



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

Christian Value: Justice

British Value: Democracy

Living out the School Vision this Week: (Y3)

Curiosity: "I wanted to find out about how earthquakes affect the world," said Daniel.

Compassion: "I helped my teacher make some St Patrick's Day hats," reported Hazel.

Resilience: "I tried my best with fractions. They are tricky because $\frac{1}{2}$ is bigger $\frac{1}{5}$ even though the denominator is a smaller number," shared JJ.

Worship quote: "... the weightier matters of the law: justice and mercy and faithfulness," *Matthew 23:23*

Remember in our prayers: the families that Comic Relief supports and the charity workers and volunteers who are key to its success.

Comic Relief/ Red Nose Day

We have been holding this annual event fundraiser. We invited the children to come dressed in something red (if they wished). Cookies were served, at playtime, by the School Council. Donations can still be made, via the Just Giving page: [Red Nose Day](#)

Book Fair

This has now been delivered to school and books have been available for purchase on Thursday & Friday and it will also be open on Monday & Tuesday, next week. This is taking place in the school hall. World Book Day tokens will be accepted and school will receive a percentage of all sales. Please note that it is a cashless system via a QR code. For any parents who cannot attend the book fair in-person, children will also be completing a 'wish list'. You will be able to pay on-line and then the books will be provided by school. (Please see separate email, sent on Thursday.)

Many thanks to parents who are helping to operate the Book Fair, after school.

PTA Mothers' Day sales

These sales will be taking place on 26th and 27th March. Please find further information on last week's poster.

Parking

The landlords at The Old Bull's Head have kindly agreed to parents parking there for drop-off and collection, while works at the park are on-going.

Please be considerate to our neighbours on Rawlins Close/ Meadow Rd by parking in other locations at main drop-off and pick-up times.

Additional clubs

Cooking (Y5), craft (R, Y1 and Y2) and Lego (Y3-6) clubs are running again until the first week after the Easter holiday. We are looking into a KS2 Art and Spanish, for future clubs.

Job Vacancy

Relish, our new catering provider, has a vacancy for a lunchtime kitchen assistant (10 hours). Please speak to school office, if you are interested.

Community Events

There is a Quiz night at the Village Hall, on 29th March for the Scouts. All are welcome and tickets may be purchased from the pharmacy.

Diary Events including Leavers

Please see below for summer events and Leavers' events that have been added. Please note that sports days may have to change in light of inclement weather. Wherever possible, a new date will be provided on a Monday or Friday, as more parents have flexibility on these days. The SATs meeting for Y6 parents is next Wednesday.

School Diary

- Wed 26th Mar 3.30pm: Y6 SATs meeting (Y6 classroom)
- Fri 28th Mar 2.40pm: Golden Worship R, Y1 & Y2
- Fri 4th April 2.40pm: Golden Worship Y3-6
- Thurs 10th Apr 2.15pm: Easter Service (Y4 parents welcome)
- Fri 2nd May: PTA spring disco
- W/B 12th May: Y6 SATs week
- Mon 14th- Fri 25th April: Easter holidays
- Mon 26th-Fri 30th May: half-term holiday
- Fri 6th Jun 1.15pm: Sports Day Y3-6
- Fri 13th Jun 1.15pm: Sports Day R, Y1 & Y2
- Mon 16th Jun: St Paul's Cathedral trip (Y5/6)
- Wed 2nd Jul 6pm: Leavers' Concert (Y5/6)
- Wed 9th Jul 2.15pm: Leavers' Service (Y6) St Paul's Church
- Thurs 10th July: break up for summer holidays
- Tues 26th Aug: new academic year starts.

Have a good
weekend,
Mrs Gilchrist

