

NEWSLETTER

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The newsletter is distributed every Friday. It contains information that parents need to know about events, activities, fundraising etc. Please read your newsletter



Next Week school bus stop needed on:

Friday 2 February 2018

Yr 4 swimming returning approx. 3pm

BOOK FAIR

The Book Fair is coming into school on Wednesday 31 January. Children can buy books after school from Wednesday next week and Monday, Tuesday of the following week. The Fair will be open between 3.15pm & 3.45pm. All children will be able to look at the books on offer during the school day but unfortunately we cannot save specific items.



MINI VINNIES

We were treated to an assembly by Gaynor Markham this morning. She is the local 'Mini Vinnies' Co-ordinator.



Mini Vinnies is a Christian organisation which gets children to put their faith into action. Members give support to people in their community, meeting them face to face and trying to help them in any way they can.

The children in Years 2 to 6 are invited to put themselves forward to become a 'Mini Vinnie'.

Those interested should write a short note explaining why they would like to become involved and give it to Mrs Robertson or myself.

Gaynor explained how the motto of the Mini Vinnies is 'turning concern into action'. This is a lovely way that our children can help serve our community but as she stressed it needs to be a decision from their hearts.

As Owen from Year 6 said after assembly 'If we did it, it might inspire others to do the same'.

If you or your children have any questions don't hesitate to come and speak to me.

God bless. Mrs Mabley.

PARENTS EVENING

Our next parent's evening is after half term on Thursday 22 February.

Appointment letters will be sent home next week so please keep checking book bags.

Appointment times will hopefully be sent out before we finish for the half term break.

WOW DAY

Years 1 and 2 had a fabulous pirate day on Tuesday this week. Both classes built an amazing pirate ship in the hall complete with plank for the teachers to walk, before finding gold at the end of their treasure hunt. Thank you to all the parents/carers for help in creating such fearsome pirates for the day.



SCHOOL BUS STOP



Please can we remind parents/carers that the school bus stop is needed every week when the children return from swimming. Over the last couple of weeks the bus had to stop on the road to allow the children to leave the bus as the bus stop was full of cars. This, as you can appreciate, is not the safest way for the children to arrive back at school.

Details of when the bus stop is needed is located at the top of the newsletter every week, please take a moment to check this before choosing where to park.

Thank you for your co-operation.

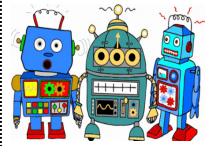
DIARY DATES

02 FEB 2018	St Francis (Y4) Class Assembly @ 9.00am
09 FEB 2018	Half Term Begins
19 FEB 2018	School Reopens - 8.45am
20 FEB 2018	Lent Liturgy
22 FEB 2018	Parent's Evening 3.10pm –6.00pm

GOLDEN SPOON AWARD

This week's golden spoon winners are

Sophia W (KS1)
Patryk (KS2)



WORLD BOOK DAY

This year's World Book Day is on Thursday 1 March.

This year's book day falls on our science day, so with this in mind we would like the children to come to school dressed up in a science theme. It will be great to see who comes through the doors this year.



STUDENT DATA COLLECTION SHEETS

Data sheets have been sent out to Year 3 pupils this week, please take time to check all the information on them and make any changes necessary. It is important that we hold the correct information for your child.

Second copies of the data sheets were sent out to pupils in Reception and Year 1 who have not yet returned the original. Please send sheets back to school as soon as they have been checked and signed. Thank you.