

St Michael's RC Primary School Weekly Newsletter

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Respecting

Dear Parents

Welcome back! We hope everyone had a wonderful holiday. The children all look very smart in their new uniforms. They have very much impressed me with their confidence, good manners and excellent attitude to school and learning. Well done everyone.

Roald Dahl day: As part of our focus on reading, this term we are celebrating the Roald Dahl day on **Wednesday 13**th **September**. Please encourage your children to bring their Roald Dahl books into school as we plan to run activities around his works. It would be fun for the children to read some of his poems or hear stories at bedtime.

Mini Vinnies: Mrs McKenna and the children have asked that during the month of September tins (of anything) can be brought into school for the Caritas charity collection.

PE Kits: Please note below the uniform for PE. There were a number of children who returned to school without kits this week. Please ensure your child has their kit in school on Monday. Thank you.

Plain black/navy shorts
Plain white t-shirt/polo shirt
Plain black pumps for indoor games
Trainers for outdoor games
Plain black/navy jogging bottoms – no logos. These are for use in cooler months only.

New Access System: Many of you will be aware that we now have a secure access system in place. This is to improve security and enhance our safeguarding practices. Because the system was installed during the holidays we were not able to inform parents of how the system worked, so please excuse the lack of warning. All access to school will now be via the main entrance. If you need to speak to a teacher or search for a missing cardigan, please enter via the main entrance. There are two buttons on the intercom. One for the School Office and one for Out of School Club. We know it will take a little getting used to and ask parents and carers to bear with us whilst we iron out any glitches. Thank you.

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Dinner money is payable by children in Nursery and Years 3 to 6. The cost is £2.30 per day/£11.50 per week payable in advance every Monday morning.

Please ensure your payment (cash or cheque payable to Bury MBC) is in an envelope with your child's name, Year and amount enclosed.

Parking became an issue at the end of the last academic year so just a quick and polite reminder to be considerate to our neighbours. Can we also ask parents NOT to use the staff car park when dropping off or picking up. It's only a small car park and the spaces are required by staff, visitors and deliveries. Thank you.

Pupil of the Week

R: Zara O'Donnell

Y1: Malachy Furey

Y2: Kaya Taylor

Y3: Lyndon O'Rourke-Burns

Y4: Liam Smith

Y5: Emer Kavanagh

Y6: Gracie Madeley

Congratulations! Well done.