

# St Robert's R.C. First School Newsletter



17th November 2016

Head Teacher: Mr D Sutcliffe

***We care, we serve, we learn together in the love and truth of Jesus***

***Statement to live by: I try to be just and fair***

## Upcoming Diary Dates

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| Monday<br>21/11    | Road safety Week                |
| Tuesday<br>22/11   | Judo Taster session—all classes |
| Wednesday<br>23/11 | Swimming Year 3                 |
| Thursday<br>24/11  |                                 |
| Friday<br>25/11    | Library Years 1 & 2             |

## Attendance challenge:

Rec - 98.3%

Year 1 - 96.2%

Year 2 - 98%

Year 3 - 94.7%

Year 4 - 92.3%

Whole school— 95.9%

National target: 96%

## Attendance:

Well done Year 2, 98% attendance - fantastic



|     | Good Work | Star of the Week |
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| NUR |           | Jack             |
| Rec | Jacob     | Isla             |
| Y1  | Jack      | Amelia           |
| Y2  | Devon     | Ethan            |
| Y3  | Molly     | Orla             |
| Y4  | Holly     | Ajeet            |



**CHILDREN IN NEED:** On Friday the 18th Nov we will have a non school uniform day to support Children in Need—donations of £1. The theme this year is **SPOTACULAR** so we will have a little competition! One pupil in each class who can include the most spots on their non uniform will win a prize—be as creative as you want!

**ROAD SAFETY WEEK:** Road Safety Week is the UK's biggest road safety event, coordinated annually by Brake and involving thousands of schools, organisations and communities each year. It is an opportunity to remind your child about the importance of road safety and a reminder to parents about their responsibility using the roads too. More info can be found at [www.roadsafetyweek.org](http://www.roadsafetyweek.org)

**SURVEY RESULTS:** To date we have received 106 responses to the school survey. If you haven't yet completed it and would like to please follow the link: <https://surveyplanet.com/581f9acc52f9586263f380de> or ask for a hard copy from the school office. I will produce the results to this survey in next weeks newsletter. Thank you to every parent who has taken the time to complete the survey.

**FINANCE SKILLS REQUIRED:** The Governors are looking to recruit an Associate Governor to support the staffing and finance committee. If you have a background in finance and could spare 3 hours over one academic year and would like to support the school please speak to Mr Sutcliffe.

**PANTO:** This year's Panto is Dick Whittington and will take place on Friday 2 December 2016 in the afternoon. To cover costs, we ask for a donation of £5 per child (£10 per family). This can be paid via Parentmail or the School Office.

**MORNINGS ON THE YARD:** A reminder to all that pupils should always be waiting over the yellow line and not near the main gates. Early Years have requested that pupils stay off the outdoor equipment before and after school.

**CAR PARK:** Can I remind all parents that the car park remains closed until further

**SHOEBOX APPEAL:** An amazing 104 shoeboxes have been collected by our school this year! A huge thank you to everyone who contributed to a shoebox or filled up a couple with fantastic presents for children who need our love and generosity. Mr Sutcliffe will now dress up for Celebration Assembly on Friday the 25th Nov! The suggestions of outfit are already rolling in!



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