

# St. Thomas' S.N.S. Newsletter



## School Rule

I do my best in class and allow others to do the same

# After School Clubs

After School Clubs are finished until the New Year apart from Chess which will go ahead on Tuesday. We are very grateful to the teachers who give freely of their time with the clubs.

## Lost Property

The lost property is growing......we have lots of jumpers and jackets brought to the office in the past few weeks which still remain unclaimed. Please put your child's name on their clothing so it can be returned.

## **Basketball News**

Ms Surlis' and Ms English' Boys Basketball Team brought home the trophy on Monday from the competition in the National Basketball Arena. It was very nearly a double as the girls were beaten by only 1 basket.

### School Choir

Our school choir are very much in demand and have been invited to perform in JADD on Thursday. The choir will walk there and back. Tallaght Hospital have also invited them back again this year. They sing there next Tuesday. We are very proud of them all and are very grateful fo Ms O'Reilly and Ms Guinman for their guidance and tuition.



There appears to be a lot of illness around at the moment . If your child feels unwell in school we will ring you and you decide whether they go home or not.

Please check your child's hair on a regular basis for headlice.

12th December 2016

## **Christmas Shows**

You are all invited to see your children perform on:

3rd Class Parents—Thursday 15th December @ 9.30

5th Class Parents—Thursday 15 December @ 11.30

4th Class Parents—Friday 16th December @ 9.30

6th Class Parents—Friday 16th December @ 11.30

Please be punctual as each show must start on time. As the shows are quite short we also ask that people stay for the whole show and do not leave until it is over as it is very hard on the last class to perform to a half empty hall.

There is great excitement around the school. Lots of work goes on behind the scenes to ensure their success, thanks to the teachers and SNA's for their dedication and commitment. It is a fantastic experience for the children to be involved and to take part in the performance. There is a wealth of taken among the children. Well done to them all.

Parents will be selling Christmas gifts and trinkets at the door so don't forget your cash......

# Students of the Month

Well done to the Pupils of the Month and Sports Stars of the Month (listed overleaf).

These pupils have been chosen by their teachers. It is not an easy decision to make when there are so many excellent pupils.

# Students of the Month

Congratulations to the following pupils who were nominated by their teachers as Students of the Month. It is always a very difficult decision to make and we are proud of all the children.

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> Class

**Troy Byrne Cullen** Abi White Joel Fitzgerald Sasha Prendergast Elisha Whelan

#### 4<sup>th</sup> Class

Mary Donoghue Tania Whelan Paris Sweeney Abi O'Toole Emma Nunes Jonathan Waters

#### 5<sup>th</sup> Class

Derek Abudiore Dylan Fay Melita Finn Flynn Margarita Charlamenkova Naoise Murphy

### 6<sup>th</sup> Class

Lee Reid Alex Douglas Evan Kenny Kelechi Agunenye Bobo Adejumobi

#### of the Month portstars

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Class

Katie Dillon Lauren Naghten Eti Jeginson Kaylee Farrelly Darragh Byrne-Mansfield

### 4<sup>th</sup> Class

Reece Tangara Bernie Donoghue Grace Ross Heenan Jeff Lamine Traore Keith Joyce

### 5<sup>th</sup> Class

Sophie Timmins Nikola Chylicka Ben Campbell Martina Connors Lee Quinlan

6<sup>th</sup> Class

Ife Yusuf Scott Browne Sophie Varma Ola Alarape Tia Byrne

### Class Attendance for the month of November 2016

3rd Class-Winner of the Cup-Ms Hayes (Room 6) 95.2 %

4th Class—Winner of the Cup—Mr Crosbie (Room 26) 96 %

5th Class-Winner of the Cup-Ms Graham (Room 12) 97.5 %

6th Class-Winner of the Cup-Ms O'Reilly (Room 13) 96 %

Whole School Attendance for November-93 %