



St. Thomas' S.N.S. Newsletter



12th November, 2018

Rule of the Week

I have respect for people and for property

Reminder: Enrolment MSCC

There are a few places left. Enrolment on Monday and Tuesdays at 9.00am until the end of November. Bring Birth Certificate, PPSN and proof of PPSN.

Students of the Month

Congratulations to all the Students of the Month (listed overleaf) who were named at Assembly last week. They will visit the Phoenix Park Visitors Centre today. Thanks to Joanne from Dublin Bus for providing the transport.

Maths Week

We are having our Maths Week this week. A huge thank you to our wonderful group of volunteer parents who will be doing Maths for Fun with the 3rd classes all week. We are also running a Mathletics Drive.

Code of Behaviour

The Code of Behaviour will be reviewed at the Board of Management meeting this Friday. If you have any suggestions or comments regarding the Code of Behaviour we would love to hear them.

Website



www.stthomas.ie

To see what your children are doing in school and to see their work/projects and keep up to date with the latest news check out the school website

Christmas Fair



We are holding our annual Christmas Fair on Friday 30th November. Thank you to all the parents working on this.

If you have any unwanted gifts/toys in **good condition** please send them in to Lisa.

School & Sports News

- A. **Swimming:** Session 6 of 8 swims takes place tomorrow for 4th class pupils.
- B. **Cookery:** Ms Kiernan's and Ms Flynn's classes will have Cookery Lessons for five weeks starting on Wednesday with a tutor from the Food Dude programme.
- C. **Sprocket Rocket:** Due to the weather and high rainfall last week the cycling initiative with 3rd classes had to be postponed as it is an outdoor activity. We are hoping it will go ahead this week.
- D. **Basketball:** We are taking part in a Basketball Blitz in the National Basketball Arena this Thursday. Ms O'Rourke and Ms Kelly are the Basketball Coaches this year.
- E. **Heritage in Schools:** Mr Bacon's and Ms B Daly's classes will be working with Beth from Heritage in Schools this Friday.
- F. **Transition:** Ms Fleming's class will visit MSCC on Friday.
- G. **IT Tallaght:** 30 pupils from 6th class have been chosen to attend a 'Juggling Scientist' science show in IT Tallaght on Friday. We are delighted to be involved in this way.

Gaeilge

Each week we are trying to include a sentence(s) in Irish (as Gaeilge) that you might like to use at home with your child

Go raibh maith agat—Thank you
Fáilte romhat—You're welcome
Ca bhfuil tu? - Where are you
An maith leat? - Do you like?



And our Seanfhocail (old Irish saying) translates to "When the cat is away the mice will play"

Parish News

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES IN THE PASTORAL CENTRE:

MONDAYS: 11 am - Divine Mercy Prayer.

Kids Speech & Drama class - 1.45 pm for juniors & 2.45 pm for seniors (Olivia Fitzgerald)

TUESDAYS: **Godly Play on Tuesday, 20th of November at 11 am** for adults & 3 pm for children! (Saule Cameron & Rosemary Lavelle).

WEDNESDAYS: **Junior Choir** at 3 pm in the parish church (Olivia Luc & Saule Cameron)

WEDNESDAYS & THURSDAYS: **First Holy Communion preparation** with Sr. Joan. 7.30 pm **Men's Shed** (Danny Morris).

THURSDAYS: **CHURCH CAFÉ** - 9.30 am to 12.30 pm (Justine Redmond).

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.

3rd Class

Sean Reel
Jakub Pietrewicz
Mia Masterson
Kayla Cassidy
Rose Geoghegan

4th Class

Daniel Healy
Lucy Murphy
Brandon Nong
Patrick Nazimek
Gift Kamara
Ciaran Rodgers

5th Class

Temi Martins
Chloe White
Callum Kelly OConnor
Sasha Prendergast

6th Class

Kyle Elliott
Katelynn McAllister
Niamh Morrissey
Katie Enright
Naomi Connors

Sportstars of the Month

3rd Class

Holly Cooling
Zac Whelan
Jamie Shields
Megan Whelan
Safiyah Tangara

4th Class

Sophie Nolan
Aoife Johnson
Demi McDonagh
Kayla Heenan
Jayden Griffin
Sophie Murdoch Dunne

5th Class

Daniel Kavanagh
Katie Dillon
Thomas McCarthy
John Farrell

6th Class

Ryan Farrell
Jessica Byrne
Casey Fox
Lyndsey O'Reilly
Michael Wall

Gaeilgeoir ni Miosa

3rd Class

Taylor Grant
Princess Kamara
Tadhg Dowdall
Brooklyn Boyo
Katie Nguyen

4th Class

Precious Adeniyi
Andrew Whelan
Felim Conlon
Ava Lawlor
Halfrida Haloui

5th Class

Lauren Naghten
Dylan Sheil
Tia O'Callaghan
Warren Guerrine

6th Class

Abi O'Toole
Kerin Diba
Cillian Petcher
Chloe Smith

