

DIOCESE OF SHREWSBURY
OUR LADY OF PITY ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
A VOLUNTARY ACADEMY



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Dear Parents/Carers,

As our days become crisp, cold and dark, our school grounds are full of the promise of springtime. The children have planted daffodils everywhere to bring Mental Health Awareness to the fore. Our children are so very lucky, we have a wide range of intervention and support groups in place for times of need. Always tell us if you think your child needs support. We are here to help.

Mile Run Tuesday 12th November 9am

We know that being physically active is a crucial factor in maintaining mental health. Look out for us on Tuesday first thing as the juniors run a mile around Greasby!

National Anti-Bullying Week 11th -15th November

This week, we refresh children's understanding of their power to act if they see unkind behaviour. The national slogan this year is: ***Small Change - Big Impact.***

You may find children talking more about bullying this week. We guide their understanding of this complex subject by defining bullying as: deliberate, targeted (against those with less power) and repeated. We reiterate key messages for the children - bullying is never okay. It is never the fault of the one being bullied. If we think someone is being bullied we tell an adult.

If you are concerned about bullying or want to know more, please contact your child's teacher.

Christmas Fair 30th November - save the date!

Parent Pay

Please check your account and update payments... school budgets are very tight.

Clubs and buses

Please help us by keeping collection arrangements simple and by alerting us to any changes. We will be sending more information about 'home-time' arrangements next week and giving you the option of extending the list of those who you nominate to collect your child.

Remembrance Week

We remember our dear friend and colleague Debbie Riley who died at this very poignant time of year. Our weekly prayer group gathers with children bringing their departed loved ones to our hearts as they ask for prayers to be said. It is very sweet to see their support for each other and their prayers of concern for children who may be feeling sad or lonely.

And so we pray...

Let us pray for those who have died:

Eternal rest give unto them O Lord,

Let perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace.

Amen.

Warm wishes,

OLOP Team