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**Weekly Newsletter**

**Friday 19th June 2015**



**Following in Jesus’ footsteps…**

**We pray together**

**We play together**

**We learn together**







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| http://www.educationcommission.org.uk/SiteImages/107.jpgCome and See |
| The theme for this month is reconciliation.  Talk with your child about the times when you have forgiven and been forgiven.  Discuss the importance of saying sorry.  Look for opportunities for forgiveness and reconciliation in the day to day life of the family. |

**Our school Prayer**

Jesus, Mary and Joseph bless my family at home,

Jesus, Mary and Joseph bless my family at school,

Jesus, Mary and Joseph bless all the families of the world

**Amen**

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| Year Group | Achievement Certificates | Dojos  Certificate |
| Year 1 | Jack  Sam  Lauren |  |
| Year 2 | Isabella  Frankie  Jack | Gene |
| Year 3 | Evie  Finn  Eva | Oliver |
| Year 4 | Charlie  Abigail  Jorge | Mikey |
| Year 5 | Josie  Poppy  Freya | Charlie T |
| Year 6 | Ruby  Will  Maisy | Edward |

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| **What’s happened this week** |
| **New Reception Stay & Play**  Many thanks to everyone who came along on Wednesday and Thursday to spend time with their children. We hope that the children enjoyed a lovely morning getting to know the class and their teachers. We look forward to seeing you all again next week  **Rejoice**  Y3 enjoyed a lovely afternoon on Tuesday sharing their class Rejoice with you all. Many thanks for supporting the children.  **Fathers Day Celebration**  The children in Y1 hosted a lovely Fathers Day celebration this afternoon for their fathers, grandfathers and uncles. It was lovely to see so many of you and we hope that you enjoyed the afternoon. Many thanks to Mrs Mitchell, Miss Langton and Miss Cook who prepared the children so well.  **Cronton Gala**  We were delighted that the weather stayed fine on Saturday and that the gala was able to go ahead. Many thanks to everyone who came along and supported the school staal. We made £117 which will go towards the school funds. We are delighted to let you know that we were the lucky winners of the scarecrow competition! |
| **What’s coming up soon** |
| **Sports Day**  We are hoping to hold our Sports Day next Friday 26th June. Please note that this event will be dependant on the weather and will be called off on the morning if the weather is not suitable. Reception, Y1 and Y2 will begin at 9.15am and will be finished by 10.30am. Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6 will begin at approx 10.30am. Let’s hope for good weather.  **Playground Equipment**  We would be grateful if parents would please ensure that young children are supervised before the start of school and at the end of the day. We would also ask that children only play on the frame directly next to the playground under the direct supervision of their parents. Children should not be playing on the amphitheatre or in the outdoor classroom. Some children are getting hurt so we would really appreciate your support with this.  **Reception Parent Meetings**  Mrs Evans will be meeting with parents on Monday 13th July. A separate letter will be sent home nearer to the time.  **Dance Showcase**  Children in the Y3 class will be celebrating their dance showcase at the Theatre Royal in St Helens on 14th July. A separate letter giving full details will be sent home today as tickets are available but we do need to know numbers as soon as possible to book them together.  **Y1 – Y6 Parent Meetings**  Parent meetings for the rest of the school will take place on Wednesday 15th July. A separate letter will be sent home nearer to the time in order for you to choose your time slot.  **Rejoice**  The Reception Class will be holding their class Rejoice on Friday 17th July at 2.30pm. All are welcome to come along for this final activity for the Reception class before they join Y1.  **Y6 Trip**  Miss Ashdown has arranged a lovely trip for the children in the Y6 class to Gullivers World on Friday 17th July. I’m sure the children will enjoy a wonderful day. A separate letter has already been sent home.  **Y6 Leavers Play**  Children will be performing their Leavers play on Tuesday 21st July at 4pm. We do hope that you will be able to come along to support the children. Further information will be sent home by Miss Ashdown nearer to the date.  **Y6 Leavers Mass**  We are hoping that the Leavers Mass will be held on Wednesday 22nd July. We are awaiting confirmation from Fr Michael regarding the time of the Mass but we do expect it to be in the morning time. We will confirm as soon as possible. |
| **Free School Meals**  We are aware that some parents may be entitled to free school meals and as such would urge you all to please visit the local council ‘Link’ offices to find out more information. The school receives a lot of extra funding for children in receipt of these benefits. Please be assured that all information is held in the strictest of confidence. This applies to children in the Reception class, Year 1 and Year 2 also.  Many thanks |

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| **Spotlight on Y5**  This week we have been doing fractions. We have looked at mixed number fractions and improper fractions. Improper is when it is 3/2 which is the same as one whole and one half.  In topic we have been learning about the Ancient Greeks. If they were performing plays they would wear masks to show different expressions. This week we looked at pictures of the masks used and designed our own and then made them from modroc.  In Big Write we had to write our own stories about a boy who visited his grandma and grandad and went into the loft and found a compass, a map and a mirror. We could then bring in our own characters and decide on our own stories. Mine was about a boy called Danny and he found a note saying “Come and help me”. Mine was about a boy called Addy and he went into a new dimension through his grandma’s back garden.  Many thanks to Aimee and Sam |

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| **PTFA** |
| Well done to Reception Class and Y5 who were the classes to bring in the most chocolate and toiletries. They will be enjoying an extended playtime today.  Children are asked to bring in donations of non alcoholic bottles please next Friday.  We will let you know the class who brought the most  donations into school next week.  Many thanks for your continued help and support.  Date for your diary – Family Fun Night  Friday 10th July |

**After School Clubs**

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|  | **Mon** | **Tues** | **Weds** | **Thurs** | **Fri** |
| **Y1** |  | **Ipad club** until 4pm | **Multi-Sports** until 4.15pm |  |  |
| **Y2** |  | **Ipad club** until 4pm |  |  |  |
| **Y3** |  | **Gardening Club** until 4.15pm | **Choir** until 4pm | **Ipad club** until 4pm |  |
| **Y4** |  | **Gardening Club** until 4.15pm | **Choir** until 4pm | **Ipad club** until 4pm  **Multi-Sports** until 4.15pm |  |
| **Y5** | Rugby until 4.15pm | **Gardening Club** until 4.15pm  **Netball Club** until 4pm | **Choir** until 4pm | **Ipad club until** 4pm |  |
| **Y6** | **Rugby** Until  4.15pm | **Gardening Club** until 4.15pm  **Netball Club** until 4pm | **Choir** until 4pm | **Ipad club** until 4pm |  |

**A £1.00 donation per session would be greatly appreciated.**

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| **Diary Dates** | |
| June | |
| Friday 26th | Sports Day – morning only |
| July | |
| Monday 13th | Reception Parent Meetings |
| Tuesday 14th | Y3 Dance Showcase @ St Helens Theatre Royal |
| Wednesday 15th | Y1 – Y6 Parent Meetings |
| Friday 17th | Reception Class Rejoice @ 2.30pm |
| Friday 17th | Y6 Trip to Gullivers World |
| Tuesday 21st | Y6 Leavers Play @ 4pm |
| Wednesday 22nd | Y6 Leavers Mass |
| Thursday 23rd | Break up for the summer at 2pm |

**And finally…**

**A positive thought for the week to promote discussion in the classroom and at home…**

I **appreciate my family** for all that they have

done and still do for me.



Many thanks

Mrs Hannah

