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Dear Parents and Children,

Section 48 RE Inspection Report

Earlier today all families were emailed our report which has now been published. I am extremely proud that St Vincent's has been recognised as an '**Outstanding Catholic Primary School**' and would like to thank all the parents and pupils who spoke to the inspector, or returned the questionnaire.

The report really captures what is special and unique about our school. In particular I enjoyed reading what the children had said to the inspector; it is reassuring to know that our hard work on a daily basis and the ethos we have created is appreciated by the children. Thank you to all the staff and governors for everything you do to make St Vincent's the wonderful community that it is.

I have chosen a few of my favourite highlights from the report:

'St Vincent's is an outstanding catholic school. It has a strong Catholic ethos which is at the heart of all it does.'

'...pupils interviewed said they feel safe and well cared for.'

'Behaviour for learning is very good and pupils are polite to adults and each other.'

When talking about the pupils it said: 'They value the sense of friendship and belonging created within the school.'

'Pupils value the school and all that it offers. They know they are respected, listened to and encouraged to help each other.'

'The quality of the religious education curriculum is outstanding.'

'Provision for prayer and worship at St Vincent's is excellent.'

Parent Working Party Meeting

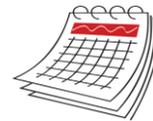
Apologies but I have to postpone the date of our Parent Working Party as the uniform samples I have ordered will not be ready in time. We have rescheduled a new date, 9am on 9th February. Please come along if you would like to be part of the discussion about possible changes to our school uniform. We will of course consult with all parents before any changes are agreed.

Lean Bean Club

Thank you to all those who came along to the meeting this week. All parents have been sent sign up information, so if you would like to take part, please return the form to the school office as soon as possible.



Dates for your diary



Monday 15th January	NO Futsal for Y4,5 &6 pm Athletics competition (separate letter sent)
Tuesday 16th January	3.30pm – 4.30pm – Gymnastics for Y2 3.30pm – 4.30pm – Multi Sports for Y3 & Y4
Wednesday 17th January	3.30pm – 4.30pm– Karate for Y4, 5 & 6 3.30pm – 4.30pm – Multi Sports for Y2
Thursday 18th January	Y5 Swimming lesson 3.30pm – 4.30pm – Dance for Y3 3.30pm – 4.30pm – Multi Sports for Y5 & Y6
Friday 19th January	9.15am Whole School Mass, parents welcome 3pm WOW Assembly, all parents welcome.
Lunchtime clubs running this week Monday Y1/2 Football, Tuesday Y1 Team building and Multi sports, Wednesday Y5/6 Basketball and Thursday Y3/4 Football.	

Well Done to our Workers of the week

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Suzan	Lilly	Toye	Dominika	Roshana	Andrew	Gabriela
Ksawery	Aydan	Kristian	Nicholas	Ringuadas	Paul	Kamsiyonna

Well Done to our Core Value Ambassadors

Perseverance	Cooperation	Respect	Inspiration	Compassion
Jalen – Year 6	Gabriella and Vinny Year 2	Shantelle - Reception	Iwinosa – Year 6	Angel – Year 3

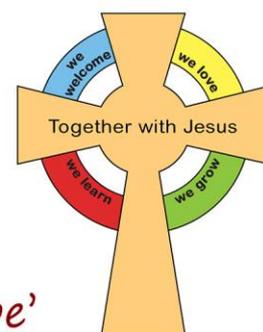
Whole School Mass

On Friday 19th January at 9.15am, we will be celebrating Mass with Fr. Joseph in the church, to mark the beginning of this new year. All parents and friends are most welcome.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

God Bless,

Mrs C. Scott
Headteacher



'The best we can be'