



Our Lady of Walsingham Catholic Primary School

Working together to inspire and learn, guided by God's love.

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Respect * Safe * Kind

Attendance this week: 88.9%

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Reception:	90%
Year 1:	99.2%
Year 2:	96.7%
Year 3:	97%
Year 4:	87.5%
Year 5:	80.7%
Year 6:	75.2%

10 th Dec	ETPS Christmas
11 th Dec	KS1 Christmas Play
12 th Dec	Pensioners' Afternoon Tea
12 th Dec	KS2 Carols by Candlelight
13 th Dec	PTA Christmas Fayre
18 th Dec	Christmas Dinner
19 th Dec	Christmas Parties
20 th Dec	Christmas Mass (9:30)

Advent This week we have been celebrating the second week of Advent - which means that we have 'PEACE' in our hearts.

Posada We have had the most fantastic response - a huge thank you to everyone for really taking this to your heart and for the lovely comments and photographs!



Sefton Shining Star - Two of our staff members, Miss Dempsey and Miss Kinder, attended the Sefton Shining Star awards on Tuesday night to support Ethan from Year 5, with his family. Ethan received a lovely award which commended him for his hard work and his kindness in our school. Well done Ethan - we are very, very proud of you!



wonderful school Hughes, attended Park Centre, where festive tunes and teachers were done!



Brass Band/Choir - Our choir and brass band, lead by Mrs the Christmas party at the Netherton they entertained everyone with their songs! It was a lovely event and the really proud of everyone involved! Well



Year 4 Assembly - Thank you to the huge number of parents who attended the Roman Assembly this morning, lead by Year 4 - what a fantastic occasion - thank you Miss Kinder and Mrs White!



Road Safety Talk - On Wednesday, Years 1,2 and 3 were treated to a special assembly from Joe Morris, from Sefton Council on Road Safety - it really is important to keep safe when the mornings and evenings can be so dark. Wear something bright!



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Chess Trip -

Yesterday, Mr Lindsay and I were privileged to take 6 pupils to London for the day for a chess tournament. A special mention to Sophie who played on the stage at the



Olympia (and won!) and then went onto receive a Bronze medal in the tournament for her age category! The 8 of us had the most incredible day - we travelled to London first class and had breakfast on the train; we used the London underground; we played chess at the Olympia; we took a taxi through London to see Buckingham Palace, Trafalgar Square, Piccadilly Circus, Kensington Palace and several parks; we visited every single floor in Hamleys and then we walked the length of Oxford Street and Tottenham Court Road to take the train back home. Chloe, Chloe, Stephen, Barry, Lois and Sophie - we want to say thank you to you for the best day - such good fun - I don't think I've ever laughed so much on a school trip! Every single step of the way, people stopped us and told us how amazing our pupils were. We know that about every single pupil in this school but it was such a lovely reminder.



Christmas Stay and



Play



- Both Nursery and Reception welcomed parents today for their Stay and Play crafty workshops! There were so many parents who came along - a huge thank you to you all. I hope you enjoyed the glitter!

Mission Christmas Cash for Kids - This year we will, once again be collecting for this brilliant charity - if you are able to pick up a spare toy or game for a child who will receive very little on Christmas Day then please leave it under our Christmas tree. Many thanks for your support.

Sport - Six Year 4 pupils took part in the Santa Dash at Litherland Sports Centre on Wednesday. Today our four Bronze ambassadors from Year 5 and eight Year 3 children have taken part in a Multi Skills festival. The Bronze ambassadors, having received their training last week, ran the event whilst being supervised by Ali from South Sefton Sports Partnership and Mr Hubbert.

Christmas Plays Next week - IMPORTANT - tickets have been distributed for all performances and seats have been allocated already on a first-come, first serve basis. For health and safety, doors will be opened 10 minutes beforehand for our audience to find their seats. There is a reserve list for those who have requested more than the 3 tickets so if you no longer need a ticket, please let us know. If you do not have a ticket, you will not be able to come in - SORRY but we have to be strict due to severe health and safety.

Pensioners' Afternoon Tea - This annual event, organized by Year 6 is next Tuesday at 2pm - if anyone (of a certain age) would like to come along, then please call the office to reserve your space.

Birthdays - Celebrating this week are Jude and Gabrielle (Nursery), Esme (Reception), Jack and Daniel (Year 4), and finally Lily and Kasper (Year 6). Congratulations to you all!

