The Week Ahead

Monday 25th September

Y5 Gospel assembly 2.45 pm Everyone welcome to attend

Tuesday 26th September

Anti bullying day

After school KS2 Young Voices club- cancelled this week

St. Pius open evening for Y5/6 parents

Wednesday 27th September

Toddler Group 9:10:30am

Y4 swimming pm

After school Y3/4 Football club 3:15-4:15pm

PTA meeting 7pm

Thursday 28th September

Year 3 Music lessons

After school Y5/6 Football club 3:15-4:15pm

Friday 29th September

Wath Comprehensive open event 9 – 11.30 am

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 to half term.

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Monday 2 nd October	Y4 Gospel assembly
Monday 16 th October	Y3 Gospel assembly
Monday 23 rd October	Y2 Gospel assembly
Monday 13 th November	Y1 Gospel assembly
Monday 20 th November	FS2 Gospel assembly
Monday 27 th November	Y6 Gospel assembly
Monday 4 th December	Y5 Gospel assembly

Jess Cup

The Jess Cup is awarded each week to a pupil who demonstrates impeccable behaviour and makes a good contribution to school life. Last week's winner of the Jess Cup this year was Luke Firth. Congratulations, Luke!

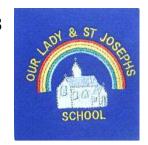
Gold Mark

The school was awarded Sainsbury's Games Gold Mark at the end of last year. This is the first time the school has received the highest award possible for sport. It is a reflection of all the work and commitment our pupils and staff show in their extra-curricular activities and PE lessons.

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Friday 22nd September 2017

School Council Elections

The following children have been elected by their classmates to represent their class on the School Council;

- F2 Ava Levitt and Finnlay Jinkinson
- Y1 Esme Beevers and James Day
- Y2 Honora Day and Logan Sharman
- Y3 Megan Magdziak and Oliver Hadfield
- Y4 Seth Cherry and Aisling Senior
- Y5 Daniel Redfern and Peggy Senior
- Y6 Tobias Janvier and Tilly Houlton-Wilson

Macmillan Big Coffee Morning

Thank you to everyone who has supported the Macmillan Big Coffee morning. There has been a tremendous response to the event.

Parking

Please park responsibly when dropping off and collecting children and be aware of blocking residents driveways. The school drive should not be used for dropping off or turning as this endangers others. Please inform anyone dropping off or collecting your child.

Earrings

Please note that children can not do PE if they are wearing earrings. Staff are not allowed to take earrings out and so if your child can't do this unaided, they need to come to school without earrings on their PE days.

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 4 th October	Y6 to Crucial Crew		
Friday 6 th October	School closed for Inset		
Monday 9 th October	Conisbrough Castle Y3 and 4 visit-Details		
	to follow		
Thursday 12 th October	Conisbrough Castle Y5 and 6 visit-Details		
	to follow		
Friday 13 th October	School Photos-appointments available for		
	siblings to attend from other schools		
Monday 9 th October	Harvest Festival-		
Thursday 26 th October	Parents' evening		
Friday 27 th October	School closes for half term holiday		
Monday 6 th November	School reopens after the half term holiday		
Monday 11 th and Tuesday	FS and KS1 production 2 pm		
12 th December			
Wednesday 13 th December	Winter Wonderland		
Thursday 14 th December	KS2 Carol service in church-		
Friday 15th December	Christmas Lunch		
Wednesday 20 th December	F1/F2/Y1/Y2/Y3/Y4-Flu nasal		
	immunisation in school-details to follow		
	Christmas Party lunch		
	School close for the Christmas holidays at		
	2 pm		

Attendance last week

F2	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
98.7%	99%	96.8%	96.3%	99.7%	95.5%	97%

Congratulations to Y4 99.7%. Well done.

School Values

This term we are looking at forgiveness as one of our school values. Being able to say sorry and understand how we have hurt someone is an important part of building relationships; equally important, is being able to forgive and moving on. The following children were nominated this week;

- Y3 Oliver Hadfield
- Y4 Molly Stacey
- Y5 Marysa Green
- Y6 Jody South

We are really proud of each of these wonderful young people.

Next week's menu

Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Red	Cottage Pie	Italian	Cornish	Roast	Harry	
	Č	Chicken	Pasty	Chicken &	Ramsden's	
		Pasta		Sage &	Battered Fish	
				Onion		
				Stuffing		
Yellow	Quorn Chilli	Cheese &	Macaroni	Salmon	Quorn Sausage	
	& Rice	Tomato	Cheese	Pattie	& Bean Plait	
		Pizza				
Green	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings					
Blue-	Tuna Mayo	Cheese	Ham	Turkey	Egg Mayo	
Sandwich						
	Sliced	Garlic	Diced	Roast/	Chips	
	potatoes	Bread/Potato	Potatoes	Creamed		
		Wedges		Potatoes		
	Seasonal	Seasonal	Seasonal	Seasonal	Seasonal	
	Vegetables	Vegetables	Vegetables	Vegetables	Vegetables	
	Chocolate	Jam Whirl &	Australian	Toffee	Chocolate Chip	
	Sponge &	Custard	Crunch	Apple	Shortbread &	
	Chocolate			Sponge &	Custard	
	Sauce	Cookie &	Fruit Jelly	Custard		
		Milk			Viennese Finger	
	Bun & Milk			Iced Finger	& Juice	

Special Diners

Jenson Smith, Emilia Oliver ,Ethan Ellis, Evie Bell, Theo Swann, Mary May Watson, Tyler Weekes and Grace Bell

School Maintenance Fund

As a Catholic school we operate a Governors' Maintenance Fund that enables us to plan for improvements and developments to the school premises. In the last few years, the school has benefited from several capital projects, and this summer both playgrounds have been resurfaced. We ask parents to contribute £18 per family per year and this can be made by half termly instalments of £3. We are very grateful to all our families who make a contribution.

Safety on the KS2 yard

Please remember that children should not climb on the wall of the KS2 playground.