ST. HELEN'S NEWS

18th October 2019

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Our Mission Statement

Respect yourself

Praying the Rosary

In the month of October

space in the playground)

for unity and peace.

Pope Francis is inviting all Christians to pray especially for the mission of the Church and for missionaries. As October is also the Month of the Holy Rosary all children are invited to pray the Rosary together on the 18th October for peace and unity around the world. St Helen's will be praying the rosary on this day and every day during October (You may have noticed our special prayer

Respect everyone in our school community Respect everyone in our local community Respect everyone in our global community But most of all, respect God our Father in Heaven





Evie O'Reilly who made an excellent Nurse's assistant on flu vaccination day. Alex Grymuza for his amazing dragon homework. Jack Sheppard and Jack Moss for helping the Lifeboat Crew Member find her missing keysl



Children are enjoying the choices at our new Salad Bar during lunch. Thank you to Year 5 pupils for serving with a smile.









Area problem-solving, building kites and testing them. They had linked this to the shape/size of dragon's wings. Ingenious!



Please see the link below if you would like more information on praying the Rosary

https://millionkidspraying.org/en



Year 6 children had a fabulous time at Southend Lifeboat Station understanding the role of a volunteer in our local community.

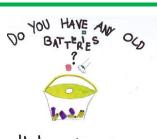
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WEEKLY FOCUS



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OCTOBER * NOVEMBER EVENTS 2019

Tuesday 22nd October Wednesday 23rd October Friday 25th OCtober Monday 4th November Tuesday 5th November

15 & 1J Church visit Individual photographs, family groups from 8.00 am * Football/Netball Tournament OLOL 2.30 Reading Event Monday 28th October - Friday 1st November HALF TERM HOLIDAY Back to school 3.30 - 4.30 Opening evening Years 1 - 6

Swim England have recently launched an App called : <u>My Learn to Swim App</u>. It aims to make learning to swim even more fun. It's free to download and as children progress they can collect characters, certificates and share their achievements.

Why not have a look!







Class 6 have been working on their Shoebox Museums.

PARENT VACANCY ON OUR LOCAL GOVERNING COMMITTEE

Are you are a Parent of a child in our school ? Are you interested in becoming a Parent Governor for St. Helen's Catholic Primary school? These are the areas of interest/expertise that we are looking for (you might have 1 or more): finance, health and safety, property management or an enthusiastic interest in primary education. Please do not be put off by these areas – training can be provided.

Anyone with enthusiasm, commitment and good people skills would be very welcome to put themselves forward.

Please contact Mrs Mouchel for an informal chat about what the role involves.

Forms and more information are coming home this week.

Recycling Bins

Our large recycling bin has arrived and we are going to begin recycling more of our waste. The classes are having new bins just for paper and soon we hope to extend the dry mixed recycling throughout the whole school. This is an initiative we are verv passionate about, we al have a duty to recycle a much as possible to protect our world.



AFTER HALF TERM LOOK OUT FOR THE CLASS WITH THE **BEST ATTENDANCE** EACH WEEK.



Cleaner required – We are looking for a hardworking cleaner to join our friendly cleaning team. 11.25 hours per week. For full details please contact Mrs Sears in the office.

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