

Parent Newsletter

Friday 28th April 2023

Dear Parents,

Our Christian Value this half term is: Justice

Throughout our lives, God wants us to act justly. God shows us mercy and in turn we should show this to others. We are encouraged to fight for peace and this will bring justice. In the Bible, Isaiah tells us that we must: 'learn to do what is right. Seek Justice.' God wants us to walk humbly with him on our life's journey.

Bible Verse

'What does the Lord require of you? To act justly, to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.' Micah 6.8

Celebrating our children:



What Would Jesus Do Awards:

Honey Bees and Discovery - Mason for being a lovely role model and looking after the Honeybees especially in PE.

Atlantis - Azra having the Christian value of service, using her talent of writing, sharing vocabulary in class.

Enterprise- Evie for showing the Christian Value of Friendship. Evie has a special quality to spot children who may need someone to ask if they're ok and if they need anyone to play with. She is always wanting those around her to feel included and happy.

Endeavour- Maddie for showing the Christian Value of service, sharing her fantastic sense of humour with her friends and participating brilliantly in lessons.

Stars of the Week:

Discovery Class: Millie, Bobby and Alice

Atlantis Class: Dexter, Murphy, Emilia Enterprise Class: Bobby, Bailey, Leah. Endeavour Class: Harry, Cerys and

Robyn

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- Bluebell for keeping focussed on her learning and developing her independence in tasks.

Atlantis Class- Ted, keeping going and not stopping with his writing.

Enterprise Class - **Joe** for taking such care and time when weaving sticks and reeds into his roundhouse roof. He did it patiently for such a long time.



Endeavour Class - Vika focusing hard on her writing about Titanic and striving to achieve her best.



Honey Bees and Discovery - We have been running around finding root words to add to suffixes.





Atlantis- This week we have been outside to write commands in English.



Enterprise: We took our learning outdoors to forage for natural items that could help us to make our Celtic roundhouses.

Endeavour: Year 5 made an amazing willow crown for our Eden Project competition.





Discovery: We have been building a giant tee-pee which linked to our book of the week, 'Boris Goes Camping.'



Atlantis: This week Atlantis have been creating exciting things for the coronation.

Enterprise: We discussed different ways we could volunteer and help others within the community. We are excited to plan and bake our treats for the care home next week.



Endeavour: During our work on Titanic, we imagined we were the iceberg. We discussed our intentions to sink the ship and how we might feel. We then wrote in role as the iceberg.

Active April:



Honey Bees and Discovery – We have been going exploring and noticing new things.

Atlantis - We have been getting active using our singing.

Enterprise- We have been getting outside foraging and looking after our plants.

Endeavour- We have turned jobs, like spelling practice, into fun, active games.

Coronation Week - HAPPENING NEXT WEEK:



The Big Help Out: Each class has volunteered to help the community in some way this week. Endeavour are collecting for Penwortham Food Bank and will collect donations however big or small throughout the week.

Bring a red, white or blue bedding plant to school: Tuesday 2nd May and Wednesdy the 3rd. Let's make us coronation ready.

The Big Lunch: Come and have lunch with us next Friday. Bring your own, being mindful of nut allergies we have in school. Sittings from 11.45 - 12.15 and 12.15 - 12.45.

Church Service on Sunday and school's display: We are transforming church into King Charles' English country garden. Come and see what we have made in the church porch next weekend. Also join us for a coronation service on Sunday morning at 10.30am in church. School are reading prayers and sharing how they support the community. After the service, there will be a bbq over at school and many other exciting activities.

Musical Opportunity for younger children:

An offer for younger children from Kate who teaches music in school.



<u>Morning Snacks:</u> Please remember-we are a NUT FREE school. Children can have only fruit or toast at playtimes. 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. Mrs Bradshaw can also be found on Dojo under the usual school office header

<u>Please Remember:</u> More information on our Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100087 038689973

Important dates for your diary!

Monday 1st May:

• School closed for Bank Holiday.

Tuesday 2nd May:

Discovery Class closed.

Tuesday 2nd May and Wednesday 3rd May:

- Bring a red, white and blue bedding plant to school.
- The start of the Big Help Out

Wednesday 3rd May:

Year 1 hearing tests.

Thursday 4th May:

Performing Arts Team at Ribble Court

Friday 5th May:

- TASA Tri Golf
- Eden Project Big Lunch

Sunday 7th May:

• Choir singing in church for the civic service. School English country garden display. Work will also be on display in the village hall. More details can be found on page 4.

Monday 8th May:

• School is closed for Bank Holiday for the coronation.

Tuesday 9th May - Friday 12th May

Year 6 SATS week.

Thursday 18th May

• Enterprise Class at Uclan Science Festival.

W/C 22nd May

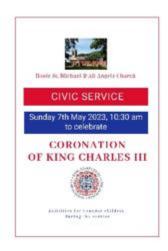
 Thye Kingdom Come Week – combining Art Week and prayer.

Tuesday 23rd May:

• TASA Kwik Cricket

Friday 26th May:

Church News from Rev. Ann and Liz:





We are looking forward to our Coronation celebrations next weekend. We are having a Civic Service in Church at 10:30 on Sunday 7th May. We would love to see lots of children from school there – they have all been practising the hymns for the service and several of them will be involved. If your child is a member of a uniformed organisation, we would be very happy for them to come to this service in uniform. There will be activities in the Lodge during the service for children in year 2 and below. We are excited that Ben Green, the Diocesan Youth Work Advisor, will be speaking, which will be relevant for everyone.

Immediately after the service, we are moving over to the school field for our village BBQ and picnic. There will be lots to do for all ages – a football match, craft activities, races, cream teas and of course, a BBQ. Please do join us.



We have had a great first session of our new baby and toddler group, little Angels, this week as the children enjoyed toys, snacks, a story and singing. Please do join us every Wednesday during term time from 9:30-11:30 in the Lodge.