



# Holy Family School

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## Newsletter No. 05

This week we celebrated **Takeover Day**. Today's newsletter has been written by:- Zoya as Headteacher and Razia as Deputy Headteacher, students from Year 6.

As part of our roles we led an assembly and read out a Gospel about Pilate attempting to make Jesus say 'I am King.' However Jesus replied, 'I am not that sort of King.' We asked the children what this meant and they all agreed that Jesus isn't a King of a country, He is a King because he is the son of God and he leads us by his example.

In the assembly we also discussed our virtues; Faith-filled and Hopeful. We asked the children if they had seen each other living out these virtues.

### Gymnastics Competition

Recently, some of our children from Year 3 and Year 4 attended a gymnastics competition.

They represented our school amazingly and put all their dedication and effort into the activities.

They tried their best and did really well. Well Done!

### Takeover Day

As you might know, this week was 'Take over' day.

It was a delight to have it yet again and was really enjoyable for all our Year 6 children.

It was a fun occasion for us and a splendid experience. We all worked really hard to plan lessons and teach the children.

During Takeover Day it was also NO Pens Day. So we had to plan lessons excluding pens and pencils!

### Year 6 Library Trip

This week Year 6 travelled to the Central library in town.

During our trip, we were equipped with flasks full of hot drinks and various snack bars.

When we saw a homeless person we would provide them with a hot drink and a snack.

In return, they'd give us a smile and it was good to know that WE made their day.

### Football

On Tuesday afternoon our Year 5 and Year 6 children went to play football representing Holy Family in the Catholic Cup.

### Parish Christmas Fayre Tomorrow from 12.00

In order to support our parish, please come to the Parish Christmas Fayre tomorrow.

You can win things, buy things and all donations will go towards to the parish.

A really big thank you to those who will attend. We appreciate all donations!

*God Bless*

*Zoya & Razia*

*Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2018*

## CASHLESS OFFICE - Coming Soon!

Following on from the success of our online school uniform sales, we will be transferring to an online system for collecting money in school after Christmas.

All payments including dinner money and trip money will need to be made online or via a paypoint machine.

More details to follow over the next few weeks.

## School Planners

We have made a good start with our school planners but need your continued support with these.

**All children need to be reading every night and their planners need to be signed by an adult.**

The children will also be working towards achieving their daily reward stars by:

- Being in school every day and on time
- Having the correct uniform
- Having their PE kit
- Reading every night
- Doing their best in everything they do
- Taking pride in everything they do

A number of children are reaching their bronze target.

They will receive a **special bronze star** in assembly and parents will be invited in to celebrate this.

## Diary Dates

Thursday	06 December	10.30	Advent Mass Year 3
Friday	07 December		Nursery Sing-a-Long
Thursday	13 December	9.00	Christmas Fund Raising Morning
Thursday	13 December	14.00	KS1 Nativity
Tuesday	18 December	13.00	Sleeping Beauty Theatre Trip Y1-Y6
Wednesday	19 December		Christmas Dinner Day
Thursday	20 December		Rudolph Theatre Trip Rec
Thursday	20 December	15.00	KS2 Carol Concert - Church
Friday	21 December	10.30	Christmas Mass
Friday	21 December	13.00	School Closes for Christmas Holiday
Monday	07 January	08.45	School Re-opens