
With love and patience nothing is impossible

Headteacher's Message

Recently, we invited Years 4 and 5 to apply in writing to be on our first Collective Worship committee. Collaborating with Miss White and myself, their role is to organise, set up and lead the worship for the whole school. At specific points in the year or in my absence, they will lead the worship focusing on the Christian value for that term. They will also evaluate our collective worship each week and lead the pupil voice with regards to worship time. These children are very important leaders in our school, not just for leading the collective worship sessions but also in being role models for our school Christian values.

The response to our invitation was so amazing that Miss White and I decided that we would create 3 committees. This week the first group led a collective worship focusing on Environment Day, they considered the wonder of the world around us and surprised the teachers with presents originating from a tree.

Year 2 also introduced our new Christian Value this week. They used drama and song to illustrate different examples of patience and gave us no doubt as to ways we could ensure we are more tolerant of others, show more perseverance in our own actions and more accepting when things don't change or happen immediately. Thank you to the year 2 parents for joining us and supporting the children – they are so proud to be able to include you in their worship time.

Next week we will be walking to church for St John the Baptist Feast Day. As always, we are looking for visitors to walk with us. If you are able to join us for this important day, then please speak to a member of staff or call in the office. It is very important that we have numbers as soon as possible and certainly before the morning itself for safeguarding reasons. We are required to complete risk assessments as part of our visits policy, if required adult ratios are not met then the visit can't go ahead.



Weekly prayer

Dear God

Help us to be patient with ourselves when things get difficult and to keep on going and not give up. To accept that it is okay to make mistakes because that is how we learn.

(Arabella)

Help us to be patient with other people when they don't do what we want straight away and to remember everyone is different and does things differently.

(Joseph M)

Help us to be patient with the world when things aren't going to plan or when we have to wait our turn. Lord please accept our prayer.

(Gracie)

Amen

Hollybank Eccup 10 Mile and Junior Races

Sunday July 1st 2018

Abbey Runners are hosting their annual series of Eccup 10 races on Sunday 1st July and our school is hosting the race HQ again this year. Abbey Runners are linking up again with their sponsor and charitable partner, the Hollybank Trust and the club's nominated Charity this year is Dial House – a Leeds Survivor Led Crisis Service which is a mental health charity based in Leeds. They provide out-of-hours support to people in acute mental health crisis. Abbey Runners will be making a donation to both charities from the race proceeds.

As well as the 10 mile race for adults, there are two junior races (1 mile and 2 mile). The Junior races are run entirely on grass on a one-mile loop around Bedquilts playing fields. School years 3-6 will run one lap of the course with two laps for school years 7-12. Advance entries to junior (£3) races can be made online at www.racebest.com where you will find details of the course. After the junior races, a family fun run will also take place on a 1km grass course on Bedquilts and entries for this will be on the day in the school hall.

Timetable: 9am: Junior races

9:30am Adult race starts

9:45am Family Fun Run

Light refreshments will be available in the school hall.

It would be lovely to see our children take part in the 1 mile junior run (for year 3 upwards) or the family fun run for the younger children. Put the date in your diary and let's make it a great community event! Flyers are available in school reception.

Attendance and Minutes Late Report

Our target for whole school attendance is 97% - Whole school attendance last week was **94.66%**

	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Attendance (5th September 2017 – 8 th June 2018)	98.28%	96.77%	96.91%	97.31%	98.06%	94.36%	95.82%
Minutes Late (4 th - 8 th June 2018)	0	35	35	35	0	34	71
Number of children arriving between 9.00 - 9.05am (4th - 8th June)	0	2	0	2	1	1	1

On Time Award!

Last week's On Time Award goes to:

Reception

Adel Stairway Reward Booklets:

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

Silver 500 Stampers Achieved	Gold 750 Stampers Achieved
Jessica – Year 5 Tristan – Year 4 Tilly – Year 4	Abigail – Year 4 Sophia – Year 4 Bo – Year 4 Lexi – Year 4

Community leaflets in school

There are a number of leaflets that you may be interested in collecting from the front of school. Please feel free to call in and pick one up:

- Dolphins Day Nursery – Holiday Club
- Save 50% off on a trip for up to 5 people visiting Sealife Scarborough.
- YMCA – Holiday Camps
- Crag House Farm Open Day 16th June (Caring for Life)



SUMMER FAYRE – 30 June

Raffle tickets have gone home today with the children. There are some amazing prizes this year, a family pass to Cookridge Hall, £100 Neighbourhood Bar and Restaurant, £50 Amazon Voucher and many more!

Please sell as many tickets as possible.

The volunteer board is now up, please add your name if you can help in any way. We rely on as many volunteers as possible, even just 30 minutes on the day is a massive help!

The last end of term bun sale raised a fantastic £100. Thanks to all KS2 parents who provided the buns and also Asda for donating some as well.

Essential website links

On our website we have added links to a number of guides that will inform and support parents in understanding how to keep their children safe on various different games consoles.

These include setting up age-appropriate controls and parental control settings for Xbox, Nintendo Wii, Nintendo DS, Playstation and Apple products.

Please feel free to download these invaluable guides



Golden Book Tuesday 12th June – this week's Golden Stars!

Reception Staff Vote	Rory for being a great role model in PE when using his arms whilst running. Zoe for her fluency in reading. What amazing progress – well done Zoe.
Year 1 Staff Vote	Savannah for concentrating more during writing activities and producing some outstanding work because of it!
Year 1 Pupil Vote	Simran for helping other children in the classroom and on the playground.
Year 2 Staff Vote	Ben for a fantastic piece of descriptive writing about being in a rainforest.
Year 2 Pupil Vote	All of Year 2 for being so well behaved and kind to each other on our trip to The Deep.
Year 3 Staff Vote	Perry for making a real effort to improve his handwriting.
Year 3 Pupil Vote	Amourae for being a good partner and for always being kind and helpful.
Year 4 Staff Vote	Amber for a brilliant attitude to learning.
Year 4 Pupil Vote	Ben W for being funny on the football pitch.
Year 5 Staff Vote	Sian and Rosanna for their PE skills. Trying hard and giving it a go!
Year 5 Pupil Vote	Brooke for trying really hard in the panto, showing excellent acting skills.
Year 6 Staff Vote	Arjan for persevering in PE and giving it a go. Showing a 'can do' attitude!
Year 6 Pupil Vote	Charlie and Matthew for their amazing love poems! Beautiful!

Dinner Money

Summer Term 2	Autumn Term 1
4 th June – 24 th July 2018 £77.70	4 th Sept – 26 th Oct 2018 £83.85

Parents paying weekly should always send dinner money in each Monday morning. Cheques should be made payable to Leeds City Council. Thank you.

Anyone wanting to change from school meals to packed lunch and vice versa, the office requires a half terms notice.

Reminder: Dinner money price increase

Please note that our school meals will be increasing in price from September 2018, from **£2.10 to £2.15.**

Dates for the Diary (New Dates added in red)

Wednesday 20 th June 2018	Reception trip to Piglets Adventure Farm Park
Thursday 21 June 2018	Year 6 trip to South Parade Baptist Church has been cancelled
Friday 22 June 2018	Whole school walking to church – St John the Baptist – (<i>volunteers required</i>)
Wednesday 27 th June 2018	Reception Class Collective Worship – 9:15am Reception Parents welcome
Wednesday 27th June 2018	Year 4 trip to Rosies Diner
Friday 29 th June 2018	Non uniform Day – Bring a bottle for the Summer Fayre tombola
Saturday 30 th June 2018	PTA Summer Fayre
Sunday 1st July 2018	Eccup 10 run – see details inside this newsletter
Monday 2 nd July 2018	Carlton Lodge Parents Meeting 6pm (Year 5)
Wednesday 4 th July 2018	New Reception (Sept 2018) Transition Morning 1
Wednesday 4 th July 2018	Year 4 Skipping Competition (Final) <i>Details to follow</i>
Thursday 5 th July 2018	Year 3 trip to Humber Bridge (letter to follow, volunteers required)
Friday 6 th July 2018	Whole school Sports Day 1.30pm (Date 1)
Monday 9 th July 2018	Whole school Sports Day 1.30pm (<i>Date 2, if required</i>)
Tuesday 10 th July 2018	New Reception (Sept 2018) Transition Morning 2
Wednesday 11-13 July 2018	Year 6 Bikeability
Thursday 12 th July 2018	New Reception (Sept 2018) transition reading meeting
Tuesday 17th July 2018	Year 1 Carnival Party (children to come dressed in green and yellow)
Tuesday 17 th July 2018	Year 5 & 6 Summer production afternoon performance
Wednesday 18 th July 2018	Year 5 & 6 Summer production evening performance
Wednesday 18 th July 2018	Whole school transition morning
Thursday 19th July 2018	Meet your new teacher event – 3.30-5pm in the hall
Tuesday 24 th July 2018	Leavers Assembly 9:30am – Year 6 parents
Tuesday 24 th July 2018	Last day of term
Wednesday 25 July 2018	Whole school training day
Monday 3rd September 2018	1st Training Day 2018 – 2019 Academic Year

All training days for this academic year have now been assigned

Year 6 - High School Transition Dates

Wed 27 th -28 th June 2018	Ralph Thoresby transition Days
Friday 29 th June 2018	Horsforth School – Taster Day
Weds 4 th – Thurs 5 th July 2018	Lawnswood School Transition Days
Monday 9 th July 2018	Temple Moor Transition Day
Mon 9 th – Weds 11 th July 2018	Prince Henry's Transition Days