



Newsletter No 18 Friday 21st January 2022

Parking

School has been approached yet again regarding the careless and dangerous way some parents are parking when dropping off and collecting their children from school. You **MUST NOT PARK** on any double yellow lines or the white zig-zag lines. They are there for a reason—the SAFETY of all pedestrians and road users.

Nursery Places

We currently have funded places for children whose parents claim 1 of many benefits and who will turn 3 between April and August. Please see the attached flyer for further information or please come and discuss with us if you are interested.

Y6 Activities

Sports Captains—by Sophie (Green Sports Captain)

As a Sports Captains we have organised an athletics club for KS1 on Wednesdays. We do a range of activities such as mini-hurdles and mini-speedbounce. We do a mini tournament on the 3rd week, the other 2 weeks being full of activities. We will pick the children's favourite events to do for the tournament.

Friday Assembly

If your child has a musical achievement they would like to share with school, they can bring this for next Friday (28th) for the afternoon assembly. The following weeks are:

Friday 4th February - Uniform achievements such as Brownies or Cubs.

Friday 11th February - Any other achievements that haven't fallen into the other categories.

Karate Reading Challenge

The children have really embraced the challenge and we are very impressed with how many are on the blue band already! Please remember that children need to return their previous band in order to swap it for the next one when they have completed the required number of reads. If their band is lost, they should bring in 20p in order to replace it. Hopefully this will be an incentive to look after the bands and ensure we are being as eco-friendly as possible.

Online Safety

This week's online safety guide focusses on Alexa type devices. Please read the attached poster for further information.

Special School Meal

There will be a special school lunch on **Thursday, 3rd February** to celebrate 'East meets West'. Please see attached flyer. If your child would like to have the school lunch but wouldn't normally have a school meal on a Thursday, simply complete the attached form and return to school. The cost is £2.35 and can be paid either through your Scopay account or cash/cheque paid when the form is returned. Alternatively, if you cannot print off the form, simply send in a note.

Maths App

White Rose Maths have just released an app called 'One Minute Maths'. This is a fabulous fun tool for children to practice their subitising, addition and subtraction skills. Simply download the app onto a suitable device. Please encourage your child to start with the 'subitising' section as this develops their number sense which is an essential pre-requisite to calculations.

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)



Scotforth Superstars



Name	Nominated by	Nominated for
Amy Atkinson	Miss Parlane	Her hard work & generosity when creating a class picture
Jules Taylor	Miss Parlane	Excellent perseverance when solving tricky fraction problems
Alfie Ackerley	Miss Parlane	Being so positive - a ray of sunshine
Bradley Fossett-Key	Miss Parlane	Impeccable manners & being a role model all the time
Lily Ducklin Tharlia Barker-Smith	Mrs Dowson	Excellent group work when making bread
Isabella Rose Parker	Mrs Dowson	Great short division work
Elijah Long	Ms Robison	Being kind and helpful at lunchtimes
Elijah Grimwood	Miss Robison	Being a little ray of sunshine everyday
Nahla Keith Ewan Cooper Tala Dawson Eliza Thomson-Waller	Mrs Browne & Mrs Whiteside	Brilliant independent writing
Hannah Norcross Stanley Makinson	Mrs Browne & Mrs Whiteside	Super ideas during materials investigation
Teddy Wood	Mrs Mayor	Trying hard to improve his handwriting
Isabelle Percival Emily Waine	Mrs Mayor	A great newspaper report
James Sowerby	Mrs Cross	Fantastic sentences about Bob!!
Buddy Wood Jacob Mooney	Mrs Cross	Fabulous work on addition
Louis Iacob Rio Barker Smith	Mrs Boyle	Excellent comparison with addition and subtraction facts
Jack Priddey	Mr Manning	Super work locating capital cities using an atlas
William Blackwell	Mr Manning	Great reading with expression

Team Points

Team points this week go to Castle. Well done!

