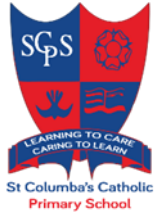




# News Letter

St Columba's  
Catholic  
Primary  
School



Issue 18/2017

## School Council Elections

The children have been busy voting this week for their class representatives for the School Council. The votes will be counted and we will announce the councillors in Fridays Merit Assembly and on next weeks News Letter.

### Bishop Marcus

Bishop Marcus will be making a pastoral visitation to our Parish celebrating all 3 Masses with us on Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th February 2017. Mass times are:-

St Columba's Church Saturday 5:30pm

Sunday 11:15am

St Peter's Church Sunday 9:30am

This is a lovely chance for you to meet the Bishop so please try and attend one of these masses.

### Forthcoming Diary Events

#### Feb 2017

**2nd** - 4M Out Spark Project, Yorkshire Sculpture Park

**2nd** - U11 Open Basketball - Tong High School

**8th** - RAD (Miss Mason) Class Assembly - 9:05am

**10th** - U11 Girls Basketball - Tong High School

**15th** - 3H Class Assembly - 9:05am

**17th** - **School Closes for Half-Term**

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**27th** - **School Re-Opens after Half-Term**

**27th** - **3rd** Mentoring Meetings - Dates to follow

#### March

**1st** - Ash Wednesday - Full School Mass - 9:30am

**2nd** - World Book Day

**2nd** - First Holy Communion Preparation Meeting

### World Book Day

World Book Day is on the 2nd March this year. We will be looking at bedtime stories and will be coming to school in pyjamas on that day. More details will be given closer to the date.

### New Gate Procedures

Please be aware that our new pedestrian security gate will be working from Monday. A letter giving more details was sent home this week. If you didn't receive this letter please contact the Office or look on school's website.

### Attendance

**Recp-KS1** - Congratulations to Miss Mason's class RAD who have won our Magnificent Attendance Trophy for their excellent attendance last week.

**KS2** - Congratulations to Miss McWalter's class 4M who have won our Magnificent Attendance Trophy for their excellent attendance last week.

### Class Assembly

Next Wednesday's Assembly will be presented by RAD (Miss Mason's class) at 9.05am and parents are warmly welcomed to attend.

**Mrs C Markham**

**Headteacher**