

**BEETLE DRIVE:** It's tonight! You can just turn up and pay on the door. It's a great evening with good food!

**COMIC RELIEF** – Thank you to everyone today for supporting Comic Relief – the cakes were all delicious! So far we've raised £108.65 but this doesn't include any money from cake sales at the end of the day.

**VALUES HOMEWORK –** Every class has had a values homework task to complete at home.

**SPORTS NEWS - Football:** On Monday after school the football team participated in the second of three tournaments. We performed well and even had two players achieve hat tricks! Well done to Charlie, Hassaan, Taylor, Dexter, Henry, Oscar and Joshua. Thank you to all the parents who transported and came to watch and support. **Orienteering:** Today 6 pupils from Y5&6 took part in an orienterring event at UCLAN sports arena in Fulwood. Well done to Isaac, Rosa, Mathew, Summer, Hemani and Christopher!

**PARENT PAY** – Please can Parent Pay accounts be checked as there is £2793.45 outstanding. School cannot manage outstanding bills of this amount and we kindly ask that all outstanding amounts are paid. Thank you.

**AFTER SCHOOL CLUB FORMS –** Forms for the summer term will be going out tonight. These must be filled in and returned to school otherwise the slightly higher ad hoc rate will be charged.

**MILK AND TOAST MONEY –** For parents wishing to pay for toast and milk for the summer term the cost will be £11.60. This will go live on Parent Pay on Monday.

**DATA COLLECTION SHEETS** – Please can you fill in and return the updated data collection sheets by Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> at the latest. It is very important that these are updated as they need to comply with the revised GDPR data regulations.

MOTHERING SUNDAY SCHOOL LUNCH - We would like to invite all ladies to this special lunch on the 28th March at 11.50am. The menu options are a roast beef dinner or cheese and potato pie. Please email Sandra with your menu option before the 22nd March. The cost is £5. LENT – As we go through Lent as a school we are going to be 'Counting Our Blessings'. This is part of the charity Christian Aid's Easter preparations. Every day in school we will be thinking about a different blessing we have as well as thinking about how we can be a blessing to others. The calendar can be downloaded from the Christian Aid website if you want to join in at home.

## Worship Theme: RESPECT & REVERENCE

## **DIARY DATES -**

15th March: There will be no pupil worship today due to the cake sale for Comic Relief

**27<sup>th</sup> March:** School Photo Day. 8.30am pre-schoolers and siblings photos.

**28<sup>th</sup> March:** A special **whole school** Mother's Day lunch 12pm. Booking forms will be out soon.

**29**th **March** – Whole school themed day based on each classes topic.

31st March: Church Family Worship – a special Mother's Day celebration service.

4th April: End of term worship and with end of term progress awards. In church at 9.10am.

**5<sup>th</sup> April:** Easter Bonnet Competition. Create an Easter bonnet and bring to school! Prizes to be won!

**5<sup>th</sup> April:** Break up for Easter.

23<sup>rd</sup> April (Tuesday): School opens.



## SAMLESBURY SUPERSTARS!

We'll have superstars as usual next week.

Superstars from last week will receive their certificates in Friday worship on the 22<sup>nd</sup> March



**HEADTEACHER AWARD:** 

Charlie (Y6)

**SCHOOL UNIFORM SUPPLIERS** - You may remember that before Christmas our school uniform suppliers had gone into administration and we were looking for a new supplier. However, the new owners of School Trends have made a positive start and have asked previous customers to stay with them which we are going to do. If you need uniform the process is exactly the same as before. The prices have reduced slightly and there is no longer a minimum of 6 items needed to be ordered so orders should be processed quickly.

## **PUPIL ACHIEVEMENTS:**



Last night Isabelle (Y3) performed at the Blackpool Winter Gardens as part of the supporting act for Brendan Cole's (from Strictly Come Dancing) Showman Tour.

Isabelle is a talented member of a drama club outside of school and had to audtion to be part of the show.

Well done Izzy!

Upcoming FOSS events and activities in school.

More details to follow.

