

# St. Wilfrid's Catholic (VA) Primary School and Nursery



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## OCTOBER 2019 NEWSLETTER

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

#### Half Term

**30th Oct** – Tag Rugby Comp.

**31<sup>st</sup> Oct** - closing date for **Secondary Applications**

**31<sup>st</sup> Oct** – Fire and Rescued service to visit school

**1st Nov** – School art gallery and sale.

**4<sup>th</sup> Nov** – Stay safe fire service talk

**6<sup>th</sup> Nov** – Wigan Cross country

**6<sup>th</sup> Nov** – PTA meeting in school at 6pm all welcome

**7<sup>th</sup> Nov** – Flu vaccinations

**11<sup>th</sup> Nov** – Anti Bullying week

**15th Nov** - Children in Need Day - details to follow

**4<sup>th</sup> Dec** – Open Evening – 3.30pm to 6.30pm

**6th Dec** - P.T.A – non-uniform day

**16th Dec** - Christingle Service 6pm in Church bring cans for Ashton Food Bank

**18<sup>th</sup> Dec** – PTA school disco

**19th Dec** – School Party Day

**20<sup>th</sup> Dec** – School closes at **2pm** for the holidays.

**(Please note for after school club there will only be half a session available till 4.30 pm.)**



This is a polite reminder that the school levy plays a crucial role to maximise the continued investment in our school. You can make this payment of £10 through parent pay – please remember it is payable every new school year. Thank you for your continued support.

### FUNDRAISING

Thank you for the donations towards **Macmillan Cancer Care** - the children enjoyed their cakes and we raised £175.50. Well done!

We are collecting for **CAFOD** on **Friday 18th October**. We ask for donations for a non-uniform day.

Miss Corcoran will be in to lead a Family Fast Day/Harvest CAFOD Assembly for the children.

On **Friday 15th November**, we will be having a spotty day for **Children in Need** so children can come in spotty T-shirts or other Children in Need merchandise for a donation of £1.

On **Monday 16th December**, we will have a Christingle Service for everybody in Church. Please bring a can of food which will be donated to **the Ashton Food Bank**.



Why not try this online safety quiz with your friends and family.  
**Lets keep children safe online together.**

<https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/safer-internet-day-2019/safer-internet-day-2019-quiz>

**What out for the new letter connected with Extra Curriculum clubs. In the new term we will be holding:**

Cooking club on a **Tuesday** (Children already selected)

Computing Club for upper KS2 on a **Tuesday**

Art Club for Lower KS2 on a **Wednesday**

Multi-sports for KS1 on a **Wednesday**

Science for KS2 on a **Wednesday**

Musical Theatre lower KS2 on a **Thursday**



The school Council will once again be organising and supporting - **Operation Christmas Child (shoebox appeal)**. The Council will present an assembly for this appeal on 14th October. So there will be more information to follow. **Shoeboxes are available to purchase from the school office for 40p.**

**SECONDARY SCHOOL APPLICATIONS:** Applications for high school must be in by 31 October. If applying for St Edmund Arrowsmith HS, make sure you hand in the Supplementary Faith Form (proof of baptism) into our school office.



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