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Dear Parent / Carers

Our Christian Value this term is **Trust**

Our Ethos Statement is: **Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight. Proverbs 3:5-6**

Spring Term

This week we have been exploring how we can look after our mental health. Our children and teachers have looked at how we can be our BEST selves and what we need in our mental health 'toolbox' to enable us to take care of ourselves.

We had another fantastic turnout for our year 3 and 4 maths stay and play – there was a maths buzz in the air with lots of activities on offer– thank you for coming along and supporting your child at these events.

We met this week for Praying Parents – it is always a great way to start the day/month. If you would like to come along but the day or time of day prevents you from attending please let us know as we may be able to accommodate a change.

Don't forget that it is parents evening next week – we will look forward to seeing you there.

Pupil of the Week

RB This week in RB class our pupil of the week is Toby Woodruff. We have been impressed with Toby's efforts towards his work and his involvement in class discussions. Toby is helpful and follows the school golden rules. Well done Toby 😊	RC This week our pupil of the week is Mia Dixon. Mia is always a superstar in class, she works hard on all her learning and she always follows our school rules. Mia is a kind friend to others and is often looking after other children. Well done Mia! 😊
1K 1K's pupil of Ranae. Ranae has been	1RC Our pupil of the week is Eric. Eric has been

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<p>impressing me with her enthusiasm in Maths this week. She has worked really hard on her addition skills, answering lots of questions independently. It's also been lovely to see Ranae become more confident with her reading and her fluency is improving. Well done Ranae, keep up the fantastic work! 😊</p>	<p>working hard in all lessons this week. We have been particularly impressed with his fantastic knowledge of addition and his reasoning skills when working out tricky maths challenges. Eric has contributed to class discussions we have had about Mental Health week with thoughtful and mature answers. Eric is a kind and caring friend. Well done! 😊</p>
<p>2J Our pupil of the week this week is Eliana. Eliana is an 'always' child in our class and has waited patiently to gain pupil of the week, which she could have earned any week this year. Eliana is always working hard, always being polite and considerate and always presents her work neatly. This week I have noticed her giving really detailed, clear answers in lessons and she has been imaginative when writing her Beatrix Potter inspired story. Eliana persevered to gain her pen licence earlier this term and demonstrates great gymnastics in PE lesson. Well done Eliana. 😊</p>	<p>2S We have chosen Esmae Ellis as our pupil of the week in 2S. We have been so impressed with the effort and perseverance Esmae is showing in her learning. She has made so much progress with her reading and maths this term. We're really proud of how hard she is working and the enthusiasm she's showing. Keep it up Esmae! Well done! 😊</p>
<p>3R This week I have chosen Josh Waite as 3R's pupil of the week. Josh shows a fantastic attitude to all his learning and has been putting 100% effort into everything he does. Josh has worked incredibly hard all week and impressed us all with his focus and perseverance in sewing. He has also worked hard in R.E and PSHE giving very thoughtful answers to discussions which has been lovely to see. Josh is a superstar and always works hard! Well done Josh - keep it up 😊</p>	<p>3W This week in 3W we have chosen Henry as our pupil of the week. Henry has been working really hard across a number of subjects. However, I have been really impressed with his portal story in English. His writing is becoming more detailed and it's been lovely to see his imagination come to life in his story. Henry's confidence has developed massively and it's fantastic to see him contributing and sharing his ideas across a range of subjects. Well done Henry, keep up the good work. 😊</p>
<p>4W Well done to Scarlett Smith who is 4W's Pupil of the Week this week. Scarlett has had a fab week, really impressing with her hard work and enthusiasm. She has been incredibly engaged with all of her learning, especially maths where we have been investigating some rather tricky perimeter work. She has also shared some fab ideas linked to our learning in PSHE on zones of regulation. Well done Scarlett! 😊</p>	<p>4S This week in 4S our pupil of the week is Jackson! It is always a given to be impressed by Jackson's maths skills, but this week it has been his English work that has impressed me. We have been writing persuasive pieces to convince people to travel to Italy, and his attitude to the writing has been incredible. He has been writing so independently and making great choices in his language and word choices. Overall, his attitude to learning has been amazing this week and we are so impressed with his effort! Well done Jackson, keep up the good work! 😊</p>

<p>5L My 5L Pupil of the Week is Lexie Rivett for a wonderful week of learning! We have noticed Lexie trying really hard with her learning this week, producing a detailed and accurate timeline of the moon landing. She has also shown great understanding in our math work looking at decimals. Lexie is always enthusiastic and will always try her best, well done Lexie! 😊</p>	<p>5K I have chosen Noah Lyons as my pupil of the week because of his enthusiastic attitude in our science lessons. We are learning about earth and space and Noah is full of interesting questions, he is doing a lot of research at home and telling the class amazing facts. It is so lovely to see Noah so thoroughly engaged in his learning. Well done Noah! 😊</p>
<p>6C William Prestwich for his great attitude and impressive efforts throughout Year 6. He puts in superb effort to all he does and takes on his roles of responsibility around school with maturity and kindness. This week he has impressed with his explanations of his methods when solving multi-step maths problems. Well done William? keep up the hard work, perseverance and always setting a great example to the rest of the school! 😊</p>	<p>We have chosen Amelia Samby as this week's pupil of the week. Her focus is always unbeatable in class and is always the first to be ready when anything has to be done. This week she has amazed us with her test scores from our Year 6 'Test Week'. She doesn't always find tests easy but this week she has gained lots of well-earned points with her hard work, attitude and knowledge. Keep up the great work Amelia! 😊</p>

Dates for your diary

Tue 11 Feb – Parents Evening (3:45 to 5:30pm)

Wed 12th – Parents Evening (4:30 to 6:30pm)

Fri 14 Feb – **Number Day**

Fri 14 Feb – school closes for half term

Number Day – Fri 14th February

Advance notice! On Friday 14th February, the last day of half term, we will be celebrating Number Day, an annual event at Holy Trinity. The day involves lots of number fun in school, and we ask the children to dress up in something number related - dress as a digit!

You can go 'all out' with a costume and come as a coin, a calculator, a dice...or just wear something with a number on it - a football shirt, a t-shirt, make a creative headpiece - whatever you're comfortable in 😊



We will also be introducing Numbots and Times Tables Rockstars which will be replacing Mathletics as our online learning platform for Maths practice at home from March...more to follow about this.

Reading Shed donations



We would be very grateful if you would be able to donate any of your spare pens/pencils which you could kindly give to our school reading shed. I am a year 6 student who enjoys reading and drawing and has seen the joy created by this in other children's faces. Thank you, if so!

Please hand your items in to the office in a bag marked "For the Reading Shed"

The Year 6 Reading Shed helpers

Ukulele Recital by Year 2

Year 2 will be performing a Ukulele recital on **Wednesday 12th February at 9.45am** to parents/carers and anyone else who is interested to hear what our children learn in their fabulous music lessons.

Mrs James (our music teacher) and our children have been working incredibly hard on their Ukulele skills since September and would like the opportunity to perform to an audience in order to showcase their new talents! Performing to an audience is also an important aspect of our music curriculum and the children will feel incredibly proud of what they have achieved.



We look forward to seeing you.

Miss Johnson (Year 2 teacher and music subject leader)

Exceptional Sporting Achievements

Eleanor Porter 6C - Eleanor has been accepted into the U12 West Yorkshire hockey squad and is really chuffed about it! Her local club is Adel and she went to several assessments before being admitted into the County team. She is wearing her County kit for "Express Yourself" day! **Congratulations Eleanor!**

Isabella Egglestone 6C – Isabella has had a great year so far! Recently been awarded Player of the Year at her club, Ilkley LTSC. Earlier last year, she finished second in the Lexus Jr National Championship in Bolton. In Summer she became the 10U Yorkshire County Championship coming first place in both singles and doubles. In December, she was selected for the national team against Belgium. She won 4 of her 5 matches during the week helping GBR to victory. **Congratulations Isabella!**



Mathletics

This week the top 10 mathletes are:

1. Joseph Porter
2. Gracie-Mae Sellens
3. Oliver Graham

4. Jack Woodruff
5. Emmie Ingram
6. Georgia Jones
7. Harriet Pickersgill
8. Eliana Cunliffe
9. Violet Wilson
10. Eloise Trafford

The trophies are awarded to 2S and 6E 😊

Golden Welly



This week the Golden Welly Award was awarded to **Reception Classes** Well done everyone!

Vacancies

We will shortly be advertising a position working in the school kitchen. The job will be 10 hours per week at the rate of £12 per hour. (Advert to follow). If you may be interested in the role please call in to the school office.

Leeds and Bradford Triathlon Club

JUNIOR AQUATHLON

Sunday 1st June
The Edge – Leeds University
ALL abilities welcomed and indeed encouraged
Perfect way to start multi-sport events
Same heated pool used by Olympians
Closed running course set within the University grounds
Professional chip timing
Medals & goodies for all competitors
No special equipment needed
Distances based on age

- **TriStar Start** (8 years) – 50m Swim & 600m Run
- **TriStar 1** (9-10 years) – 150m Swim & 1200m Run
- **TriStar 2** (11-12 years) – 250m Swim & 1800m Run
- **TriStar 3** (13-14 years) – 400m Swim & 3000m Run
- **Youth** (15-16 years) – 400m & 3000m Run
- **Junior B** (17-18 YRS) – 400m Swim & 3000m Run

Note: Ages are as of December 31st 2025.

This event always sells out each year
so [Book Here](https://lbt.org.uk/junior-aquathlon/)
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