"Believe in the light so that you will be children of the light."

John 12:36

Weekly Newsletter: 26th September 2025

### Learning Power of the Week: Collaboration

- Value everyone and their contributions
- Learn from each other
- Champion your ideas
- Take on a role
- Share and support
- Trust each other

Two heads are better than one Everyone you will ever meet knows something you don't



Nursery: Nya

Reception: Scarlett

Year 1: Vinnie

Year 2: Arabella L

Year 3: Arianna

Year 4: Felicity Year 5: Tiffany

Year 6: Amira

Well done children, you have shown how you SHINE this week!



#### **Mass Times:**

Fr Michael would love to see you all in

Church to celebrate mass:

Wednesday: 9:15

Saturday: 5.30PM—St John Fisher

Church

Sunday: 11AM—St Columba's Church





#### **Attendance**

Our attendance target for each class in school is 97%+ each week.



Year	Percentage	Number of stars awarded
Nursery	90%	0
Reception	94%	0
Year 1	98%	2
Year 2	99%	2
Year 3	98%	2
Year 4	94%	0
Year 5	91%	0
Year 6	98%	2

## Our attendance winners this week is Year 2 with 99%!

#### You have to be in to win!

97% - 1 star 98-99% -



Plus 5 minutes extra play on a Monday!

#### Save the Dates

30th September 2025 at 9:30 PINS coffee morning (Partnerships for the Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools—please see letter on ParentApp)

15th October 2025 at 9am – Year 3 Prayer and Liturgy
16th October 2025 at 9am – Year 2 Prayer and Liturgy
17th October 2025 at 9pm – Year 1 Prayer and Liturgy
21st October 2025 at 9pm – Year 4 Prayer and Liturgy
22nd October 2025 at 9pm – Year 5 Prayer and Liturgy
24th October 2025 at 9am—Nursery Prayer and Liturgy

#### Events for children

22nd October 2025—Halloween Disco

14th November 2025—Children in Need

18th December 2025—Year 1 to Year 6 Cinema Trip

18th December 2025—Nursery and Reception Disco

2nd and 3rd December 2025—Parent evening 3:30 - 5:30

(Appointments will be available on line after half term)

19th December 2025—Breakfast with Santa and Party Day

## New Parent Governor

Following the voting at the end of the Summer Term, we are pleased to announce that Mrs Veitch was successfully appointed as our new Parent Governor. We would like to thank all of those who nominated themselves for the role and for those parents who participated in the vote.

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# Lifevac Donation

We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Weir for their generous donation of a Lifevac anti-choking device to our school. Inspired by their own family loss of their son Marty, who passed away in 2022, the Weir family is committed to preventing others from suffering similar heartbreak. They firmly believe that if a Lifevac had been available, Marty would still be with us today.

Mr and Mrs Weir have been working with The Megan Hurley foundation which was established in memory of Megan Hurley, who tragically lost her life in the Manchester Arena terror attack in 2017. Thanks to the support of the Foundation, 20 LifeVac devices have been purchased to help raise awareness and enhance safety in our community. We are truly grateful for this life-saving contribution.

