



22ND OCTOBER 2018

## WEEK EVENTS

Dear Parent / Carer,

The children really enjoyed their Faith Day celebrations last Tuesday. Each of the classes learned and shared their new knowledge about different faith festivals:

- ~ YR – Harvest (Christian)
- ~ Y1 – Sukkot (Jewish)
- ~ Y2 – Rosh Hashanah (Jewish)
- ~ Y3 – Hanukka (Jewish)
- ~ Y4 – Sangha Day (Buddhism)
- ~ Y5 – Guru Nanak (Sikhism)
- ~ Y6 – Diwali (Hinduism)

We had successes in Netball and Football last week against St. Vincents with more matches this week against Yorston Lodge. Some children from Year 4 are attending a Tag Rugby Festival on Thursday after school and our four Sports Leaders attend their Gamesmaker Conference on Wednesday. Letters have gone out regarding our new lunchtime and after school sports clubs for next half term.

Year 5 enjoyed their Pilgrim Day trip to Chester Cathedral last Monday. The children particularly enjoyed working in cooperative groups with other schools during their afternoon workshop activities.

On Wednesday, we welcomed the Methodist drama group, 'Open the Book', who put on a performance of 'The Prodigal Son' during our afternoon assembly. Rev Scott and Father Ian are keen to develop this approach to worship and reflection.

I do hope that parents find this week's Parents' Evenings useful and informative as a way to communicate your child's progress. Please could I urge all parents to stick to their allotted time to avoid staff overrunning and making other parents late for their allotted time slot. If longer follow up appointments are required you are most welcome to contact the relevant class teacher to arrange a further meeting.

We have the ever popular Pop Project visiting school tomorrow. I'm sure that your children will let you know about their class activities!

Damien Stenson  
Headteacher

## GOLDEN CERTIFICATE

Reception ~ William Booker  
Year 1 - Edward Hargreaves  
Year 2 - Bobbi Haughton  
Year 3 - Sophia Thomas  
Year 4 - Oscar Denton  
Year 5 - Jake Zephir  
Year 6 - Thomas Miller  
All these pupils gave 100% in their studies last week.

## ATTENDANCE

Reception ~ 99.65%  
Year 1 - 98.33%  
Year 2 - 99.66%  
Year 3 - 98.33%  
Year 4 - 99.62%  
Year 5 - 99.50%  
Year 6 - 98.85%  
Well done to Year Two & Year Four, our Key Stage 1 and 2 class attendance winners. Well done!

## GOOD TO BE GREEN

Reception ~ Lottie Walton  
Year 1 - Cameron Turner  
Year 2 - Charlie Cupello  
Year 3 - Sophia Thomas  
Year 4 - Cameron Capp  
Year 5 - Ava Kaberry  
Year 6 - Francesca Thompson  
All these pupils gave 100% in their studies last week.

## VIP

### Values In Practice

Our VIP's this week, proudly wearing the red sweatshirts for demonstrating our Christian Values, will be:  
Reception ~ Bonnie Hargreaves (Courage & Respect)  
Year 1 ~ Halle Nicholson (Perseverance)  
Year 2 ~ Noah Rogers (Perseverance)  
Year 3 ~ Poppy Wheatley (Friendship)  
Year 4 ~ Beth Ralston (Compassion)  
Year 5 ~ Alana Gouldbourn (Courage)  
Year 6 ~ Mia Cosgrove (Respect)

## WINNING HOUSE

Mallory with 234 House Points  
Green 226  
Wilfrid 223  
Griffin 195  
Well done to Mallory!

## TIMES TABLES

A 2x Table Certificate was awarded to Oliver Williams in Year One. Well done!



# OTHER NEWS

## Invitation from Barclays – Years 4-6

On Sunday 28th October, 10am-2pm, Barclays Technology Centre are holding a FREE Introduction to Programming (Scratch and HTML) at their Radbroke Hall site, Knutsford. Children will have the opportunity to present their work to the rest of the group at the end of the session.

The Eventbrite link to book tickets is <https://barclayscoderdojo1.eventbrite.co.uk>. Tickets will be allocated on a first come first served basis.

Children will need:

- ~ A packed lunch & soft drink
- \* A laptop
- \* A parent -very important sorry!

The onsite Starbucks outlet will be open on the day for the purchase of drinks, sandwiches and snacks.

## PTA Message

It's the spooky disco on Wednesday, 4.30-6pm. Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 must have a parent / carer present who is responsible for them. No siblings who aren't at the school.

Also, we have been chosen by Aviva to go through to the public voting stage for the Community Fund competition. Public voting opens on Tuesday so we will send a link next week to vote for the school field improvement project.

The Christmas Fair has been confirmed as Saturday 8th December, 12-2pm at school. Please save the date. We will be having non-uniform days on Friday 9th November and Friday 7th December in lieu of chocolate and bottle donations.

## Dinner Monies

If you pay dinner monies half termly, please note that next half terms payments is due on the first day back after the half term break.

Amounts due for next half term for Juniors are:

- 5 days per week ~ £79.20
- Weds Specials ~ £16.80
- Fri Specials ~ £14.40

Cheque payments to 'Cheshire East Council'.

## Car Parking

We are very lucky to have this facility and the use of the Church Inn and grass verges as an overflow.

I urge all parents to stick to the speed limit of 10mph and exercise courtesy towards other car users (including Kids Allowed and the Ashley Taxi service) and pedestrians. Please do not block the entrance / exit to the car park else this causes a bottle neck at peak times.

All children, including the new Reception intake, have settled into their morning routines so please could we ask that all parents & carers drop their children and vacate the premises as soon as your child has gone through the gates.

## Open Morning

Our Open Morning for prospective parents for September entry in 2019 and 2020 is this Wednesday, 24<sup>th</sup> October. This is a drop in session for a tour of the school any time between 9:00am and 11:00am. Please spread the word to friends and family who you know may be interested in applying for a place for their child at our school.

## Book Fair

'Travelling Books' will be supplying a Book Fair to school from 6<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> November. The Book Fair will be open before (8:45am) and after school for parents to browse with their children. Leaflets will be coming home on the first day back to remind you about this.

## Fluenz Vaccinations

The Cheshire East School Health Team will be visiting school on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> November to administer the Fluenz nasal sprays to those children in Years Reception – Year 5 that signed up for it.

