



St John Vianney Catholic School

Newsletter

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"Everything we can be, with Christ in our hearts."



Accentuate the Positive

The end of another busy week saw our year 6s step onto the stage to share their Pendarren memories – what a great way to end the week. In a week full of turbulent and uncertain news for this country, this Sunday's Gospel reminds us that we sometimes need to look beyond the difficulties thrown up by every day life; Jesus' word lasts forever, and our faith we be rewarded. This school is a wonderful distraction, and it's always easy to find positives! Have a lovely weekend.

Reminders and Notices:

Aspirations Day – Friday 23rd November

- Remember to **'Dress as your wish...'**. Looking forward to seeing all the doctors, policemen, scientists and one or two footballers, I'm sure!
- Please give generously to the Rays of Sunshine charity we are supporting - a **suggested donation of £1** would be wonderful! Every penny goes to brightening the lives of seriously ill children.



No assembly on Friday, but...

- Please note that, due to the Aspirations Day, there will be no assembly on Friday morning.
- However, we will be having a **Cake Sale and Coffee afternoon from 3pm onwards.**
- Children will be making cakes / biscuits to sell at the end of the day, and we will be tea and coffee available – please drop in for a social chat and a cake! All proceeds to support Rays of Sunshine



We hope you have
[enjoyed the new
website 'font page'
pictures!](#)

COME AND JOIN THE FRIENDS!

Calling all parents.....

We need parents to come and join in the fun of being part of The Friends Association. Organising and helping with the fun events that the children attend throughout the year. Disco's, cake sales, Summer Fairs and much more!!

All you need to do is join us at our meetings which take place every couple of months at 9am on a Friday morning. We will give you advance notice of all meetings arranged for the year!

All meeting take place at the school.

We would love for you to join us, why not come along to the next meeting on Friday 11th January 2019 at 9am in the Parents room @ St. John Vianney school.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email us or grab one of the Friends Representatives for a quick chat!



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The SJM Daily News

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Free

I'm a Teacher, Get Me Out of Here!

Year 6 in brilliant Pendarren assembly

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Adventures in the valleys retold

Year 6 today presented the adventures of Mr Win, Miss Rilonas, Mrs Tavanagh and Mr McKickolas (whoever they are!), and their 30 troops, as they ventured west to conquer South Wales and everything it had to throw at them – and it threw quite a bit, as we found out this morning. They gave us a brilliant assembly, full of fun, humour, great acting and confidence – everything they showed us in Wales and more!

It was a pleasure to accompany this group this year, we all really enjoyed reliving the moments – [take a look at the montage on the website; it really does bring across the sheer adventure of the trip.](#) The weather was beautiful and everyone had a go at everything. We simply couldn't have asked for more.

If the acting on show here is a preview to the end of year 6 production, we are in for a treat!

Well done year 6 – we are very proud of you!

STARS OF THE WEEK

THE FORCE IS STRONG IN THESE ONES...



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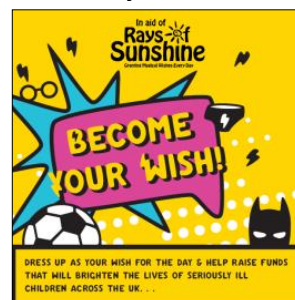
celebrate!



Parents! A little bit of homework for you...

As part of our Aspirations Day, can you please discuss with your child what their dream job would be and [type in the job here \(click to access\)](#), so that we can analyse the 'hopes and dreams' of our children to see how bright the future will be!

IT WILL TAKE LESS THAN 30 seconds! There is space for you to add up to three children!



Key Dates for Autumn

- 21st Nov – Y5 morning mass at the church
- 22nd Nov – Open morning for prospective parents (9am)
- 29th Nov – Open morning for prospective parents (9am)
- 4th Dec – Whole school panto
- 13th Dec – Christmas Performance (7pm)
- 14th Dec – Christmas Performance (9:30am)
- 21st Dec – Mass; End of Term



Reminders and Notices:

Donations of KS1 School Uniform

- We are very low on stock of our 'emergency' tights, socks, underwear and school trousers and skirts. If your child has been given some uniform because they have had an 'accident' at school, please wash and return it where you can. Donations of infant uniform, tights and underwear will always be most welcome. Thank you.

School Money:

- The school is now set up to process cashless payment. Payments can be made for most transactions, such as lunches, school trips and building fund donations. Please visit the School Money page of the school website for more information, hint, tips and a comprehensive Parent User Guide.
- Please make every effort to switch to cashless; this assists greatly with the efficient running of the school office.
- If you have any teething problems, or need help in getting set up, please contact the office for assistance.

Medical Appointments for Children:

- If your child needs to attend a medical / dental appointment, please ensure that the appointment letter / confirmation is presented to the office well in advance of the appointment itself.
- Safeguarding & attendance guidance dictates that children should not be taken out of school without such proof.