# Our Lady Catholic Primary School DowAt



## **NEWS from Mrs Snowball**

Welcome back to the new academic year. It has been wonderful to see all the children settle so well into their new classes. The children have adapted to new routines really well and they are enjoying starting their new topics. Welcome to our new families and our Reception children. It's been a delight to see them enjoying their new classroom and settling in to life at Our Lady.



We hope you have all had an opportunity to read our most recent Ofsted report. We are off course delighted that Ofsted agreed with our own evaluation that Our Lady School is GOOD in all areas. This recognition is thoroughly deserved by all. Thank you for all your kind words and messages but a highlight has to be watching the children Conga out of assembly when we shared the news with them. The joy in their faces was heartwarming.

## School in action this month...





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### **Meet our new Chaplaincy Team**



#### **Meet our new House Captains**



#### **Meet our new Sports Leaders**



#### **Meet our new Bronze Ambassadors**



#### **School Council & Eco Council**

Well done to all our council members across the school. Miss Neale and Miss O'Shea are looking forward to working with you all this year on various different projects. The first council meeting will take place next week.

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### Parent workshops

Thank you to all those who attended our parent workshops. It was wonderful to be able to invite parents into school to look at the wonderful work the children have already produced and for parents to meet the class teacher and hear more about the term ahead.

We hope you found the workshops informative. If you were unable to attend please visit our school website where you will find your child's class curriculum map and PowerPoint presentation.

#### **Harvest Food Collection**

Thank you for all the donations towards our Harvest Food collection. As always we were overwhelmed by the generosity. All food will be taken to the Hitchin Food Bank.



#### Key dates for parents for the half term ahead

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> October – Our Lady Mass at school 9:15am

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October – Y6 Phase workshop

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> October – PTA meeting after school

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October – PTA Disco

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> October – Parent consultations

Friday 21st October - Mission assembly

WB 24th October - Half term

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November – Y4 PTA cake sale

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November – Hope Christmas shoe box collection

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November – Flu vaccinations

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November – Remembrance service at school 9:15am (Viewing of the OLS poppy field)

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November – Individual school photos

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> November – Admissions evening

WB 21<sup>st</sup> November – Enterprise week

Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November – Chaplaincy Team visit to Westminster Cathedral Carol service

Thursday 1st December – Advent Service at school 9:15am

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> December – Follow up Flu session

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> December – PTA meeting after school

Thursday 8th December – KS1 Nativity performance at school 9:30am

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December – Y6 Phase workshop

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December – PTA Christmas Fair 3:30pm

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December – Reception Nativity performance at Church 2pm

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas jumper & dinner day

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December – Panto visit to school

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December – Awards assembly

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December – End of term. School finishes at 1:30pm



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