



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

Christian Value: Friendship

British Value: School Qualities (Curiosity, Compassion, Resilience)

Living out the School Vision (Y3)

Curiosity: "I liked finding out about line techniques in Art," said William.

Compassion: "When my sister fell over, I helped her," shared Willow.

Resilience: "Writing has been tricky with a broken finger, but I have tried my best," noted Shania.

Worship quote: "Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving." *Colossians 4:2*.

Remember in our prayers: Pope Leo, as he adjusts to his cancer diagnosis and begins treatment.

Harvest Service

Our school harvest festival was led by the Y3 children, this afternoon. Thank you to the children, who performed so confidently, and to Mr Harrison, for putting the service together.

Harvest gifts, for all the children at school, were gratefully received by St Paul's Church and will be taken to the John Storer House Food Bank, in Loughborough.

Parents Evenings

These were well-attended between 3.40- 6.30pm on Tuesday 13th October and Thursday 15th October. Thank you for all the support that you provide for your children's achievement and progress at school. We are very lucky, as teachers, to have such a broad base of parents who value and wish to enhance what we provide at school. We also acknowledge that it is not easy, as for our school, most families have both parents working in demanding roles. Thank you for all you do.

Children's Absence Notification

We apologise but since the phone lines were updated, we have had great difficulty accessing voice messages. If parents could email, that will help the office, as the glitches are sorted out over time.

School Social Media

As mentioned above, school will be using Facebook for its main social media platform, from now on. Please search for 'St Paul's Church of England Primary'.

Parents' School Lunches

This new initiative from the School Food Group, was a great success, on Wednesday. Parents from Y3 Beacon and Bradgate, enjoyed a gorgeous roast chicken dinner. On Wednesday 4th November, Y3 Charnwood and Jubilee parents are welcome to attend. Come to the school main entrance at 12 noon. (Please note slightly earlier time).

Y4 Beacon and Bradgate are invited on 2nd December. Please book on Arbor (2 parent/grandparent max.)

School Cook Position

As Mrs Goode, our school cook is moving to a new role, Relish are advertising for a new cook, from mid-November. Please see the advert:

<https://uk.indeed.com/viewjob?jk=c2a79cd3b1b5dba0&from=appshareandroid>

Parking in the Village

We have had a number of parents raising concerns about parking on the pavements, especially along Rawlins Close. Can we please remind all parents not to do this and to be considerate of pedestrians.

As well as the Village Hall Car Park, parents are welcome to park at The Pear Tree, The Curzon and The Old Bull's Head. We thank the management of these pubs for extending this offer to help ease congestion around school.

School Diary

- Fri 16th Oct: INSET Day (school closed to pupils)
- Mon 19th- Fri 23rd Oct: ½ term
- Fri 30th: PTA Autumn spooky disco (no Golden Worship)
- Fri 6th Nov 3.40pm: Golden Worship Y3-6
- Fri 13th Nov 3.40pm: Golden Worship R, Y1, Y2
- Fri 20th Nov 3.40pm: Golden Worship Y3-6
- Fri 27th Nov 3.40pm: Golden Worship R, Y1, Y2

Christmas Events

- Wed 9th Dec 2.15pm: Y1 & Y2 Christmas concert
- Fri 11th Dec 2.15pm: Robins' Nativity

Have a good
Half-term,
Mrs Gilchrist

