

# Parent Newsletter

Friday 20th September 2019

**Dear Parents** 

#### Generosity

God wants us to love others as we love ourselves.

Real generosity is doing something nice for someone who will never find out.

Jesus says "'Love your neighbour as yourself".

Do you make sacrifices to give to others?

God is generous to us through his gift of creation - all the wonderful places where we can appreciate the wonder of God's world.

#### **Meet The Teacher:**

Thank you to all the parents who attended our curriculum meetings on Wednesday. It was lovely to see so many parents attend the individual meetings. As you are aware we have lots of exciting activities for our children planned. We appreciate all your supportive comments and help with your child's learning. If you were unable to attend, the Poewr Points are displayed on the class pages of the website. Please contact your choild's teacher should you require anymore information. We also raised £121.69 at the Book Fair.

#### Macmillan:

Next Friday from 9.15-10.15am, parents and members of the community are invited to come to our Mac Millan coffee morning. The children will also have the opportunity from 10.45am to buy cakes. The School Council are organising this event. They would appreciate any cake or raffle donations from parents. More information can be found on the school DOJO pages.



Class DOJO: Teachers are communicating with parents via class Dojo. They regularly update their Class story as well as posting messages/photos privately to

parents. Please make your child's account live to keep up to date with everything that is happening in school. Thank you.

# Stars of the week this week:



Discovery Class-Hallie, Joe and Summer.

Atlantis Class-Bobby, Isabella,

Leah and Leo.

Enterprise Class-Darcey, Isabella and Edwards. Endeavour Class-Tilly, George F, Harrison C and Grace, Maisie

Well done everyone.



Discovery Class-All about penguins. (Annabelle) Atlantis Class-Counting forwards and backwards. (Bobby)

Enterprise Class-Dragon descriptions. (Lily) Endeavour Class-Role on the wall for Kensuke's kingdom. (Chloe)



Planting and looking after our tubs and baskets
Filling the tyres for EYFS
Finding facts about Africa.
Play leader activities
Forest School
Map skills
Picture Hunt
Chalk character descriptions



### **Extra-curricular activities**

Taekwondo on Mondays.

South Ribble Sports Partnership are: Football on Tuesdays 3.15-4.15pm Years 4-6

Outdoor Adventurous Activities on Thursdays 3.15-4.15pm Years 1 - 3

If your child is at after school club on those days, children have the opportunity to join in but will need the appropriate kit.

If your child would like to join the club, please DOJO the class teacher to inform them.

Mr Pitcher is starting a Football club on Fridays after school for Y5 and Year 6. Letters have been sent out.

# **School Office requests**

Please return Data Collection forms asap. It is vitally important that we have up-to-date emergency contact details.

If there are any changes with regards to who can regularly collect your child, please take a new 'home time arrangement' form from the school office. We will not allow children to go home with anyone who is not on your child's list. If your child is to be collected by someone who is not on the list we must be informed in advance and they must give the teacher your password.

ParentPay - If you have not already activated your account please contact the school office for information.

Please keep your child's toast account on ParentPay topped up if you would like them to have toast daily we are asking you to credit their account for the full half term – <u>1 slice/day £6.80</u> or <u>2 slices/day £13.60</u> for this half term.

School lunches £2.30/day or £11.50/week



We will be starting our Hot Spot Days to celebrate



good attendance next week. There will be 10 Hot Spot Days before the end of term. . If your child is in school for all the 10 Hot Spot Days their name will go

in a draw for a cinema/family voucher.

PLEASE THINK CAREFULLY BEFORE KEEPING YOUR CHILD OUT OF SCHOOL DURING TERM TIME!

- By law, you must ask for permission for your children to miss school, well in advance of the planned absence.
- Parents can request a leave of absence but this can only be authorised if the circumstances are exceptional.
- Parents who take a child of compulsory school age out of school without permission may be issued with a penalty notice from the Local Authority.

From 6th September, when a member of our school community spends £30 in any Aldi store, they'll receive a special Team GB athlete sticker



to send in to school. If we complete a poster with 300 stickers to receive a school sports kit, and be

entered into a prize draw to win one of twenty £20,000 cash prizes! Please hand your stickers into the class teacher.

#### **Church News:**

Sun 6th October 10.30am Harvest Festival
Sun 13th October 3.45pm Superheroes Family
Church in School
Sun 3rd November 4.00pm Service of
Thanksgiving for Loved Ones

Sun 10th November 10.10am Remembrance

# Important dates for your diary!

# Tuesday 24th September

• Year 6 Bike ability starts

Sunday Community Service.

• TASA Boy's Football

# Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September

KS1 Visit Blackpool Zoo

# Friday 27th September

• Mac Millan Coffee Morning

# Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October

Harvest assembly in church

# Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October

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