

# All Hallows Catholic High School

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Dear Parents

## **Newsletter No. 19 – 3 February 2017**

Thank you to parents of Year 7 pupils who came along to the Parents' Evening this week. The attendance was 94% and we would like to thank all parents for their support.

### **Half Term Holiday**

Next Thursday, 9 February 2017, at 3.05 p.m. pupils finish school for half term and return to school on Monday 20 February 2016 at the usual starting time.

### **Change of Date – Year 9 Options Evening**

The Year 9 Options Evening will now take place on Thursday 2 March 2017 at 7.00 p.m.

### **Modern Languages Writing Tests**

Please be aware that all Year 11 French and German pupils continue to have their Controlled **Writing GCSE exam**. Each teacher will give their own class their specific dates. They should be revising all their paragraphs in order to reproduce them accurately from memory for this date. There are extra revisions sessions every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday after school until 4.15 p.m. The Writing along with their Speaking exam constitutes 30% of their final exam. We would appreciate your support in ensuring that you son / daughter do their best to learn their work.

### **Weather**

As we are now in the Spring Term, traditionally bad weather tends to hit us in the months of January and February. I would like to remind parents that if there is any possibility of the school being closed, any information about closure will be posted on the school website as soon as possible and information will be passed to parents via BBC Radio Lancashire.

### **The Royal Manchester Children's Hospital**

Last term, as you will all recall, we made a concerted effort to raise money for The Royal Manchester Children's Hospital. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for responding so readily to this fundraising initiative. We will give the final total in due course, but the current total stands at over £4,500, a fantastic effort from all concerned, thank you once again.

### **All Hallows Spring Ball**

This event will take place at Leyland Golf Club on Saturday 29 April 2017. Tickets are £45.00 and available from Mrs Caunce at [debi.caunce@btinternet.com](mailto:debi.caunce@btinternet.com)



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## **South Ribble Girls' Cricket Tournament at South Ribble Tennis Centre on Monday 30 January 2017**

U13 v PGHS Lost 49 – 91, v Balshaw's Won 56 – 54, v Brownedge Won 73 – 8, v Priority Lost 56 – 60, v Lostock Hall Won 79 – 41. Congratulations South Ribble Runners-up.

U15 v PGHS Lost 30 – 76, v Leyland St Mary's Won 62 – 53, v Balshaw's Lost 39 – 91. Congratulations 3<sup>rd</sup> in Section.

### **Collective Worship**

Our Collective Worship theme next week is **LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE**. Please see the Worship and Prayer section of the school website for this week's prayer sheet.

### **Day of Prayer for Victims of Human Trafficking**

On Wednesday 8 February, we join the Catholic Church in England and Wales in marking a day of prayer for victims of human trafficking and those who work to combat this scourge of humanity. Appropriately the date chosen is the feast day of St Josephine Bakhita – herself sold into slavery. Special prayers will be held in form time on this day.

### **Faith in Action Award**

We are delighted to be taking part in this new national Catholic award scheme for young people. We have 14 Year 10 & 11 pupils taking part at Gold Level which involves them undertaking 20 hours of volunteering in school, and 20 hours out of school. Each participant has a staff mentor from the RE department who will help them to create a portfolio of their work, and a reflective journal. Awards will be presented by the Archbishop of Liverpool in the Autumn Term. Please keep these pupils in your prayers as they take up this challenge.

## **WEEKEND MASS TIMES IN OUR LOCAL PARISHES**

### **Saturday**

**17:00** St Oswald's, Longton

**17:35** St Wilfrid's, Preston

**18:30** St Teresa's, Penwortham

### **Sunday**

**08:30** St Mary Magdalen's, Penwortham (Latin Mass)

**08:30** St Oswald's, Longton

**09:30** St Teresa's, Penwortham

**11:00** St Mary Magdalen's, Penwortham

**16:30** St Wilfrid's, Preston

## **School Meals**

Menus for the week commencing Monday 6 February 2017. Salads £1.75 – £2.50, Potatoes 65p, Baked Beans 65p, Soup 80p.

**Monday:** Homemade Steak Casserole & Yorkshire Pudding served with Mashed Potatoes and Vegetables £1.95. Seasoned Chicken Wrap served with Salad £1.70. Roasted Vegetable Enchilada served with Salad £1.55.

**Salad:** Tuna Nicoise £1.75.

**Soup:** Carrot & Coriander 80p.

**Tuesday:** Homemade Sausage Roll served with Mashed Potatoes & Baked Beans £1.95. Smothered Chicken served with Mashed Potatoes & Vegetables £1.95. Cauliflower & Broccoli Pasta £1.55.

**Salad:** Chicken £1.75.

**Soup:** Mushroom 80p.

**Wednesday: VALENTINE MENU**

Popcorn Chicken & Potato Wedges £1.95. Vegetarian (Quorn) Chilli served with Rice £1.70. Mexican Chicken Wrap served with Salad £1.70.

**Salad:** Ham & Pickle £1.75.

**Soup:** Butternut Squash & Sweet Potato 80p.

**Thursday:** Home Cooked Gammon & Pineapple served with Chips & Vegetables £1.95. Breaded Chicken Goujons with a Chilli Sauce served with Chips & Vegetables £1.95.

Quorn Sausages served with Chips & Vegetables £1.95. **CHIPS 73p (May only be purchased with another product).**

**Salad:** Ploughman's : Ham, Cheese, Pickle & Crusty Bread £1.75.

**Soup:** Pea & Ham 80p.

**Friday: SCHOOL HOLIDAY**

**HALF TERM**

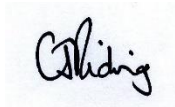
**Each day a selection of freshly prepared Sandwiches, Wraps, Hot & Cold Paninis, Salads, Jacket Potatoes, Pasta Pots & Pizza will be available. For any special requests, please see a member of our highly trained Catering Team.**

(All items are subject to availability)

**FOOD ALLERGIES AND INTOLERANCES**

**IF YOU HAVE ANY CONCERNS, PLEASE SPEAK TO A MEMBER OF OUR CATERING TEAM. ALSO, PLEASE BE AWARE ALL OUR FOOD PRODUCTS MAY CONTAIN TRACES OF NUTS.**

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. Riding', is placed on a light blue rectangular background.

Mr C J Riding  
Headteacher