



MISSION STATEMENT

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

*"I am the vine, and you are the branches. If any remain
in me and I remain in them, they produce much
fruit." (John 15:5)*

Open Evening

We are holding our Open Evening for prospective parents to have a look around school for the September 2022 Reception intake on **Tuesday, 19th October**. School will be open from 6.30—7.30pm for parents to have a look around school and have a chance to meet the Senior Leadership Team, staff, governors and children. There is no need to book and prospective reception children are very welcome.

Welfare Vacancy

We currently have a vacancy for a lunchtime welfare assistant 12noon until 1.15pm term-time only. Application forms are available from the school office. The closing date is Wednesday, 20th October at 12 noon.

Half-Term Holiday

Just a reminder that school closes at 3.10pm on Wednesday, 20th October for the half-term break and re-opens at 8.45am on Tuesday, 2nd November. Thursday and Friday are inset days and Monday is a Bank Holiday in lieu of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee next year.

Boxes of Hope

There is still time to fill a shoebox to bring a smile to a child who has very little. Please bring them to school by Wednesday at the latest. Information leaflets are available from the school office. Many thanks for your generosity.

Data Collection Forms

Information forms were sent out to **ALL** parents at the beginning of term, unfortunately some still need to be completed and returned. If your child is going on a visit out of school, we must have a completed medical form, otherwise your child will **NOT** be able to go on the visit.

Lost Property

Yet another reminder that parents need to name their child's belongings if they wish them to be returned. Our uniform rail resembles a shop at the moment with un-named items of clothing—it is going to be very difficult to prove which jumper/cardigan belongs to your child! To avoid loss—**NAME YOUR CHILD'S BELONGINGS WITH SOMETHING PERMANENT.**

Mobile Library

Lancashire County Council provide a Mobile Library service which parks in Booth's Car Park (Scotforth) from 9.30-10.30 am. It will be there on Friday, 22nd October (and then every 3rd week). As it is half-term and the children are off, this is a really good opportunity to go along and choose books together and, by doing so, will ensure the service is continued.

★ Scotforth Superstars ★

Name	Nominated by	Nominated for
Surya Wang Oliver Maudsley	Mrs Mayor	Excellent ball skills and tactics in P.E.
Joe Kornas	Mrs Browne & Mrs Whiteside	Super sounding out to spell words
Rosie Winder	Mrs Browne & Mrs Whiteside	Fantastic effort learning her letter sounds
Harrison Fagan Ewan Cooper	Mrs Browne & Mrs Whiteside	Great work at spotting an error in a maths' pattern
George Edmondson	Mrs Boyle	Enthusiastic contributions in class
James Betts	Mrs Cross	Being kind
Amelia Long Thomas Lancaster	Ms Robison	Making everyone smile
Henry Bowers Ruby Way Cateleya Aspinall	Mrs Dowson	Excellent drawn graphic novel pages
William Featon	Miss Parlane & Mrs Ventress	Fantastic attitude and making good choices
William Bush	Miss Parlane	Great enthusiasm in his role as Margi from our class book

Team Points

Back after a considerable absence, we can report that this weeks' winners are Lune (blue) - well done!

Olive Branch

Just a reminder that there is always a box in school reception where donations can be left for the Foodbank all year round. Many thanks.

Scotforth Outdoor Spaces

We are recruiting! Scotforth Outdoor Spaces (SOS) is a small team of parents who give a couple of hours a few times a term to help keep the school grounds looking tidy and bright. We are always looking for new ideas and new people to join the team. We are currently working once a fortnight, on a Friday afternoon or Saturday morning in school to tidy up the outdoor areas for winter.

If you would like to find out more or come and join us, just message Anna (Dawson) on 07946 854324 and she will be more than happy to discuss further. Many thanks.

Clubs/Activities

We have had a good response to our request for adults to help Y6 run the school library. Thank you to those who have volunteered.

We are still looking for any parents who are willing to help set up afterschool clubs or activities. Is there anyone who could perhaps help set up an art or sewing club for instance or any other club? It could be after school for about an hour once a week or at lunchtime. If you feel you could contribute to school life, please contact the school office. Many thanks.