

All Saints' Newsletter - 3rd May 2024

Vision - Learning hand in hand together with God

Dear Parents and Carers,

This weekend we are all looking forward to the Ilkley Carnival which I know will be a fantastic community celebration. We hope as many people as possible will be taking part or coming along to cheer us on in the parade. This year's theme is 'Mardi Gras' and a huge thank you to our carnival committee and volunteers for their incredible organisation and time and effort in creating our entry. I am sure it will be a Bank Holiday to remember!

Year 2 Pentecost Performance

Today we were treated to a joyous and uplifting performance from Year 2 to celebrate Pentecost and Spring. The show was filled with wonderful singing, poems and enthusisam from our Year 2 pupils who thoroughly entertained us and left a huge smile on everyone's faces. Well done Year 2!



Year 3 – Harlow Carr

On Tuesday 23rd April, Year 3 had the wonderful opportunity to visit and explore the gardens at RHS Harlow Carr. This was an amazing experience for the children, where we took part in a workshop learning all about how plants grow; through the process of pollination and fertilisation and how to take care of young seedlings.

We further explored the grounds, looking and classifying different flowers and plants and then drawing the many structures. We came back to school with lots of learning, knowledge and skills, lots of smiles and lots of very tired children. A super day was had by all!





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Headteacher Awards



KS1



KS2



Our latest Headteacher Awards mirrored the Olympic Values we are exploring through our collective worships in the run up to the summer games. Shining through were the children's excellence, determination and positive attitudes to improving with each one clearly striving to be the best they can be. Well done on your achievements! We are incredibly proud of you all!



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KS1 have been enjoying their new look playground whether it is being busy constructing or quietly sitting drawing or reading. It has also been lovely to see the sun shining!









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Requests

We are wanting to improve our provision resources and with spring coming, it's time to sort out those cupboards! We wonder if you have any of the following items that are in good condition and you are no longer in need of.

Small world (plastic) animals
Construction items
Duplo/lego/playmobile
Train/car track with trains/cars
Colouring books and notepads
Doll's house and small figures

Many thanks the KS1 team

Linking Schools

This week Year 3 had the pleasure of welcoming Copthorne Primary school to visit as part of the 'Linking Schools Project.' The theme for this year was' We belong together'. We chose to focus on

our community. The day was enjoyed by all, with lots of exciting activities finding out about each others hobbies and interests. We took the school along to All Saints' Church, where the children shared the history of the site, made crafts, shared their knowledge of the features of the Church and the community. This was lead by the fantastic church team. The Linking project is a fantastic way to share our school community and we look forward to visiting Copthorne in July.







National Numeracy Day

On Wednesday the 22^{nd} May it is National Numeracy Day. We would like to invite you to join your children in class for a fun filled maths session. The time spent in class will help to enable you to discover how to support your child along their mathematical journey. The sessions will take place between 9:00-9:45 am. If you have multiple children in school your time can be split between different classes. We are looking forward to seeing you!



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Reception Stay and Play

Reception have had a very busy week! We had Mummys, Daddys and Grandparents in to play in the classroom. There have been lots of wonderful creations going on- caterpillars, butterflies and lift

the flap clue books!















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PTA

Year 1 have certainly been enjoying their 'wish list' items and having lots of fun drawing all kinds of wonderful pictures and creating their own board games. Many thanks, the KS1 team!











Items from home

Please can we remind all children that they should not bring items from home, such as toys, with them to school. The children have lots to play with at break and lunchtimes and it avoids issues when items become lost or damaged. I also ensures they have lots to look forward to playing with when they get home.

Wishing everyone a great Bank Holiday weekend! Helen Dunn



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DIARY DATES	Date
Year 2 May performance - Pentecost	3.05.24
1M Class collective worship and class visit	7.05.24
Drama Group Performance	10.05.23
KS2 SATS	13.05.24-16.05.24
1MS Class collective worship and class visit	21.05.24
Numeracy Day	<mark>22.05.24</mark>
Year 6 Residential	10.06.24 -14.06.24
Year 5 and Reception parent lunches	17.06.24-28.06.24
KS1 Sports Day (PM)	19.06.24
KS2 Sports Day (Year 3+4 AM, Year 5 +6 PM)	20.06.24
Reserve Sports Day KS1 (PM)	26.06.24
Reserve Sports Day KS2 (Year 3+4 AM, Year 5 +6 PM)	27.06.24
Year 6 Production	10.7.24 2pm
Year 6 Production	10.7.24 7pm
Year 6 Leavers' Service	18.07.24 pm