

## Forthcoming Events

- Thursday 22nd March- Y5 Passion Play
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March Break up 2pm (Easter)



**Ursuline**  
Catholic Primary School

# Newsletter

Friday 9th March 2018

## 'BELIEVE, ACHIEVE, SERVE'

Dear Parent/Carer

This week our PTFA have once again been busy wrapping and selling Mother's day presents for our children to buy. Thank-you once again for helping our school to raise funds. Happy Mother's Day to you all for Sunday!

Our Well-Being Coffee Afternoon took place in the school hall today. Thank-you to all those who attended and especially to Mrs Lysaght and Mrs Keeble for their demonstrations.

Sadly we have had to cancel the Choir's Performance which was scheduled for Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> March. Mr Dolan has promised us an extra long performance in the Summer event to make up for it.

We had an assembly on Eco waste presented by Amelia Jones and the Eco Warriors. Children will complete work in class relating to the Waste topic and this will go towards achieving our Silver Award from the Eco School Programme. We received our Bronze Award in February. School is working with the National School's Partnership to recycle batteries. This is an initiative sponsored by Duracell and there are great prizes to be won.

This week's recommended read is "The Star of the Sea" by Joseph O'Connor.

Dear Children,

Wasn't it great to see the snow again? I know that many of you had great fun building snowmen and becoming snow angels.

I worked on a Maths lesson in 2U and I must say the children worked enthusiastically at answering questions on pictograms. We have been visiting classes to see some interesting lessons this week.

The Tae Kwon-Do Demonstration was exciting. There will be fliers going out next week so that some of you can begin lessons on Monday mornings before school.

A big thanks goes to our wonderful group of children who did a Yoga demonstration at the Coffee Afternoon today. You all

certainly impressed our parents who attended our first Well-being Coffee Afternoon. Can you remember to bring in reusable water bottles please Children? We are also looking for some "Battery Recycling Champions" in our School. See below for more information.

**Chris Chai**  
**(Assistant Head Teacher)**

## REMINDERS

- Please do not bring dogs onto the playground at any time. We thank you for your co-operation in this matter.
- Thank-you for keeping the youngsters off the playground equipment at the end of the day. It really can be tricky to stay safe, as the children are coming out of school, if other children are in that area.
- Parents and carers have no entitlement to take holidays during term time. I can only approve these in exceptional circumstances. **Applications should include a written description of the circumstances.** Being taken out of school at any time is an obstacle to children making progress and should be avoided.
- Please do not park on or stop at the yellow zig-zags during the times stated on the road side sign. It is both dangerous and irresponsible.
- Remember to use the voluntary one way system in the mornings and at the end of the day.

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