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Dear Parent / Carers

Learners of the Week

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

Teacher Training Days

2018/2019
Mon 7th Jan 2019
Mon 3rd Jun 2019

RBE	Megan Pierce for persevering with her blending, excellent attitude towards school and for being an excellent friend – well done! ☺	RW	Poppy Johnson – for her fantastic attitude to learning and her brilliant in-depth answers and contribution to class discussions. Well done! ☺
1A	Eliza Trigg for being a role model in our class. Eliza has a brilliant attitude towards school and always sets the standard in our classroom. Keep it up Eliza! ☺	1J	George March for being an always child. George always listens, is polite and always tries his best. His presentation is super! ☺
2S	Daniel Holloway for his wonderful, thoughtful contributions to our class discussions. He has some brilliant ideas and is trying really hard with his writing too! ☺	2W	Olivia Goodyear for being a role model in school. Olivia puts 100% effort into every lesson. She is a pleasure to have in my class. Well done! ☺
3R	George Haywood for producing an excellent newspaper report related to Lighthouse Island. George is trying extremely hard with his handwriting and presentation and it is really lovely to see! ☺	3W	Faye Mathie for working super hard in all lessons and producing some really thoughtful answers. ☺
4H	Henry Bollon-Mitchell for his attitude towards his literacy work this week. He has written a brilliant poem in the voice of the iceberg that sank the Titanic and has been working hard to improve his handwriting. ☺	4L	Jayden Archibald for a great week in our English lessons. He has tried incredibly hard and produced a fantastic piece of poetry based on the Titanic using lots of metaphors and personification. ☺
5C	Callum Wray for his fantastic attitude to his learning over the past few weeks, he has been trying extremely hard to contribute more and get straight on with the tasks. Callum has been persevering with his maths and is now a rock legend! Well done! ☺	5O	Daniel Cripps for showing a tremendous attitude to all aspects of school life, persevering with tricky problems in maths and being a great friend! ☺
6C	Mena Maki for her all round positive attitude, growth mindset and perseverance. She is showing progress in her maths and writing, having written some impressive pieces. Keep it up! ☺	6M	Sam Johnson for his excellent attitude towards his learning and the high level answers he has been giving during lessons. He is showing a great deal of maturity in every area – well done Sam! ☺

Memory Verse

"The Holy Spirit will come upon you," the angel answered, "and the power of the Most High will cover you with its shadow. And so the child will be holy and will be called the Son of God!"
Luke 1:35

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Dates for your diary

Mon 3 Dec – Nasal flu immunisations (Reception to Yr 5)
Wed 12 Dec – Reception Christmas Performance (9am)
Thur 13 Dec – Reception Christmas Performance (9:20am)
Tue 18 Dec – KS1 Christmas Performance (9:20am)
Wed 19 Dec – KS1 Christmas Performance (9am)
Thur 20 Dec – Christmas Lunch (pupils only)
Thur 20 Dec – KS2 Christmas Performance (9:30am and 2:15pm at church)
Fri 21 Dec – Carols in the woods (2:30pm)

Request for props!

Thank you for the kind loans of walking sticks, we are still looking for one more wooden walking stick for our KS1 production. We also need a dog onesie if anyone is able to lend us one! Please call in to the office or speak to the staff in years 1 or 2.
Many thanks, in advance



Stamps

Reminder – we have a box for used stamps in the office, please bring your used stamps and help us raise money for Martin House Hospice, thank you in advance ☺

Junior Parkrun

Parkrun Takeover will be Sunday 9th December at 9am. Matthew team have won both times we have done a takeover now, so let's see if another house team can beat Matthew this half term! Please wear Holy Trinity gold PE kit T-shirts if possible. Please visit <http://www.parkrun.org.uk/bodington-juniors/> for more information.
Miss Johnson

The Yorkshire Children's Hospital Christmas Gift Appeal – last date Fri 15th December

This charity aims to help raise a smile on the faces of children in hospital, hospices and care homes at Christmas, throughout Yorkshire, by sending them selection boxes and small gifts. Last year they managed to supply to over 20 locations! Once again Holy Trinity School has kindly agreed to help the Christmas Gift Appeal in their task by collecting the required items. The selection boxes/gifts can be handed in at reception or placed in the collection box in the area by the school office before 15th December. In particular, the charity always struggles to get enough gifts for teenagers (toiletries are most appreciated), which would be gratefully received. Thank you for all your help and kindness, there were some very generous donations last year and, I hope this year will be as good.
Carol Francis (6M mum).



SCHOOL CHRISTMAS CHOIR

This year the choir is being rehearsed by Mrs Swann and Mrs Earnshaw. We are delighted that over 90 children have brought letters home about joining the School Christmas Choir. The choir will be singing at the KS2 Christmas Productions in church, both of which take place during school time. We are learning three new carols and the choir already sound amazing!
We are also delighted that Fr Paul has asked the choir to sing their three carols again at the **Blessing of the Crib Service on Christmas Eve at 4.30pm**. This is always a lovely family occasion and one of our most popular services. To help with arrangements we are asking for a firm commitment to sing for the Blessing of the Crib Service from any children in the choir who will be able to come.

Reminder for Year 5 parents

There will be a short Robinwood meeting for parents on Tuesday 11th December at 3:30pm and 5pm.

Library Notices

Congratulations to 3R for being November's Top Borrowers Class. Also, congratulations to the Top 10 readers in November:-

Chloe Towers 3R
Faye Mathie 3W
Evie Rhodes 3W
Olivia Roebuck 3W

Isla Higgins 3R
Emre Can 6C
Gracie Daibell 3W

Freya Logan-Hall 3R
Ava Hoole 3R
Malek Nahil 5C

House Points

The table below shows the results so far this term.

	Week	Cumulative
Matthew	412	4180
Mark	487	4309
Luke	428	3853
John	489	4731

Please see overleaf for PTA news

Ms C Hellings

Headteacher



PTA News 7.12.18

Christmas Fayre TODAY 5-7pm



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

There will be a novelty stall, chocolate tombola, lucky dip, luxury hampers, christmas glitter tattoos, make your own reindeer food and lots of games, including guess the name of the christmas moose, where is santa going game, festive Trinity Bear Hunt, race the reindeer, Christmas spinner, hook a bauble and splat the christmas pudding.

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

We have some fabulous stalls to visit and there will be a raffle with some fantastic prizes including Kids clubhouse voucher, Tranquility spa voucher, Boiler service, Number train voucher, GHD hair straighteners and many more!

Santa will be in his grotto to meet all children who have pre-booked to see him.

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

If you would like to be involved in the organisation of any of the PTA events or you would like further information about the PTA please email **Suzannah Stott**, PTA Chairman at holytrinity.pta1@gmail.com