

Newsletter



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Lord God,
keep in me a sense of humour and the ability to laugh at myself.

Lead me always to be positive, looking for the best in people and in situations.

Each day and in every way may I grow in the love of the Father and the presence of the Son,
and the power of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.



School Photo Day
Wednesday 4th October



The photographer will be in school this day to take individual and family photographs. All children in school will have their photographs taken and you will receive the proof, giving you the option of whether or not to buy. Sibling photos of children who attend the school will be taken during school hours. If you would like a family photograph, including a child or children not in school, please join the queue in the hall from 08.30am

Message from the Headteacher

Firstly can I congratulate all the Year 6 pupils who were successful in their applications to be Prefects, Librarians, House Captains and P.E Leaders

They have already started their duties exceptionally well.

As you can see from the attached photo our new Florescent jackets have arrived and the Year 6 were the first children to wear them on their visit to the St John's Church for their class Mass. I was very proud when I heard how well they have behaved both on the journey to church and also in Mass.

Today Mrs MacLean has taken a group of children to Peoples Park to participate in the hanging basket workshop. We are looking forward to displaying the baskets in school in the forthcoming weeks.

Also thank you to all the parents who came to our EYFS phonics meeting today. I'm sure you found this beneficial.

Next week on Monday, the NSPCC will be coming into school to educate the children on their 'Speak Out. Stay Safe' programme.

We will also be having the first KS2 coffee morning on Thursday 5th October this will be held in our school library at 2.15pm, Please come along and have the opportunity to meet the team and to also have a tour around our school.

'WELL DONE!' to the following pupils who received special awards this week:

Early Years- Lara L-M

Early Years- Frankie L

Year 1- Summer M

Year 1/2 -Isaiah B

Year 2 - Finn D

Year 3 -Millie O

Year 3/4- Sonia C

Year 4 - Sophia C-P

Year 5 -George M

Year 5/6-Isla K

Year 6- Paige D

PTFA NEWS

We have purchased 40 new skipping ropes for our new Skip fit challenge which will be run by Miss Lewis on Wednesday mornings at 08.40 on school playground.

The Next PTFA meeting will take place on Wednesday 4th October at The Easington Pub at 19.00pm

Please come along and join us.
We look forward to seeing you .

Year 6 school responsibilities

Well done to the following children who applied and have now been given the following jobs:

House Captains:

Galilee- William T and Ellie R

Nazareth- Luke M and Grace L

Bethlehem- Jake and Christina J



Librarians

Renee, Eva, Steven , Harry and Caitlyn

Prefects

Nico, Kris, Maya, Angelin, Sam Lucia

P.E Leaders

Matthew, Gabby ,Erica, Amelia, Tyrese, Tom, Paige, Amalia

Summer ,William, Bailey, Craig



**Don't forget to return your after school club letters
We need this back ASAP to guarantee your child's
place.**

Lost Property

We have a bin full of lost property and I urge you to ask your children to check their belongings. May I respectfully request that all items of your child's clothing are marked with your child's name.

Permission Forms/Agreements

Could we ask that the Home school Agreements, E-Learning Code of conduct, pick up arrangement forms are sent back in to school as soon as possible.

The children will also be bringing home a copy of a consent form for local trips.

We are required to have a signed copy consenting each child can leave the premises without these we would not be able to take your child on local walks, church visits or swimming.

Extra copies of all correspondence can be requested through the school office .

**DON'T
FORGET**

School Councillors

School Councillors have all been elected and meetings have started.

I look forward to hearing their ideas for the school.



Dates for Autumn Term

Monday 2 nd October	NSPCC E-Safety Day
Tuesday 3 rd October	Miss Lewis Class Assembly 09.15 start
Wednesday 4 th October	Individual Photos
Thursday 5 th October	P.E Festival 5/6 at Orchard Fields School (Invite Only) KS2 Coffee afternoon 2.15pm
Thursday 12 th October	Football Festival Year 3/4 at BGN School Harvest Mass 13.45 (More details of Auction to follow)
Friday 13 th October	Flu Vaccination (nasal spray) for Years 1,2,3,4 ALL CONSENT FORMS REQUIRED BACK IN SCHOOL BY WEDNESDAY 4TH OCTOBER
	Scholastic book fair opens Run by Year 6 children
Wednesday 18 th October	Mrs Pittman's class to St John's Church for Class Mass 10.00am
Thursday 19 th October	Whole school Parents Evening Year 5 Rugby Festival at Banbury Rugby Club
Friday 20 th October	Non-School Uniform £1.00 donation
	Scholastic book fair closes
HALF	TERM
Wednesday 8 th November	Ms Jefferies class to St John's Church for Class Mass 10.00am
Thursday 9 th November	Children singing for children St Mary's Church 7pm
Wednesday 6 th December	Early Years and KS1 Christmas Performance 1.45
Thursday 7 th December	Early Years and KS1 Christmas Performance 1.45 KS2 Christmas Carol Service At St John's Church 6pm
Tuesday 19 th December	Finish for Christmas 12.10