

### ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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#### Parents - Can you help?

We are planning lots of exciting activities for this year, but we can't do it all alone! Please take a look at the list below and see If you are able to offer any help at all for any of the following activities:

# Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November – Parents' Trip

Last year we had a brilliant day at Botany Bay. No decision has been made yet as to where we go this time, but if you have a suggestion for somewhere different (or even if you would like to go back to the same place), please contact Mrs Kearns.

# Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> November - Parent Christmas Craft

If you are interested in attending and/or have any suggestions about what you would like to make for Christmas, please contact Mrs Kearns. The course will run for 4 weeks on Thursday afternoons.

#### Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November - Race Night (over 18s only)

We have had a few Race Nights now and we always have a good night. This time, we are offering sponsorship of each race, so if you have a small business and would like a cheap way to advertise, sponsor one of our eight races for £15.00. We are also looking for parents to 'own' a racehorse for the night. For £2.00 you get to name your horse (don't forget it is a Primary School!) and if it wins, you win a bottle of wine. If you think you could sell 8 horses for us, please contact Mrs Kearns for a race card. Further details will follow, but we need to sell the horses in the meantime!

### Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December – Christmas Bingo (over 18s only)

This is always a popular event so we are hoping to get even more support this year.

#### Week beginning 30<sup>th</sup> November 2015 – Children's Christmas Shop

Every year we have a week long 'shopping' event where children can buy and wrap gifts for their family. We are now running very short on items to sell, so if you have any **new, unopened** toiletries, bubble bath, fashion jewellery etc that you would like to donate to school, please send for the attention of Mrs Kearns.

We regularly have events in school with which we need assistance. It doesn't always take a full morning or afternoon, sometimes it can be as simple as putting tables and chairs out, or manning a stall (some of you did a great job at the summer fair). If you are willing to put your name on a list of people we can call on from time to time, please speak to Mrs Kearns.

Finally, if you have any ideas of your own for activities parents would like to do or ways in which parents can become more involved in the life of the school, we would love to hear from you.

Yours sincerely

Mrs C Fenna Headteacher

