

# St Aloysius Catholic Primary School Newsletter



Friday 24h November 2017

Dear All,

This week we have had the elections for our school council. Some pupils have attended training and our Year 6 councillors, Catherine and Abel, have taken on the role of School Travel Champions.

Due to the high levels of pollution in the air around our school Catherine and Abel will be leading the drive for sustainable travel and have enrolled St Aloysius in the TfL STARS initiative. STARS inspires young Londoners to travel to school sustainably, actively, responsibly and safely by championing walking, scooting and cycling.



*Car Drivers Watch Out!*

Mrs McCann

## Yr 4 Speaker's Corner

Yr 4 parents are invited to our event on Friday 1st December 3:30 –5pm. The children will be speaking on the Topic of Air Pollution in London as part of their topic 'Britain from the Air'. This is an opportunity for the children to showcase the work they have been doing this half term and we look forward to seeing you there.

## Advent

Traditionally, the Advent wreath symbolizes the passage of the four weeks of Advent. During the season of Advent one candle on the wreath is lit each Sunday until all of the candles, including the fifth candle, are lit on Christmas Day. The three purple candles represent Hope, Preparation for Christ's Birth and Love. The pink candle represents Joy and the white candle, lit on Christmas day is the Christ candle.



## Christmas Shoebox Appeal

Thank you for all the shoeboxes donated to school. We collected **93 boxes**.



## Diary Dates

### Thursday 30th November

St Andrews Day—Wear Blue to school

### Friday 1st December

Year 4 Speaker's Corner 3:30pm –5pm

### Sunday 3rd December

First Sunday of Advent

## Patron Saint Feast Days

In the United Kingdom we have four Patron Saints.

- St David, Wales, 1st March
- St Patrick, N.Ireland, 17th March
- St George, England, 23rd April
- St Andrew, Scotland, 30th November.

To celebrate our Saint Andrew's Day pupils are invited to wear blue to school on Thursday 30th



## School Council

This week we held the elections for our School Council. Congratulations to all the pupils voted for by their classmates.

	Girl	Boy
1 Red	Bethany	Kadmiel
1 Ruby	Olly	Mia-Anne
2 Diamond	Jeriah	Antonia
2 Yellow	Lily	Joel
3 Amethyst	Efrata	Siam
3 Purple	Presley	Chrishna
4 Amber	Djibril	Lolita
4 Orange	Inah	Kevin
5 Indigo	Aisha	Dylan
5 Tanzanite	Johnathon	Florence
6 Blue	Sophia	Abel
6 Sapphire	Catherine	Chelson