

Scotforth St Paul's CE Primary and Nursery School.



Newsletter— 22nd September 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 LOVE

Time to Shine	
Name	Teacher's & Children's Comments
Isabelle Percival Y6	Isabelle is a perfect role model, she loves dancing & is an excellent swimmer
Finn Brown Y5	Finn is polite, joyful & kind, he tries hard & expresses his thoughts in lessons
Teddy Ducklin Y4	Teddy is a really good friend, he is funny & kind & a good goalkeeper
Gian Marco Lulli Y3	Gian Marco is a good best friend, kind & funny & is the best goal keeper
Isabella McKiernan Y2	Isabella is resilient, independent & respectful, she works hard & helps others
Mmedara Harrison Y1	Mmedara is respectful, helps others, is a fast runner, a good reader

Parents' Consultation Evening
Children have been given a letter /return slip today. Please ensure you return the form by Monday, 2nd October at the latest to THE CLASS TEACHER . A copy has also been attached to the newsletter.

Absence
If your child is going to be absent, please contact the school office by 9.30am rather than emailing the class teacher. The office is open 8.00am to 4.30pm Monday to Thursday and 8.30am to 4.00pm on Fridays. Messages can also be sent via email— admin2@scotforth-st-pauls.lancs.sch.uk or left on the office telephone.

Celebrating Life in School
Y1 are learning about the senses of seeing and hearing. They have been on a 'listening walk' and drawing self-portraits.
Y6 took advantage of the breaks in the rain to do outdoor maths.
Take a look at the rest of the activities that have taken place this week on the blog on our school website Scotforth St Paul's C of E Primary & Nursery School (scotforth-st-pauls.lancs.sch.uk)

Worship in School
On Monday, Mrs Atkinson led worship. She talked about things that some people find tricky to do, but how we should include everyone. This links to our value of loving others.
On Thursday Rev Rebecca continued the theme of love talking about how much God loves us, even more than to the moon and back, reading extracts from 'I Love You to the Moon and Back'.

Next Week's Dates	
Mon 25th	Harvest Festival in Church 2.30pm
Sept	Y1-Y6

Future Dates (all children)		
5 Oct	Lunch time	Autumn Lunch
11 Oct	9.15am	Flu spray YN-Y6
11 Oct	1.15-6.30pm	Parents' Evening (no children)
17 Oct	8.30am	Individual & sibling school photographs
18 Oct	after-noon	Well -Being Wednesday
20 Oct	3.10pm	School closes for half term
31 Oct	8.45am	School re-opens

Rosie the Reading Dog
Rosie was in school for the first time this year today—she was glad to be back. For those of you who don't know, Rosie listens to children read right across school. Children's confidence grows by reading without correction or adult interference. Adults do also listen to children to help with their accuracy – we don't leave it all to Rosie!
If you do not want your child to read to Rosie, please let us know. We are always mindful that some children do not like dogs or are allergic and no-one is forced to read to her at any point.

Vacancy

Do you have a few hours a week to spare? LCC is looking for a Crossing Patrol for our school.

£10.90 per hour, 7.5 hours per week term time only.

If you are interested, please contact Susan Halpin at LCC tel 07831 309 516.

School would very much appreciate the return of the Lollipop Person!

Hello Autumn School Lunch

There will be a special school lunch on Thursday, 5th October to celebrate the start of autumn. If your child does not normally have a school dinner on a Thursday and would like to, please complete the attached order form and return it to school by 29th September. The cost is £2.50. (Please note: jacket potato will also be an option.)

Reception Class Photo

If you would like to order a class photograph through school, please ensure your order is returned to school by Wednesday, 27th September.

Well-Being Wednesday

Please let school know if you can help on Wednesday, 18th October in the afternoon. This can be to lead an activity or to help others who are leading. The more people who can help, the better the benefit for the children.

Primary/Secondary Admission 2024

Details are on the second email regarding closing dates and how to apply for Primary and Secondary places for September 2024.