

### **The Week Ahead**

#### **Monday 22nd October**

Gospel Assembly Y1 2:45pm Everyone welcome

#### **Tuesday 23rd October**

Read Write Inc parent/carers information sessions 9am +6pm

Fireworks talk in school

Y5 After School Craft club 3:15-4:15pm

#### **Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October**

Toddler Group 9-10:30am

F2 Eye Tests

KS2 After school Girls' Football club 3:15-4:15pm

#### **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October**

Year 3 Music lessons

#### **PARENTS' EVENING**

**NO FOOTBALL DUE TO PARENTS' EVENING**

#### **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October**

After School Young Voices 3:15-4:15pm

**School closes for half term returning Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November**

### **Class Led Gospel Assemblies**

Each class takes a turn at leading our Gospel assemblies on Monday afternoons at 2:45pm. You are always welcome to join with us. The following classes will be leading assemblies up Christmas.

Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Y1 Gospel assembly
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	Y4 Gospel assembly
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	Y2 Gospel assembly
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> November	F2 Gospel assembly
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Y6 Gospel assembly
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> December	Y3 Gospel assembly

### **Values Awards**

Each week, children in KS2 nominate peers for a values award. Well done to those children who were nominated this week:

Year 4 Bonnie Oates - hope

Year 5 Alex Scott - honesty

Year 6 Liam Stone - respect

### **Poppy Appeal**

F1 children are selling the children's poppy accessories priced at 50p to £1, as well as the traditional poppies from next Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. We are asking for a minimum donation of 20p for poppies.

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Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

Thank you to everyone who attended our Harvest Mass this morning and for your kind donations. This year we are supporting Wath Food Bank and will be sending them the donations of tinned food and toiletries. Thank you for your continued support.

### **NSPCC**

A representative from the NSPCC visited school on Tuesday to say thank you for the huge amount of money raised for this charity on our own clothes danceathon day – it was a grand total of £1113.12! This was a fantastic achievement. Many thanks to all those who supported this great cause.

### **Cross Country**

Congratulations to our huge cross country team who competed at Wickersley on Thursday afternoon. They ran really well and looked fantastic in their new team sports tops!

### **Football**

Our boys' and girls' football team have both played two matches this week. The boys narrowly missed out on a place in the semi-finals while the girls were playing a friendly against Wath Central. Again, both teams were well turned out in new kit!

### **Read Write Inc Phonics information session**

Mrs Evans will be holding a meeting for F1/F2/Y1 parents next Tuesday 23rd October at 9am and 6pm to explain about how we use the Read Write Inc programme and how you can support your child with this at home.

### **Governors' Surgery**

School governors will be available to speak to during Parents' Evening next Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October.

### **General Data Protection Regulation**

Please ensure that you have completed the form sent out this week in relation to the new Data Protection rules. Although we already hold important details in school, your permission is required in order to be in line with new statutory regulations, including communications between school and parents/carers.

### **Attendance last week**

F2	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
98.5%	89.3%	<b>98.7%</b>	95.3%	95.6%	96.6%	97.9%

**Congratulations to Year 2. Well done.**

### **Dates for your diary**

Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> November	School reopens after the half term holiday Photo proofs to be sent home
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Y6 Maths Team competing at Rockingham school
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	F2/Y1/Y2/Y3/Y4/Y5-Flu nasal immunisation in school
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> December	Advent Mass 10:15am everyone welcome
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	Winter Wonderland 3:15-5pm
Tuesday 18th December	Christmas Lunch
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	School closes for Christmas holidays at 2pm

### **Special Dinners**

Ted Beevers, Emily Limer, Chaitra Akula, Ronnie-Grinsill Clinton, Zack Foster, Hannah Stead, Thomas Beverley and Libbie Jackson

### **Reminder-Kitchen works**

Our school kitchen will be refurbished during the October school holidays. Unfortunately, work commences next Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October and so we can only supply the packed lunches that have already been ordered for this day.

### **Next week's menu-**

New Menus start after the October holiday and paper copies have been sent out today.

Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Red	Sausage & Yorkshire Pudding	Lasagne	Chicken Fajita	Roast Pork with Sage & Onion Stuffing	
Yellow	Salmon Boat	Quorn Dog	French Bread Pizza	Cheese Plait	
Green	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings				
Blue-Sandwich	Tuna Mayonnaise	Cheese	Ham	Turkey	<b><u>Pre ordered sandwiches only</u></b>
	Creamed Potatoes	Diced Potatoes	Potato Wedges	Roast & Creamed Potatoes	
	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	
	Jam Whirl & Custard  Chocolate Mousse	Muffin  Ice Cream & Fruit	Cornflake Tart & Custard  Cookie & Milk	Chocolate & Orange Sponge & Custard  Fruit Sundae	

### **Parking**

Please park considerately at the beginning and end of the school day. Pulling onto pavements and leaving car engines running make walking on the pavement difficult for children and parents.