



Adel St John the Baptist Church of England Primary School Newsletter

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I would like to make you aware that Mrs Hainsworth is not in school at the moment. Her absence is not Covid-19 related.

As on previous occasions, I will be assuming the role of Head Teacher until Mrs Hainsworth is back in school, with immediate effect. When I have done this in the past, I have received a huge amount of support from our parents and I know that with your continued support, our wonderful school will continue to run as smoothly and effectively as it always does.

The pandemic continues to affect our lives with changes to rules and issues on a daily basis. I will continue to communicate with you through the usual channels of the school app and the weekly newsletter. Please make sure you are kept up-to-date with the most recent changes happening in school by reading these messages.

Additional communication has gone out this evening to my Year 5 class parents/carers with information about how learning will be supported while I undertake this role.

As ever, if you have any concerns or questions please contact me via the email address below.

Miss Jackson

Note from Chair of Governors

Miss Jackson and I have been working closely this week to ensure that the school will continue to deliver an engaging and relevant curriculum to all of our children, in a safe and happy environment, during the time that Mrs. Hainsworth is away.

At ASJ we are lucky to have such a brilliant set of people to teach, challenge and inspire the children. All of our staff who are involved in teaching are adaptable and innovative in the way that they approach each school day and are excelling at keeping our school safe and fun.

Please give your support and understanding to the team as they adapt to an ever-changing landscape. As always, though, communication is key so please don't hesitate to contact the school via email with any concerns.

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Our School Prayer

Dear God,

Thank you for our wonderful school and all the excellent learning we do here.

Thank you for all the staff and the help they give us.

Forgive us for the times when we don't do things right, as we forgive others too.

Help us to keep our school rules and to respect everyone and everything in the world around us.

Help us to treat others the way we want to be treated ourselves.

Lord, please accept our prayer.

Amen.





New Crossing on Church Lane

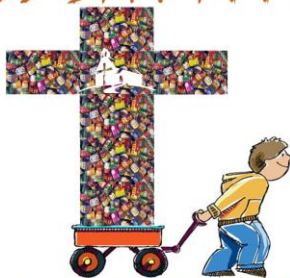
Thank you to one of our parents for providing this photo of the newly installed crossing which families were able to use for the first time this week.

Thank you to everyone who supported and worked hard for this, to enable our children to travel to and from school safely.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

For our Harvest celebrations this year, we are teaming up with Adel Church (see flyer on newsletter). If you are able, we are asking for donations for the local foodbank. There will be a cross shape in the churchyard on 3rd and 4th October for you to leave your donations. You can leave donations at any time during that weekend. We feel, at this time, this allows us to continue to celebrate Harvest in a fitting way, whilst keeping everyone safe. Donations of non-perishables and toiletries will be greatly appreciated. We will not be able to accept any donation brought to school.

HARVEST FESTIVAL FOOD BANK APPEAL



3rd and 4th October 2020

To celebrate our Harvest Festival a large cross shape will appear in the churchyard.

Our aim is to fill it with items for the local foodbank.

Please bring your donations along on the 3rd and 4th October and place them in the cross.

HARVEST 2020

JOIN US FOR OUR
SOCIALLY DISTANCED, COVID SECURE
HARVEST CELEBRATION
WEEKEND 3/4TH OCTOBER

**SERVICES
ONLINE & LIVE**
4th October Live bookable services in Church
and online services on
YouTube and **facebook**

**CHURCHYARD
TIDY DAY**
3rd October 9-12am & 2-4pm
Book your slot to come along and help
care for our beautiful churchyard

KEEP ADEL TIDY
Sunday 4th October
10.15-10.45am near 2-4pm at church
Come and collect a bag and borrow a grabber
or do your own thing anytime and send us a
photo!

FOOD BANK APPEAL

3rd & 4th October
Come along and donate food to the Food Bank.
Let's try and fill the large cross that will be in the
Churchyard.

To ensure we are covid 19 secure, some of these events must be booked.
Booking details and more information will appear on our website
adelparishchurch.org.uk and on our Facebook page as soon as they are available

Golden Book Tuesday 22nd September 2020 – this week's Golden Stars!

<i>Year 1 Staff Vote</i>	<i>Rose H for being a really kind friend.</i>
<i>Year 2 Staff Vote</i>	<i>Annabeth for her excellent attitude to learning and fantastic writing.</i>
<i>Year 2 Pupil Vote</i>	<i>Sehaj for being a good skipping teacher in the playground.</i>
<i>Year 3 Staff Vote</i>	<i>Ben for a fantastic version of the story 'Bloom'.</i>
<i>Year 3 Pupil Vote</i>	<i>Isla for being a kind and good friend.</i>
<i>Year 4 Staff Vote</i>	<i>Alfie T, Ishaan and Matilda for excellent information texts. Well done!</i>
<i>Year 4 Pupil Vote</i>	<i>Simran for improving her handwriting.</i>
<i>Year 5 Staff Vote</i>	<i>Dylan for his excellent information text writing and rounding numbers in maths.</i>
<i>Year 5 Pupil Vote</i>	<i>Isabella for always putting her hand up in most lessons and works hard in lessons too.</i>
<i>Year 6 Staff Vote</i>	<i>George for lots of thoughtful answers in class and sensibly getting on even when there are potential distractions around him.</i>
<i>Year 6 Pupil Vote</i>	<i>Navdeep for her impressive vocabulary when discussing learning in class.</i>

Dates for the Diary (New Dates added in red)

Friday 16th October 2020	Individual pupil photos
Friday 23rd October 2020	Flu immunisations - Whole school
Friday 23rd October 2020	Break up for half term holiday
Monday 2nd November 2020	Return to school - Autumn half term 2
Friday 18th December 2020	Break up for Christmas holiday

Dinner money

Please remember when paying money to school for lunches, to always use your **YELLOW RECEIPT CARD**, thank you. Payment can be made by cash or cheque (cheques for school meals - payable to Leeds City Council please). **The cost per meal is £2.25 (£11.25 p.w.)**

Autumn Term 1	Autumn Term 2
14 Sept – 23 Oct £67.50	2 Nov – 18 Dec £78.75