

Scotforth St Paul's CE Primary and Nursery School.



Newsletter—12th May 2023

Learning, growing and caring as part of God's family.

"I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit.

John 15:5

Our Christian value for this half term is Thankfulness

★ Time to Shine ★	
Name	Teacher's & Children's Comments
Tom Pattinson Y6	Tom always tries his best, is a good friend, kind & funny, a great footballer
Robin Charlton Green Y5	Robin is a maths whizz, chess champion of the world, helpful & thoughtful, a great school councillor
Tilly Murfitt Y4	Tilly is amazing, a good worship member, good at gymnastics, funny, a great friend
James Sowerby Y3	James is polite, kind & forgiving, hilarious, intelligent & responsible, participates in class
Lujain Abubaker Y2	Lujain is independent, always smiling, kind & sweet, good at computers & art, tries hard in maths
Isabella McKiernan Y1	Isabella always works hard, puts her hand up in class, is helpful & kind, a best friend
Emily Otu-Larbi YR	Emily always tries her best, is kind, funny, good at reading & making things

Future Dates—as much notice as possible (and we will try not to move them!)

- 26.05 School closes at 3.10pm for half term
- 05.06 INSET Day for report writing
- 06.06 School re-opens at 8.45am
- 07.06 New Reception & Nursery parents meeting 6.00pm
- 20.06 Sports' Day KS1—morning
- 21.06 Sports' Day KS2—morning
- 27.06 Moving up morning
- 12.07 Y6 Play/Performance
1 afternoon / 1 evening—times to be confirmed
- 19.07 Parents' Evening—meet the new class teacher
- 20.07 Y6 Leavers Service with awards for children across school in church at 1.45pm
- 21.07 Break up for Summer 3.10pm (NORMAL TIME)

Further details for each event will be sent as needed nearer the time.

Building Work

Work to the front of school will be ongoing over the holidays and we hope to be able to use the new office area and front of school after half term. We will let you know the arrangements for dropping off/collecting points before we break up.

Worship in School

On Wednesday, representatives from each class made up and said a thank you prayer. They had some lovely ideas. We also prayed for Greyson, one of our year 6s, who is at home following an operation.

On Thursday, Rev Rebecca showed us how we should show our gratitude to others and challenged us all to be thoughtful for things we don't always feel grateful for.

Celebrating Life in School

Well done to our athletics team who, through team work and resilience, won the Indoor Athletics Championships last week at Lancaster & Morecambe College — it's a fantastic achievement! Thank you to all the parents who transported the children, without whose help we wouldn't have been able to compete.

Science has been the theme in school this week with Y5 testing different materials to find out which is the best at keeping noise from their ears. Y1's plants have started to grow. The children are super excited at being able to take them home soon and carry on looking after them.

For more information and pictures of life in school, please visit:

[Scotforth St Paul's C of E Primary & Nursery School](http://scotforth-st-pauls.lancs.sch.uk)
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SATs

We are all very proud of the Y6s. They have tried their very best this week which is all we can expect from them. All the tension was released this afternoon with an 'End of SATs Party'.

Coronation Disco

This is taking place next Friday, 19th May and not tonight. Entry is £3 per child which can be brought to school or you can pay on the door.

KS1 & Nursery 6—6-45pm
KS2 7-8pm

Uniform Reminder

We understand that it is getting towards the end of half term and some children will be growing out of their school trainers. However, please ensure that the children are wearing black trainers for school. Also, please ensure all items of uniform are clearly named. Many thanks.

Online Safety

Continuing our online safety feature, please take a look at the attached leaflet which gives tips on how to help children deal with upsetting content online.