# ST GREGORY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

# "LOVING AND LEARNING"

# SEPTEMBER 2010 NEWSLETTER

# DATES FOR SEPTEMBER

Please find attached
a list of dates for your diary
(Dates may change during the yearplease check your monthly Newsletter)



Monday 6-10 Year 5 Edgmond Hall visit Year 6 Plas Gwynant visit

Monday 13 Foundation Stage re-opens

Year 3 commence swimming

Thursday 16 3.00 p.m. Years 4 & 5 Parents

workshop - Head lice

Friday 17 Papal visit Assembly

Tuesday 21 Parents Evening

Thursday 30 Whole school Photographs

October

Friday 1 2.00 p.m. Harvest Festival

Monday 11-15 'I can do it' Week
Monday 18-21 'Multi-faith' week
Thursday 21 School closes
Friday 22 Training Day
Monday 25-29 Half term Holiday

**November** 

Monday 1 School re-opens Monday 8-12 Book Fair week

Saturday 13 Yr. 3 Presentation Mass-5.00pm Wednesday 17 First confessions - 6.30 p.m. Friday 19 Children in Need - come dressed

in a single colour

Friday 26 Craft Fayre

# **SmileTrain**

Congratulations to all those pupils in Year 6, last year, who organised and raised a fantastic £603.80 for the SmileTrain charity.

Attached is a letter telling us how some of the money will be used, I think you will agree its a very worthwhile cause which can make a big

#### **DISCO**

A good time was had by all at the summer disco but unfortunately due to the bad weather we were unable to make any profit for the school fund.

Thank you to all those who were supported the event.

# **UNIFORM**

The children have returned to school looking very smart in their new school uniform. It costs you as parents a lot of money to make them look good so please make sure your child's clothes are labelled in some way. Thank you for your support in this matter.

Please remember your child will need a school bag for taking books, etc. home. Bags are available from the school office, back pack £6.50, book bags £5.00 and pump bags £3.00

- if you buy both together you will save £1.00



# CAN YOU HELP FOUNDATION STAGE?

If you have any 'wellies' that your child has grown out of the Foundation Stage would be happy to have them. They will be useful for pupils when working on their garden project.

# PAPAL VISIT ASSEMBLY - FRIDAY 17

Friday's Assembly will be about Pope Benedict XVI visit and John Henry Newman.

We will also be presenting each pupil with a commemorative coin to celebrate this historic event.

# **QUIZ QUESTION**

What is the Pope going to do for Cardinal Newman on his visit to Birmingham?

I the parents of
have received the September 2010 Newsletter
The answer to the quiz question is:

#### **PARKING**

May I remind you when bringing or collecting your child from school to be considerate when parking your car.

It is an on going problem and we would appreciate your co-operation. Thank you.

# FOUNDATION STAGE

If you have any school uniform that your child has out grown the Foundation Stage would be very pleased to receive it. Any items, suitable in size for the Foundation Stage pupils including trousers, t-shirts, underwear, etc. would be gratefully received.

# **DINNER MONEY**

May I please ask you to put the correct dinner money - £9.00 per week in an envelope for your child's meals.

It is an impossible task to refund each parent with change from the £10 notes sent in.

Thank you for your co-operation.

# MR TURVEY'S JOKE CORNER

- Q. Why did the birdie go to the hospital?
- A. To get tweetment!



# **IRISH DANCING**

Irish Dancing lessons take place in the school hall at 3.40 - 5.00 p.m. every Monday.

There are currently places available so if you would like to know more about it or enrol please come along and speak to Michael Kenny, the dance teacher.

The cost of each session is £5.00 payable directly to the dance teacher. The child work towards a performance at the end of the year.

# PARENT GOVERNOR

There is currently a vacancy on the Governing Body for a Parent Governor.

If you are interested and have the time please obtain an application form from the school office.

# **CLEANING VACANCY**

There is a temporary cleaning vacancy for 10 hours per week. If you are interested please contact the school office.

