



Parent Newsletter

Friday 20th January 2023

Dear Parents,

Our Christian Value this half term is:

Perseverance

On the journey of life, God gives us the strength not to give up.

He stays alongside us as our friends.

We welcome everyone in to our school and want them to feel at home.

In the bible St Paul write 'I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.'

God wants us to encourage others to keep going to achieve their goals.

Bible Verse

In our prayers, we can ask God to help us if we feel worried about facing a new challenge.

Hebrews 12 1-2

Celebrating our children:



What Would Jesus Do Awards:

Honey Bees and Discovery- Mason for persevering and learning to read the word 'once'.

Atlantis- Dexter for showing perseverance and never giving up with his handwriting.

Enterprise- Rosie for showing perseverance and determination to improve her score on TT Rockstars. For focusing her attention on the times tables she finds most difficult and doing them over and over again in order to make improvements.

Endeavour- Eliza showing the Christian Value of perseverance, digging deep and using our learning in worship to get the job done. Well done especially for working hard in writing and spelling.



Following Mrs Price's worship we were given challenges in class which needed perseverance.

Some KS2 children managed to complete the 'Impossible!'



Archdeacon David visited our school this week. We had a lovely worship together looking at our Christian Value of Perseverance. David then spent time in our classes. He really enjoyed his visit and was very impressed with our school Ethos and wonderful children.

Stars of the week this week:



Honey Bees and Discovery Class-

Oliver, Rory and Taylor.

Atlantis Class- Max, Tom and Harry.

Enterprise Class- Edward, Myla and Evie.

Endeavour Class- Esmay, Armin and Josh E.

Parents will receive an invitation to our Celebration Assembly at 9am, via Dojo.



Our GRIT Champion:

Get Ready I am Trying!

Honey Bees and Discovery Class- Spencer digging deeper with his writing and finding ways to remember the sentence that he is writing and that it has punctuation.

Atlantis Class- Ollie for persevering with his writing.

Enterprise Class- Aubre not giving up when dribbling in basketball. Even though she found it hard to dribble and move at the same time, she kept on trying and got there!

Endeavour- Alyssia for working hard all week in each area, head down and away she goes!



Honey Bees and Discovery- observing the weather and looking at the patterns that the ice has made on the windows, doors, paths and grass. We made bird masks from leaves collected in Forest School.



Atlantis- This week we have been outside finding contractions.

Enterprise- Fact finding in history about the Stone Age hunter-gatherer lifestyle.



Endeavour- We have made snowmen at playtime with very little snow! We are also starting to prepare for the Great British Birdwatch.



Honey Bees and Discovery- Finding out about Chinese customs and traditions and learning all about the Chinese New Year.

Atlantis- On our Thursday afternoons, we have begun looking at Happy Minds.



Enterprise- We have made our own cave art!

Endeavour- In science, we have been learning new key vocabulary of dissolve, soluble and insoluble, experimenting with water and different materials. We also explored the Lost Sheep parable in R.E.



Happier January:



Honey Bees and Discovery- Focusing on what's good, even if today feels tough.

Atlantis- We have focused on what feels good even if the day feels tough.

Enterprise- Plan something fun and invite others to join.

Endeavour- We have been saying positive things to people that we meet.

Coding Club: Please let Mrs Price know by Monday if your child would like to join Coding Club.

Unfortunately we do not have enough children interested to start the club yet. (Message on Dojo.)

Morning Snacks: Please check you emails. We are asking parents to check their children's morning snacks do not contain nuts. Toast can be purchased via parent pay and we have a fruit trolley for the children which is FREE! Thank you.

Office Hours: The office will now be open for parents 8.30am-3.30pm.

Please Remember: More information on our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=1000>

Important dates for your diary!

Tuesday 24th January:

- TASA Multiskills-Y1/2
- Dance From The Heart-Y5/6

Wednesday 25th January:

- Juliet Clark, (Cyber Protect/Prevent Officer) visiting Y5/6

Monday 30th January:

- Mrs Cookson takes over as Headteacher.
- Mrs Horn starts full time.
- Mrs Lever covering PPA and Y5/6

Tuesday 1st February:

- Wow Watch Wednesday. Enterprise Class. Everyone welcome.

Monday 6th February:

- Bikesability-Y6

Friday 10th February:

- Bikesability-Y6
- Safer Internet Day
- TASA Mini Tennis-Y3/4
- School Closes for half term

Monday 20th February:

- School opens
- Multi Faith Week. KS1-Judaism KS2-Buddhism

Wednesday 24th February:

- Ash Wednesday Service in church at 9am

Monday 27th February:

- Fair-trade Fortnight

Tuesday 28th February:

- TASA Athletics-Y1/2

Wednesday 1st March: **NEW DATE**

- Wow Watch Wednesday-Atlantis Class. Everyone welcome.

Thursday 2nd March:

- World Book Day

Tuesday 7th March:

- TASA Muddy Woody-Y5/6

Tuesday 21st March:

- TASA Tag Rugby-Y3/4

Wednesday 29th March:

- TASA Scavenger Hunt-Y1/2
- Enterprise Easter Production at 5pm

Thursday 30th March:

- Easter Service in church at 9am.
- TARDiS Performing Arts Festival at 6pm.

Friday 31st March:

- School Closes for Easter
- ASC Closes at 4.15pm

**REMEMBER TO PUT THESE DATES IN YOUR DIARY.
PLEASE NOTE: MORE DATES WILL BE ADDED or
AMMENDED.**

Hoole St Michael Family Church
warmly invites you to join us for

PARTY CHURCH

22 JANUARY 2023

Hoole St Michael School Hall

3.45pm onwards

Craft & Activities

Refreshments

Bible Story

All welcome