



St. Chad's Catholic Primary School, Sedgley
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Dear Parents / Carers

Congratulations to our Gold Star Children this week who are:

Reception: Fraya-Mary for being such a fabulous imaginative friend.

Y1: Gabriella for fantastic written work using connectives and time words.

Y2: Matilda for careful problem solving.

Y3: Jude for excellent effort in maths and producing great work.

Y4: Shay for a colourful detailed poster about Mosely Old Hall.

Y5: Jeswin for always contributing in class and for his politeness and good manners.

Y6: Ben for showing confidence and maturity during a recent trip to a school in Holland.

Folk Mass: this Sunday at 10.30am at St. Chad's. Mrs Greaney invites the children to come and sing at the front of church.

Sports' Day: thank you to all the parents and grandparents that supported the children at Sports' Day. We were very lucky with the weather and I think everyone had a good day.

Fiver Challenge: the "businesses" are doing well, helped by the sales on Sports' Day (thank you). Please continue to support this venture by sending your child with some money to spend on Monday and Thursday.

Friends' Coffee Morning: will take place on Thursday 25th June after Mass in the Sunshine Room. Come and have a coffee and a chat, and help plan for future events. All parents, carers and parishioners welcome.

Sponsored Challenge: your child should have brought home a sponsor form for our Sponsored Challenge day, which will take place on 2nd July. The child who collects the most money will receive a prize.

Staffing for September 2015: I know many of you are anxious to know which teacher will be having your child's class next year. This year has been quite a challenge with maternity cover, sickness and a promotion to deal with. Unfortunately these things happen and as a school we have ensured that every class has been taught by an experienced teacher. We hope next year will be less eventful!

Reception: Mrs Bentley, Y1: Mrs Jain, (an experienced Y1 teacher - Mrs Thomas to return in January after maternity leave), Y2: Mr Wilkinson, Y3: Mrs Jones, Y4: Mr Lodge, Y5: Mrs Hunt and Y6: Mrs Clews. Mrs Greaney three days a week and Mrs Dunne will return for three days a week from the end of July.

Staff leaving: Sylvia Pearce, who has helped keep our school beautifully clean for over twenty two years, will be retiring at the end of the term. Maggie Williams is leaving to take up another job and Trudy will be leaving St. Chad's to become catering manager at Bishop Milner.

Date for your diary: St. Chad's Black Country Day 11th July, organised by Pegasus Events.

Parent Questionnaires: thank you to the parents who have returned their questionnaires. Please return completed forms by Monday 29th June 2015.

Individual Music Tuition for September 2015: if your child is interested in playing an instrument and having lessons in school, please complete and return by Tuesday 23rd June, the form sent out last week.

Happy Father's Day to all the dads.

S. M. Mason