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Dear Parent / Carers

Learners of the Week


Well done to this week’s Learners, they are:

Teacher Training Days

2017/2018

Mon 4 Sep 2017
Tue/Wed 2nd & 3rd Jan 2018
Mon 4th June 2018
Weds 25th July 2018

RBE	Aaran Mander for his perseverance and his attitude towards his learning. Well done Aaran! ☺	RW	Joshua Archibald – for being an absolute star in all he does. Josh is always following the carpet rules and has a brilliant attitude to his learning. ☺
1A	Oliver Harland for fantastic maths work. Oliver tries his absolute hardest in every maths lesson, and all his effort has really paid off. Well done Oliver! ☺	1J	Fletcher Johnson for showing a great attitude towards his learning. He’s listening well, persevering with his handwriting and produced an excellent story map on the Bible story of Jonah. ☺
2L	Caleb Townsley for an amazing week! He has tried incredibly hard in all of his work – from his maths reasoning to his handwriting for which he has earned his pen license! ☺	2S	Charlie Britten for being an absolute superstar in 2S. He always tries his absolute best, has made huge progress with his reading and writing and shows great enthusiasm! Well done! ☺
3C	Elliot Cameron for his great attitude and focus on his lessons. He has made some fantastic contributions in English when learning about different sentence starters. Keep up the good work! ☺	3W	Sophie Mabb for a super start to the half term. Sophie has a super attitude to her learning, working extremely hard and taking pride in her work. Well done Sophie! ☺
4CR	Millie Haywood for listening carefully in class and concentrating hard across the curriculum. Millie has also worked hard in her presentation and handwriting! ☺	4H	Alfie Graham for his super attitude towards his learning and his growth mindset. He has really progressed in his writing and his maths and is never afraid of a challenge. ☺
5C	Albert Taylor for his fantastic attitude in all lessons. He has shown great team work in PE, perseverance in maths and has really tried to include a range of vocabulary in his writing! Well done! ☺	5O	Zoe Mabbs for having a super attitude to all of her learning, being a great friend and mastering fractions ☺
6C	Jack Thornton for his insightful answers and contributions in English lessons during our work on ‘The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas’ ☺	6M	Dante Abbott for an amazing attitude to his work. He is working extremely hard and in our English lessons has given some mature and reflective answers based on ‘The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas’ – well done Dante! ☺

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Memory Verse

"For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and give his life as a ransom for many"
Mark 10:45

Dates for your diary

1st December – PTA Dress down day – please bring a hamper item!
5th and 7th December – Reception Nativity (9:15am) (**Please note new date**)
8th December – Christmas Fayre (5 to 7pm)
12th December – KS1 Christmas performance (9:15am)
13th December – KS1 Christmas Performance (2:15pm)
14th December – Christmas Dinner
14th December – KS2 Christmas carols (9.30am and 2.30pm at Holy Trinity Church – please see note below)
15th December – Christmas Jumper Day, school closes for Christmas

KS2 Christmas Carol Service

The morning carol service on Thursday 14th December will be preceded by Mass at 9am, parents are very welcome to attend Mass or alternatively to arrive at 9:30am in time for the carol service. If arriving at 9:30am please be respectful of the service that will already be taking place. Many thanks

The Yorkshire Children's Hospital Christmas Gift Appeal – Selection Boxes needed!

After such a huge and generous response from our parents last year we are, once again collecting selection boxes for the Yorkshire Children's Hospital's Christmas Gift Appeal. Please leave any donations in the Christmas box located near the School Office, the box will be there until the last day of term and all donations are gratefully received. For further information please visit the facebook page <https://m.facebook.com/LeedsHospitalsChildrensChristmasGiftAppeal/>
Many thanks, in advance for your help

PE Kit reminder

With the weather getting colder it is important that children have the appropriate PE kit for outdoor lessons. Please ensure that your child has the below in their kit bag at all times:

- A gold T-shirt with or without school logo (purchased through the school office)
- Plain navy tracksuit bottoms (no logos or stripes)
- Plain navy tracksuit hoodie/sweatshirt (no logos or patterns)
- Trainers

Thank you for your cooperation, Miss Johnson and Mr Wilkinson (PE Leaders)

Shoebox Appeal - shoebox making!!

If your child hasn't been able to make a shoebox yet but would like to we are holding a shoebox making club on Tuesday 21st November at lunchtime. Children may bring an item into school to add to a shoebox with their friends!

Also a big thank you to all of those that have already brought a shoebox into school for our Shoebox Appeal. It is really appreciated ☺ If you haven't already please support our appeal and make a shoebox! Remember that flatpack shoeboxes are available to collect from the school office. **The deadline for shoeboxes to be brought into school is Thursday 23rd November.**

Many thanks, Miss Lillington and the Worship Team

Reminder – collecting from after school sports clubs

If your child is taking part in the after school sports clubs run by either Premier Sport or First Step Sport please come to the main school entrance and wait at the school office. The sports coaches will bring the children to the office and sign them out with you. If you are collecting from the After School Club please continue to come into school via the playground and collect your child from the usual back door. Many thanks

Notice for year 6 parents:

We are looking for a team of parents who would be interested in co-ordinating this year's Year 6 yearbook. It is quite a big project and would require some time to put it together, proof it, collect photos and discuss content with pupils and teachers. Work would need to start in the Spring term. If anyone is interested in volunteering, please contact Mrs Casling or Mr March in Year 6.

Kind regards, Anna Casling

House Points

	Week	Cumulative
Matthew	155	1636
Mark	186	1609
Luke	155	1481
John	141	1659

PTA news

NOVEMBER EVENTS

10.11.17 School discos

We hope that all the children who came to the discos last week had a great time. We would like to say a massive thank you to all the parents and staff that helped to run the discos last week because without you we could not run these events. We raised almost £900!

DECEMBER EVENTS

Christmas cards

Your children have all designed a Christmas card at school. A sample card and order form has been sent home this week. The design can also be printed as gift tags, mugs, tea towels and eco bags. Please complete the order forms and **return to school by Monday 20th November** with full payment, either cash or cheque made payable to Holy Trinity PTA. Please get your orders in on time as unfortunately late orders cannot be processed.

1.12.17 Dress down day and bring a luxury hamper item - Children are asked to bring in a luxury hamper item eg chocolates, toiletries, wine etc that can be wrapped by the PTA into hampers which will be available to buy at the Christmas fayre. Please ensure all donated items are unopened and in date.

4.12.17 and 6.12.17 Hamper wrap nights 6pm – Helpers needed, please let a PTA member know if you can help or email the PTA email (see below).

8.12.17 Christmas fayre

The Christmas fayre will be held on **Friday 8th December from 5-7pm.**

Entrance charge is £2.50 per adult which includes a complimentary glass of mulled wine and a mince pie. Children are free.

We have lots of exciting stalls including Flamingo paperie, Temple spa, Age UK , Rachels crafts, Avon and Amber O'Neill jewellery . There will also be a novelty stall, chocolate tombola, lucky dip , luxury hampers, Christmas glitter tattoos and lots of games, including lucky straws, guess the name of the Christmas Moose, guess the weight of the Christmas cake, festive Trinity Bear Hunt, roll a penny, race the reindeer splat the Christmas pudding.



and

Santa will be in his grotto to meet all children who have pre-booked to see him. If you have not yet sent your booking form back please do so **by 29th November.**

The refreshments stall will be selling soft drinks, mulled wine , crisps , sweets, cakes and other goodies!

There will also be a raffle with some fantastic prizes including Cookridge Hall voucher, Vie beauty voucher, Declutter session from Home Leaf Organiser and many more!

We look forward to seeing you there for a fun filled evening.

We need your help to run the fayre so if you are able to spare an hour or two please complete the helper slip that has been sent home and return to school as soon as possible and by 29th November at the latest. Many thanks.

For further information please contact Natalie Drake , P.T.A. chairman by email at holytrinity.pta1@gmail.com

Ms C Harbrow
Headteacher

We have had several complaints about inconsiderate and sometimes illegal parking around school since the beginning of term.

I am sure that you are as concerned as I am about ensuring the safety of our children –especially during those times when they are coming into and leaving from school.

Please be aware that the following is from the Highway Code, which is legally enforceable.

Rule 240

You **MUST NOT** stop or park on:

- a pedestrian crossing, including the area marked by the zig-zag lines (see [Rule 191](#))
- a clearway (see [‘Traffic signs’](#))
- a road marked with double white lines, even when a broken white line is on your side of the road, except to pick up or set down passengers, or to load or unload goods

Rule 242

You **MUST NOT** leave your vehicle or trailer in a dangerous position or where it causes any unnecessary obstruction of the road.

Laws [RTA 1988 sect 22](#) & [CUR reg 103](#)

Rule 243

DO NOT stop or park:

- near a school entrance
- anywhere you would prevent access for Emergency Services
- on the approach to a level crossing/tramway crossing
- opposite or within 10 metres (32 feet) of a junction, except in an authorised parking space
- opposite a traffic island or (if this would cause an obstruction) another parked vehicle
- where the kerb has been lowered to help wheelchair users and powered mobility vehicles
- in front of an entrance to a property
- on a bend
- where you would obstruct cyclists’ use of cycle facilities

except when forced to do so by stationary traffic.

Let us all work together to keep our children safe from harm.

Please park safely and with consideration