

Newsletter No 9 Friday 5th November 2021

Lockerbie 2022

Don't forget the deadline for £50 deposit is next **Friday, 12th November.** If anyone is having difficulties with the cost, please come and talk to us as soon as possible.

Y5 Swimming

Next Thursday (11th) Y5 need to bring long legged/long sleeved PJs (or similar) as well as normal swimming kit.

British Legion Poppy Appeal

Y6 children are selling poppies and other related items at the school gate each morning until Thursday. Prices range from 50p to £1.50.

Uniform

We have numerous un-named/unreadable items of clothing (mainly jumpers and cardigans) hanging up in lost property and they all look alike! Good luck in trying to identify anything that belongs to your child. If you want to ensure lost items are returned **YOU MUST NAME THEM.** If items cannot be returned they may eventually be sold to other parents for a donation to school funds.

As the weather is turning colder, please ensure your child has a suitable coat, children play out in all weathers.

It has also been noted that some children have been wearing earrings in school. These are not allowed and if any child is seen wearing them, they will be asked to be removed and handed back at the end of the day.

Upcoming Events

<u>Children in Need</u>: Friday 19th November. Children can come in non-uniform in return for any donation amount.

KS1 Christmas Performance: Nursery to Y2 will be performing 'A Magical Christmas Journey' on Tuesday 14th December at 9.30 am and Wednesday 15th December at 6.30pm. This year there will only be 2 tickets per family—further details regarding allocation will follow in the next few weeks.

This year we are hoping to raffle hampers again to raise funds for school and the following non-uniform days have been arranged for donations of the following items:

Friday 26th November: unwanted gifts suitable for adults

Friday 3rd December: chocolate
Friday 10th December: alcohol

Hopefully we will have sufficient donations for the children to purchase 'Surprise Presents' for their parents/grandparents. Again, further details will follow in the coming weeks.

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 |
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| Marcus Hammond | Miss Arnold | Always being enthusiastic in lessons |
| Lydia Johnstone Chloe Cooper | Miss Arnold | Good team work in computing |
| Jacob Mooney Sofia Parr Daniel Stoyanov | Miss Arnold | Brilliant contributions in class discussions about Bonfire Night |
| Hannah Lam Oscar Charlton Green Sophie Dalgleish | Miss Parlane | Great attitude to learning since coming back and excellent team work |
| Reuben Mason Anya Kornas Lucy Rowbotham Anshi Asin Cateleya Aspinall Isaac Weston | Mrs Dowson | Excellently planned and made musical instruments |
| George Withers Harrison Fagan Robert Park | Mrs Browne & Mrs Whiteside | Excellent sounding out and blending in phonics |
| Finn Brown Ayesha Islam Tilly Murfitt | Mr Manning | Super work in using an atlas to find mountain ranges |

Team Points

This week's winners are Lune Well done!

Dinner Money

Please ensure your child's dinner money balance is up to date. All meals should be paid for in advance. £2.35 daily, £11.75 weekly and £79.90 for the half-term.

St John's Hospice Art Competition

A reminder if any children are taking part in the competition based on 'A Happy Memory' to bring it into school as soon as possible. Many thanks.

Please see page 2 for further news!

Scholastic Books

Mrs Walker has once again very kindly arranged for parents to order books from Scholastic Books. Please see below for how to order.

I have set up a Scholastic Book Club order.

If you use the link below to browse the latest books and order online.

https://schools.scholastic.co.uk/scotforth-st-pauls-cep/digital-book-club

(The hyperlink can also be found on the schools FOSSY Facebook page)

For every £1 you spend our school will earn 20p in Scholastic Rewards which allows us to buy books for the school.

Please place your order online by <u>4th December</u> 2021 as this will allow time for the books to arrive at school and be distributed to the children.

If the books you would like to buy are Christmas presents for your child just send me a message on Facebook and we can work something out.

Best wishes Aimee Walker