

## **Adel St John the Baptist Church** of England Primary School Newsletter

#### Headteacher's Message

Year 1 had quite a shock this week when they discovered a crashed spaceship! They investigated samples from the crash site and created missing alien posters, which have been distributed around school – keep your eyes open and let Year 1 know if you see any unidentified flying objects this weekend!

Year 6 had a wonderful week at Carlton Lodge – there were many tired but happy faces on their return home. It was a privilege to be invited and I loved every second of it – even gorge walking! I would like to thank Mrs Fountain, Miss Kane, Mr Gleeson and all the children for making it such a memorable week.

Next Friday, 19 October, is our Harvest Festival. This year, for the first time, our KS2 Collective Worship Committee will be leading the worship rather than the whole school presenting their learning. A detailed letter will be sent home with information about contributions. But just to summarise, please bring your tinned contributions to us on Thursday after school and fresh produce on Friday morning.

Finally, our parent appointment boards will be in the entrance on Monday morning in preparation for the parent consultation evenings. As in previous years these will be held in the hall. Appointments last 10 minutes so we ask that if there is a matter of a personal nature or you require a more in depth meeting that you request a separate appointment with staff at a later date. Please feel free to spend time looking at your child's learning in the classroom or

bring their learning to the hall if you would prefer. Jane Hainsworth

#### **Prince Henry's**

Governors at **Prince Henry's Grammar School** are consulting on a proposal to amend the Admissions Policy oversubscription criteria for the school. Please see full details of the consultation document on Prince Henry's website. The document gives instructions about how to respond to the consultation so that governors can consider your views.

The consultation will run for seven weeks, from Friday 5th October 2018 until midnight on Friday 23rd November 2018.





#### Weekly prayer

Dear Lord
Please help us to be
generous and
willing to help
others in need, even
in small ways with
small change.
Lord hear our
prayer.

Amen.

Individual photographs 16th October.

If you have pre-school children who you would like to be photographed with their older ASJ sibling/s please arrive at school for 8:30am

#### **High School Place Reminder**

If your child is due to start High School in September 2019 parents must apply for a place before 31<sup>st</sup> October 2018.

#### Flu Immunisations

The NHS nursing team will be coming in on 12<sup>th</sup> December. If you haven't registered on line already and would like your child to be vaccinated, please do so as soon as possible. Letters have been sent home but if you require a copy please contact the school office.





#### **ASJ Reward Booklets:**

Congratulations to the following children who have completed their booklets this week.

BRONZE 250 Stampers Achieved

Olivia – Year 3 Matilda - Year 3 Isobel – Year 3 Immanuel – Year 3

#### **Dinner money**

Autumn Term 1	Autumn Term 2		
4 <sup>th</sup> Sept – 26 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2018	5 <sup>th</sup> Nov – 21 <sup>st</sup> Dec 2018		
£83.85	£75.25		





#### **PTA News**

The PTA Bonfire Night extravaganza 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2018

Planning is well under way. It has been running for over 25 years and is an iconic event in our local community - a chance to join together and enjoy a spectacular firework display and time with family and friends.

The event requires support in many ways, the rota board will be going up in October, please look out for this and get your name down.

## Attendance and Minutes Late Report

# 100% Attendance!

Last week's Weekly 100% Attendance goes

to:

Year 1 Year 3 and Year 4

Our target for whole school attendance is 97% - Whole school attendance last week was 97.79%							
	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Attendance							
(4th September 2018 –5 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2018)	97.81%	99.43%	95.63%	99.03%	98.79%	98.19%	95.90%
Minutes							
Late							
(1st -5th Oct 2018)	5	0	5	0	0	0	1
Number of							
children arriving							
between 9.00 -	4	4	1	1	6	1	0
9.05am (1st - 5th							
Oct)							

## Golden Book Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> October 2018 – the last 2 weeks' Golden Stars!

Voga I Staff Voto	Ben for concentration, beautiful cursive writing and giving thoughtful answers in RE.
Year 1 Staff Vote	Indy for being a superstar in gymnastics.
	Seb for always being kind to others and his great writing.
Year 1 Pupil Vote	
	Aria for making lots of new friends.
	Gracie-May for her fantastic effort in maths with Part-Whole Models.
Year 2 Staff Vote	Cora for her fantastic set of instructions. Neatly set out and easy to follow she included all the features to help her make a fantastic wormery.
Year 2 Pupil Vote	Simran for being a wonderful friend and being very helpful.
	Natasha for her excellent explanation of how to compare 3-digit numbers in maths.
Year 3 Staff Vote	
	Isabella for always giving 110% to her learning, being helpful in the classroom and doing everything with a smile!
	Alexander for excellent swimming.
Year 3 Pupil Vote	
	Alfie for putting his hand up in every lesson.
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Year 4 Staff Vote	Figure for an all out montal quithwatic Comparatoff Figure
	Evan for excellent mental arithmetic. Super stuff Evan.  Lander for good concentrating in maths.
Year 4 Pupil Vote	Zanaci joi good concentrating in manus.
	Rio for choosing to help his partner in maths instead of moving onto the challenge.
	Ayman for excellent effort and enthusiasm in class discussions.
Year 5 Staff Vote	
	Vincent for excellent facts on Tudor times and punishments.
	Tristan for putting effort into all his learning.
Year 5 Pupil Vote	
	Billy for being a fun friend.
Year 6 Staff Vote	The whole class for an amazing week at Carlton Lodge, full of challenge, bravery and support for each other.

#### Dates for the Diary (New Dates added in red)

Monday 15th October 2018	Parent appointment boards in school entrance
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	Individual school photographs (details to follow)
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	Year 4 Roman visitor in school
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	PTA meeting 7.30pm - all welcome
Thursday 18th October 2018	Year 3 York Chocolate Story visit
Thursday 18th October 2018	Year 1 Kirkstall Abbey House Museum visit
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	Whole school Harvest Festival 9.30am – everyone welcome
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October 2018	Scoot to School Week (information to follow)
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 2018	Parent consultation evening – all year groups
Wednesday 24th October 2018	Parent consultation evening – all year groups
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	Year 4 Roman Museum – parents invited 2:15-3pm (please note change of time)
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	NO After school football club
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	Last day of Autumn term 1
Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2018	PTA Annual Bonfire event
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> November 2018	First day of Autumn term 2
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> November 2018	Year 4 Skipping Festival
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> November 2018	Reception 2019 Open morning 9.30am
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> November 2018	Blue Monday – Anti Bullying Day
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> November 2018	Reception 2019 Open morning 9.30am
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> November 2018	Year 6 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> November 2016	Whole school walking to church – Advent – volunteers required
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> December 2018	KS1 Nativity - Dress rehearsal 9:45
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> December 2018	KS1 Nativity - Evening performance 6:30pm
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December 2018	Influenza immunisations – Reception – Year 5
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> December 2018	KS1 Nativity – Afternoon peformance 1:45pm
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2018	KS2 Christmas Party Yr 5/6
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December 2018	KS2 Christmas Party Yr 3/4
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> December 2018	KS1 Christmas Party Yr 1/2/Reception
Friday 21st December 2018	Christmas Collective Worship – all welcome
Friday 21st December 2018	Carols around the tree – 2.45pm - All welcome
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> January 2019	Reception 2019 Open afternoon 1.30pm
Wednesday 23 January 2019	Year 4 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February 2019	Year 5 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> March 2019	Year 3 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome
Wednesday 1st May 2019	Year 2 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome
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Wednesday 12 June 2019	Year 1 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome