



"Starting children off through God's love and Jesus' teachings"

Christian Value: Friendship

British Value: School Qualities

Living out the School Vision this Week: (Y2)

Curiosity: "I was curious about learning what to do to be a good friend," said Aven.

Compassion: "When my friend fell over, I helped her up," reported Gianna.

Resilience: "When I found something really hard, I asked for help and I kept on trying," shared Zach.

Worship quote: "Sing and make music from your heart to the Lord, always giving thanks to God the father for everything," *Ephesians 5:19-20*.

Remember in our prayers: for all those affected by cancer and undergoing treatment.

Macmillan Event

Many thanks to all who attended this event, this afternoon. The donations to this worthy cause exceeded £322. Well done to pianists and strings, who entertained us so well.

Y4 Residential

The children in Owls' Class have had a brilliant time at Beaumanor and the weather was a little kinder than originally forecast! They have particularly enjoyed den building, climbing and bridge building, with hide and seek in the cellars, also being a highlight. Please see photos on our X account: @StPaulsweaves. Thank you to Mr Harrison and Mrs Imbush for giving them such a super experience. Enjoy a good sleep this weekend!

Y6 Residential

We hope that Wolves' Class are looking forward to their residential week, in Norfolk, next week.

Uniform

Please make sure **names are clear and visible** and that children bring a **waterproof coat** every day.

PE bottoms should be 'tracksuit-like', so that shorts can be worn underneath. Flares are not suitable, as they could get caught in equipment/ apparatus.

Donations of outgrown, new-logo uniform, are always gratefully received, by the office. We aim to have regular sales but if you need anything, items can be bought from the school office (£2/3).

PTA

Please see the accompanying flyer about Autumn events, including the AGM on 2nd October (all welcome). We continue to thank the PTA for all

their efforts in providing interesting events for the children and additional funds for school.

Parents Evenings

These will be taking place the week before ½ term. Booking should be available, next week.

Holidays in term-time

As we approach half-term, please be reminded that from August, the fines for holidays in term-time increased to £80 per parent, per child. Or £160 per parent, per child if not paid before 21 days. Thank you for prioritizing attendance and punctuality. They are crucial to maximizing learning and cementing friendship bonds.

Bark Chippings

Reception Robins would be very grateful of any donations of bark chippings. Please speak to the school office or the teachers.

Keyrings/attachments on book bags

Excessive numbers or bulky keyrings, on book bags, are causing difficulties, when children are trying to get book bags into drawers, especially in Y2,3&4. Thank you for limiting these to just 1.

School Diary

- Fri 4th Oct 2.40pm: Golden Worship R, Y1, Y2 (parents of those year groups welcome)
- Fri 11th Oct 2.40pm: Golden Worship Y3-6 (parents of those year groups welcome)
- Tues 15th Oct: parents evening 3.45-6pm
- Thurs 17th Oct 2.15pm: Harvest Festival service, St Paul's Church, Y3 parents welcome
- Thurs 17th Oct: parents evening 3.45-6pm
- Thurs 17th Oct: break up for ½ term
- Fri 18th Oct: Rise Inset day (staff only)
- Fri 1st November: PTA disco, after school
- Wed 11th Dec 2.15pm: Y1&2 Nativity
- Thurs 12th Dec 2.15pm: Reception Nativity
- Thurs 19th Dec 2.15pm: Christingle in St Paul's Church (Y6 parents welcome)
- Fri 20th Dec: break up for Christmas.

Have a good
weekend,
Mrs Gilchrist

