

The Week Ahead

Monday 2nd October

Y4 Gospel assembly 2.45 pm Everyone welcome to attend

Tuesday 3rd October

After school KS2 Young Voices club

Wednesday 4th October

Y6 to Crucial Crew

Toddler Group 9:10:30am

Y4 swimming pm

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

Thursday 5th October

Year 3 Music lessons

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

Friday 6th October

SCHOOL CLOSED-INSET DAY

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 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 Holly McMaster. Congratulations, Holly!

School Photos

The school photographer will be in school on Friday 13th October. The photographer will be available before school for family groups. If you wish to bring siblings from another school or younger siblings please make an appointment with the school office. Siblings within school do not need to make a separate appointment.

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Friday 29th September 2017

Young Voices

There are 48 children doing Young Voices this year and we would like to get all the children a T-shirt which are £10 each and possibly a professional banner made for all future school events and we are looking at running a bake sale on Friday 27th October to raise some funds. We need some volunteers to help with the fund raising and baking. If you can help on this day or do some baking please let Rosie Hudson or school know.

Macmillan Big Coffee Morning

Thank you to everyone who supported the Macmillan Big Coffee morning. Miss Matthews has informed us there was a total of £325 raised on the day which is tremendous.

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 cannot 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

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| Monday 9 th October | Conisbrough Castle Y3 and 4 visit |
| Thursday 12 th October | Conisbrough Castle Y5 and 6 visit |
| 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 |
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| Monday 11 th and Tuesday 12 th December | FS and KS1 production 2 pm |
| Wednesday 13 th December | Winter Wonderland |
| Thursday 14 th December | KS2 Carol service in church |
| Friday 15 th December | Christmas Lunch |
| Wednesday 20 th December | 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

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| F2 | Y1 | Y2 | Y3 | Y4 | Y5 | Y6 |
| 97.3% | 94.7% | 96.8% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 97% |

Congratulations to Y3/4/5 100%. 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 Caitlyn Tracey Jenkinson

Y4 Ruby Mortlock

Y5 Daniel Redfern

Y6 Peter Moore

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

Next week's menu

| Week 3 | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| Red | Pasta Bolognaise | Chicken Fajita | Burger in a Bun | Roast Gammon served with Pineapple | Fish Fingers |
| Yellow | Cheese & Potato Layer | Quorn Sausage Hotpot | Vegetable Lasagne | French Bread Pizza | Tomato Pasta Bake |
| Green | Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings | | | | |
| Blue-Sandwich | Tuna Mayo | Cheese | Ham | Turkey | Egg Mayo |
| | Garlic Bread | Potato Wedges | Diced Potatoes | Roast/ Creamed Potatoes | Garlic Bread/Chips |
| | Seasonal Vegetables | Seasonal Vegetables | Seasonal Vegetables | Seasonal Vegetables | Seasonal Vegetables |
| | Cornflake Tart & Custard | Chocolate Brownie | Iced Sponge & Custard | Fruit Crumble & Custard | Lemon Shortcake & Custard |
| | Bun & Milk | Ice Cream & fruit | Jelly | Muffin | Cookie & Juice |

Special Diners

James Casey, Vanessa Borowiec, Ethan Turner, Zack Foster, Daisy Stone, Lacie Briggs, Ayaan Goni and Olivia Borowiec.

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.