

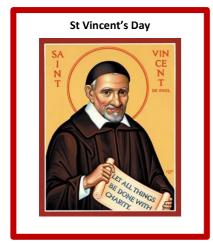
# St. Vincent's Catholic Primary School

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**Newsletter No 4** 

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2016

Dear Parents and Children,



In the next few days there will be two special celebrations to mark the feast day of our school patron saint.

On Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> the parish will celebrate with Mass at 12pm followed by a 'Bring and Share' lunch in the school hall. Year 3-6 children have been invited to sing as a choir at the Mass.

On Monday 26<sup>th</sup> we will be having our school celebrations. The day will begin with Mass at 9.15am, later in the morning we have a drum concert. At lunchtime, the children in Rec-Y6 will have a packed lunch and eat a 'street party style' lunch on the playground, weather permitting. In the afternoon we will hold an inter-house sports competition.

#### Governor's Fund

Thank you to all those families who made a contribution to our school Governor's Fund at the end of last term. The total raised was £915.

6<sup>th</sup> October – Celebrate with a school dinner 'Day of the Dinosaur' - Census Day Themed Menu



To support this year's autumn census day on Thursday 6th October, we will be holding a theme day entitled 'Day of the Dinosaur'.

To encourage as many students as possible to enjoy a healthy, hot school meal, we will be offering a special themed menu which provides a fun twist on the popular roast dinner. The menu is listed on the poster below. As per previous census days, the school with the highest % meal uptake will receive an educational visit from an incredible animatronic dinosaur later this year (exact date TBC with the winning school).

The themed competitions have had tremendous success over the last year, with each one increasing school meal uptake by an average of 20% across all primary schools.

## Reading Information Meeting for parents – Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September

Thank you to all those parents who attended the workshop this week and for your very positive comments on the evaluation forms. If you were unable to attend, the PowerPoint is on our school website.

#### **Student Support Centre**

Please return the forms by Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October, even if you are not interested.

### Well Done to the Workers of the week

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Olivia	Frederica	David	Sofia	Kamsy	Amanda	Olatomi
David	Vinny	Dexter	Luca	Hadley	Antonio	Jayden

#### **Well Done to our Core Value Ambassadors**

Perseverance	Cooperation	Respect	Inspiration	Compassion
Romeo – Year 6	Rich – Year 1	Marvin – Year 2	Hilary – Year 2	Harley – Reception

Calendar 11 12 19 10 10 11 11 16 19 10 10 10 11	Dates for your diary	
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> Sept	12pm – St Vincent's Day Mass followed by Bring and Share – separate letters	
	have been sent	
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept	St Vincent's Day celebrations in school today	
	Nursery Group 3 children start today	
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Nursery Group 4 children start today	
	Y2 Gymnastics Club 3.30pm – 4.30pm	
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Y4, Y5 & Y6 Karate Club 3.30pm – 4.30pm	
	Y2 & Y3 French Club 3.30pm – <b>4.20pm</b>	
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> Sept	No Year 2 Dance Club	
	Y4, Y5 & Y6 French Club 3.30pm – <b>4.20pm</b>	
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept	3pm – Whole school celebration assembly, parents welcome.	

### **Twitter @StVDag**

We are updating our school page regularly with photographs and details of what is going on in school. Even if you do not have a Twitter account yourself, you can follow the link from our school website to the Twitter page.

Please continue to keep Mr Mugenyi (Josh our sports coach) in your prayers. We hope to welcome him back to school on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely

Mrs C. Scott Headteacher

