



## ST PATRICK'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents,

In our belief statement assembly this morning we shared the statement, '**I listen to what you say, I show that I am listening to you.**' It is an aspect of good manners that we listen carefully to others and accept that we show that respect.

### Thank You!

It was good to see so many children supporting the school council's request to wear own clothes last Friday in support of the Haiti emergency appeal. We will be sending off a cheque for £80 this week. Thank you!

### Building Work

As you can see, the builders are now on site and we are using the hall doors as the entrance point for visitors. I would like to ask that **no parents** drive into the car park when collecting/dropping off children to and from school as space is even more limited. We also need to ensure the safety of children as they are leaving after school clubs. Please be extra careful when bringing children into school late. Can we please also remind parents that smoking on any of the school grounds is not allowed.

I would appreciate it if people who live close by school would keep an eye on the building at weekends whilst the building work is being carried out. We had visitors at the weekend who stole the digger and dumper and caused damage to the school fencing as they left the premises.

### This week's assemblies

You are welcome to join us on Friday for our Special Mention Assembly at 2.30pm.

### After School Activities

Tuesday: Magazine Club 3.00 - 3.30pm

Wednesday: Homework, 3.00 - 3.45pm and Foundation 2 / Key Stage 1 music, 3.00 - 4.00pm

### Y4/5/6 Residential Visit

Peak Venture, Penistone, 26 - 28 May, cost approximately £140 (depending on numbers)

Names and deposits, £40, to Mr Dent by the end of February.

### Bonus Ball

Please try to pay Cherry by Friday of each week. This is a really useful way of helping to raise funds for school.

### Half Term

A reminder that we end the half term this coming Friday and that the children will return to school on Tuesday 23 February.