**Number of
Lates
10**





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<div>  <div>Champions of the Week</div>  </div>			
	Star of the Week	Maths Champion	Writer of the Week
Rec	Fletcher C	Arna C	Reeva H
1GN	Brody C	Maggie S	Joseph M
2C	River C	Zendrai B	Nellie L
3E	Sadie B	Delilah P	Niamh M
4CL	Bella N	Evie V	Penny C
5CN	Layton W	Paul B	Ella W
6Mc	Dylan P	Kaitlyn R	PJ McD

Dates for your diary Autumn 2023

Next week: Parents' evening (sign up sheets on class doors)

Friday 10th November: Mufti - wear own clothes and bring in an unwanted gift
Year 6 trip to the International Slavery Museum
Remembrance Day

Sunday 12th November: Year 4 First Holy Communion enrolment Mass 11am

Tuesday 14th November: Diabetes awareness day.

Friday 17th November: Children in Need
Mufti - wear own clothes and bring in a bottle
Nursery and Reception trip to the Atkinson Theatre

Wednesday 29th November: Nasal Flu Vaccine - whole school

Friday 1st December: PFSA Christmas Bingo at St Benet's Club doors open 7pm

Tuesday 5th December: Year 1 to Year 6 Panto

Friday 8th December: Christmas Fayre 3:30pm in the school hall

After School Club timetable

*Please note important changes to some days of our after school clubs. We have done this to try and give everybody a chance to participate.

Day	Inside	Outside
Monday	*Year 5 & 6 Drama	*Year 3 & 4 Football
Tuesday	No Clubs	
Wednesday	Year 1 & 2 Gymnastics	Year 5 & 6 Football
Thursday	Choir: Year 3, 4, 5 & 6	*Year 1 & 2 Football
Friday	Year 3 & 4 Gymnastics Year 5 & 6 Dance	Girls' Football