



ST. PATRICK'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



Newsletter 6

28th November 2025

Congratulations Mrs Hatton!

Many congratulations to Mr & Mrs Hatton who had a beautiful baby girl, Rosanna Joy, earlier this week. We are delighted to report that everyone is doing well and thoroughly enjoying family life. We are keeping all the Hattons in our prayers at this special time and are looking forward to meeting Rosanna in the near future.

Headteacher Award – Writing

Children work so hard in school and are making good progress across the curriculum. The Headteacher Award last week was for children who have been working particularly hard with their writing. It was a pleasure to hear about the ways in which they have been improving. Fantastic job children!

Leo H – Rec S	Aibhlinn G – 1S	Albie F – 2S	
Sonny B - Rec P	Cecilia L – 1P	Orla H – 2P	
Xian V – 3S	Lilah H – 4S	Yves V – 5S	Logan W – 6S
Pheobe H – 3P	Ewa G – 4P	Imogen C – 5P	Luca P – 6P

Jubilee Year Celebration Day

On Friday 21st November, there was a Jubilee Celebration Day for children across the world to reflect on all they have achieved during the Jubilee Year as pilgrims of hope. Children shared prayers they had written for the poor and thought about ways in which we can look to the future with hope. Pope Leo has asked that we hold all members of our global family in our prayers, particularly those from the poorest communities.

As part of the Celebration Day, children started to create some artwork that will link to their upcoming Advent reflections with Fr John and Linda. This artwork will be displayed in the Churches of St Patrick's and St Marie's over the Christmas period.

If you would like to visit Church and attend Mass, please see below for the current Mass times:

St Marie's: 12 noon Tuesday to Saturday, 8.30am and 10am on Sunday

St Patrick's: 10am Thursday, 6pm Saturday, 11.30am Sunday

Christmas Jumper & Uniform Sale

Thank you to everyone who donated a Christmas jumper and/or came to the Christmas Jumper and Uniform Sale on Wednesday. We were asking for a small donation in exchange for a Christmas jumper or items of school uniform and raised £41.64. Compassion Acts have now collected the surplus uniform which will be available in their Uniform Hub. Please see <https://compassionacts.uk/uniform-hub/> for more information.

A little reminder that it is **Christmas Jumper Day** on **11th December** and children are invited to wear a Christmas jumper or accessory to celebrate this. Children will be completing their **Santa Dash** on **11th December** so are asked to wear their PE kits, even if this is not one of their scheduled PE days. All our upcoming Christmas events can be found on <https://www.stpatrickschurchtown.com/calendar/?calid=10,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9&pid=313&viewid=5> on the school website.

Christmas Productions

School has been filled with the wonderful sound of children's singing as each class from Reception to Year 4 is preparing for their Christmas productions. Christmas performances are such special occasions for everyone. In the event you take any photographs or videos during the performances, we politely request that they are not shared on any social media platforms. Thank you for your support with this.

Christmas Cards and Merchandise

Thank you to everyone who ordered Christmas cards and/ or Christmas merchandise from Class Fundraising earlier in the year. All ordered items have been sent home with children this afternoon. Many thanks to the parents who came into school yesterday to help organise and distribute the goods to the appropriate classes. We recognise that everyone has very busy lives and really appreciate you giving up your time to help with this.

We would like to work with parents to organise some fundraising events for the spring and summer terms but understand the time constraints involved with different working schedules and family commitments. We have had some suggestions about moving forward with this and are grateful for people's thoughts and ideas. If you would like to get involved with any fundraising activities, please get in touch with school via admin@stpatricks.sefton.school

Headteacher Award – Resilience

Resilience is such a key ingredient to people feeling happy and successful and is an important part of children's journey at school. This week, class teachers chose children who have demonstrated resilience in different ways to receive the Headteacher Award. Congratulations children!

Otto B – Rec S	Eddie B – 1S	Elowen P – 2S	
Reggie Q – Rec P	Ilaria H – 1P	Wilfred P – 2P	
Evangeline R – 3S	Halle F – 4S	Alfie H – 5S	Lily Rose U – 6S
Poppy M – 3P	Ava M – 4P	Sapphire M – 5P	Anya K – 6P

Mental Health Sefton Team (MHST) - Parent Support

The MHST are continuing to run their monthly webinar support sessions for parents. December's topic is **'Understanding Your Child's Behaviour'**. All parents are invited to join sessions which are relaxed and informal and share evidence-based strategies and practical support.

These sessions will take place on **Thursday 11th December 17:00-18:00** and **Friday 12th December 09:30-10:30**. Please email your class teacher to obtain the link for your desired date and time. You do not need to attend both of these sessions as they contain the same content.

Coats

Please can you make sure children are bringing a coat into school each day. As we know, British weather can be variable and children need to be able to wrap up and get some much-needed fresh air and exercise at break time every day.

School Crossing – Vacancy

So many people in the local area work hard to support the school community. This includes the School Crossing Service who help to ensure that children can cross the roads safely on their journeys to and from school. Stuart has been serving our community for a significant length of time but has now decided to retire, leaving a vacancy available for anyone who might be interested. Many thanks to Stuart for all his years of service. He will be missed by many children and their families!

After School Clubs

The following clubs are running this half term:

Y6 Maths Booster Club: Year 6 – Mondays (3.30pm – 4.30pm)
Year 5 Girls' Football Club: Year 5 – Mondays (3.30pm – 4.20pm)
Year 5 Multi Sports: Tuesday & Wednesdays (3.30pm – 4.20pm)
Year 1 Christmas Crafts Club – Thursdays (3.15pm – 4.00pm)

Children can be collected at the main entrance of school at the end of each club.

Many thanks to all the staff who are giving their time to run these clubs. Thank you also to Mrs Dagger who has been running the Year 5 Girls' Football Club with Mr Smith. If any other parents would like to run or assist with our After School Clubs, please contact the school office. We would be absolutely delighted to hear from you.

