



Scotforth St Paul's C of E Primary & Nursery School

"Let faith be your shield"

Newsletter Friday 20th July 2018

Headteacher

Many thanks to everyone who came in to school on a voluntary basis to help in class and to all the parent volunteers who help listen to children read. Your help and support is greatly appreciated. Thank you. If any other parents/grandparents/students would like to volunteer in school next year, please do come in to speak with Mrs Atkinson at the beginning of next term.

Thank you very much.

All the staff would like to pass on their thanks for the many kind gifts and cards you have sent in at the end of year.

Farewell Y6

We say goodbye to our Year 6 children who are moving on to pastures new. We wish them all well for the future and shall miss them a lot. We must also say "Well done" to them for all the hard work they have put in this year to achieve such pleasing SATs results. We are very proud of you all and you should be very proud of yourselves!

Farewell Rev Michael

At the end of term we wish farewell to Rev Michael who is moving to pastures new as Canon at Ripon Cathedral. He has been a great asset to the school over the last 7 years, coming into school regularly for assemblies, lessons and as Vice-Chairman of our Governors. May we take this opportunity to thank him for all his help and wish him all the best for the future.

Happy Retirement

A big thank you to Linda Lollipop for all her years of service to the school (30) in keeping our children safe. We wish her a very happy retirement.

Fossy Thank You

Members of Fossy have recently organised some fantastic events, raising money for school fund. We would like to say a big thank you to all involved in organising and helping run the events and a special thank you from all the Y6 children and parents for arranging pizza in the park! Many thanks also from Year 6 for organising a fantastic night bowling.

Fossy Shopping Trip Saturday 10th November
Liverpool One

09.30am– 6 pm £10 per person

Book Now !

MISSION STATEMENT

We seek to follow the example and teaching of Jesus by:

- ensuring every member of the school is valued and cared for as a member of God's family;
- providing the best education possible so that all pupils are enabled to reach their full potential in every aspect of life.



Scotforth Award Winners



Summer 2018

School Award for Progress in Writing	
KS1	Bradley Fossett-Key
KS2	Jessica Hill
Miss Wallis Award in Numeracy	
KS1	Holly Walker
KS2	Bailee Treasure
Miss Wallis Award for progress Reading	
KS1	Edward Hammond
KS2	Ben Smith
Cannon Frost Award for Creative Arts	
KS1	Lloyd Elliott
KS2	Theo Stephens
Stackhouse Shield for Excellence	
KS1	Nasia Shitseswa
KS2	Oliver Ball
Mrs Cornthwaite Shining Star Award	
KS1	Demi Crane
KS2	Daniel Pattinson
Headteacher's Award for Perseverance/Embodying School's Ethos	
	Catherine Price
	Leila Greenwood
Pearson Cup for Contribution to School Life	Amy Bain
Scotforth St Paul's Values Award	Mal Powers
	Isaac Quayle
Scotforth Shield for Progress	Gracie Redmayne
	Isabel Pattinson
Girls Sport Award	Amy Read
Boys Sport Award	Charlie Jackson
Friendship Award	Kiana Tucker
	Toby Adams
Chair of Governors Award for Outstanding Attainment	Eliza Mynott

Class Teachers Next Term

Nursery	Mrs R Atkinson
Reception	Miss J Armer
Year 1	Mrs A Boyle/Mr D Manning
Year 2	Mrs P Browne
Year 3	Mrs L Cross
Year 4	Mrs S Belshire/Mrs T Mayor
Year 5	Mrs S Dowson/Mr D Manning
Year 6	Mrs J Redmayne/Miss S Huddleston

End of Year Reports

Thank you very much for all the returned report acknowledgement slips. We really appreciate the many lovely comments! If you have yet to return yours it is not too late.

Music Lessons

If your child would like to start playing an instrument next term with Lancashire Music Service, you can apply online at www.lmsenrol.co.uk.

Guitar, woodwind, cello, double bass, viola, recorder, keyboard and piano are all currently available

Earrings

Please note that if you anticipate your child having their ears pierced, please do so as soon as possible in order to give them a chance to heal before school starts in September, otherwise they will be asked to remove them in school as jewellery is not permitted.

Diary Dates

Inset day: Monday 3rd September
Re-open: Tuesday 4th September 8.55am



Have a lovely summer!

Lost Property

Today is your last chance to claim any lost property. Any unclaimed items will be disposed of over the summer holidays.

School Dinners

The cost of a school meal is going up in September to **£2.30** making weekly costs £11.50. Dinner money for next term will be £78.20.

Year 2— please be aware that as the children move into Year 3 they will no longer be eligible for a free school meal.

All school meals should be paid for in advance either on the day, weekly or termly. Payments can be made by cash or cheque payable to Scotforth School Fund or via Scopay. Thank you.

Uniform

Please see the attached information regarding our uniform policy taken from the School Prospectus. School accepts that towards the end of term shoes, trousers, skirts etc. are getting a 'bit small' and you do not want to splash out on new uniform. However, at the start of next term school does expect every child to attend wearing the correct uniform. We appreciate that for some families this is a big outlay and therefore shirts and sweaters do not have to have the school logo, but be the correct colours and most of the supermarkets are doing fantastic deals on school uniform. Skirts and dresses should be of a reasonable length (it has been noted that some of the older children's skirt levels have become rather high). Many thanks.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Please see attached posters for various activities around the area.

Clothing - School uniform

The school uniform is smart, simple, readily available and reasonable in price. We hope it will instil in our children a pride in themselves and in their school. All Scotforth St Paul's children wear school uniform. The basic colour is bottle green sweatshirt/cardigan, white or green polo shirt, with grey or black skirt/trousers. Shoes are to be black or brown and of sensible style. Boots and trainers are not permitted, and neither are extreme haircuts/hairstyles or hair colours. Summer uniform may be worn after the Easter holidays unless otherwise announced but it is optional. Summer uniform is green and white check dress or grey tailored school shorts. Sandals must be black, brown or navy and of sensible style e.g. not flimsy, high, strappy or jelly style.

Sweatshirts, polo shirts and (optional) reversible fleece/waterproof coats with the school name and badge can be obtained from our supplier Uniform and Leisurewear, 57 King Street, Lancaster (opposite M & S) telephone number 01524 388355 or visit the website <http://www.ualonline.com/>. Alternatively many local shops/ supermarkets sell the basic uniform.

Please ensure all items of clothing are clearly marked with the child's name, in order that mislaid items may be identified and returned.

For safety reasons, children are not allowed to wear any jewellery in school. Rings, earrings, bracelets and necklaces are all forbidden. (If a child is to have pierced ears, please do this at the start of the Summer holidays so that earrings may be removed prior to the start of term.) Any child wearing earrings will not be able to take part in PE/games or swimming. This is for safety reasons. Sensible watches are permitted.



Friends of Scotforth St Paul's C of E Primary and Nursery School

The new committee came together in May 2018, and what a fantastic term we have had! We would like to whole heartedly thank everyone for being so supportive . We have received so much positive feedback, it really does make it all worthwhile. We are looking forward to a fantastic year in 2018/19, and have so many exciting plans to both raise money and to enrich the children's school experience.

EVENTS HELD THIS YEAR!

**We have raised an amazing £4000
this term over a number of events**

including:

Non uniform day for the Royal wedding!
Rocket ice lolly sales !
School uniform sale!
The fabulous Greatest Showman night !
The end of term disco!
And finally the Grand Summer fair and raffle !!!!!!!!!!!

FACEBOOK

Please follow us on Facebook at 'Friends of Scotforth St Paul's School and Nursery'. We provide lots of updates so you can stay in touch!

FOSSY PURCHASES

Did you know FOSSY contributed £100 to the year 6 leavers party? They had a great time bowling in Morecambe!

They also received a leavers treat of Dominos pizza!

FOSSY also purchased the water and ice pops for Sports Day!

We are currently working with school on some exciting larger purchases for the new academic year—we will keep you all posted! We are also looking at improving our gardening area. Ideas however are always welcome!

UPCOMING EVENTS!

The next term is booking up fast already!

Thursday 27th September 7pm —'New Term New Plans!' - informal meeting for all those interested in FOSSY, accompanied by thank you drinks and BBQ. Free for all parents to attend but please RSVP for catering.

Saturday 20th October 7pm— Family fun quiz night like no other at the parish hall! Loads of family trivia and surprise rounds for all the family. Order forms and more details next term!

Wednesday 14th November—Shop2Drop discount fashion show evening at school, with great names like River Island, Next, Oasis and Zara. Details to follow next term.

There will also be a class bake off, school tea towels and lots of opportunities for the children to get festive! We are also hopefully organising a Christmas shopping trip!

Any queries just catch us in the yard, or message us through Facebook or the school office!

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8th Sept

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Parent & Child Summer Holiday Workshops



Come and visit Animal Care for a fun and informative workshop that includes:

- A short presentation based around what we do, with a particular focus on animal welfare
 - A tour of the site to see all our animals
- Fun, creative activities, complemented by a drink of your choice and homemade cake.

* (all sessions 10-12.30 on THURSDAYS)*

August 2nd, August 9th, August 23rd, August 30th

ADULTS £2 CHILDREN £3

For more information and to book a place on one of our workshops please contact:

Telephone: 01524 65495

Email: michaelanimalcare@gmail.com

(*Please note places are limited for each of our sessions, but we will do our utmost to place you on a session that suits you.)

Registered Charity Number: 508819



Dear Parents,

As the summer holidays quickly approach us, we at 75 Church Street would like to invite you and your family to join us every weekday for a free lunch and activity session throughout the holidays. We call this Apoth-a-kids.

Apoth-a-kids is a family-focused free food initiative which aims to provide a helping hand during the summer holidays. Last year the programme ran from Apothecary Bar & Lounge. This year we have a new home at 75 Church Street, but it is still run and supported by the same people.

During the 2017 summer holidays we welcomed over 200 children and parents into the programme. Not only did everyone benefit from the free food, we had lots of fun taking part in a wide range of activities and made many new friends. Since the majority of the food provided is also intercepted food, and would otherwise have needlessly been thrown away, we also saved tonnes of food from going to waste.

This year we hope to expand our programme and feed many more families in the Lancaster and Morecambe area. For the first time we will also run Apoth-a-kids in Preston! Board game cafe Dice & Donuts, on Butler Street, will adopt the Apoth-a-kids model to feed and entertain children and families throughout the summer holidays.

Apoth-a-kids will run every Monday - Friday between the hours of 12pm - 2pm.

Our aim is to provide a free lunch for children and parents alike, consisting of a choice of soup, sandwiches and at least one hot dish, fruit, yoghurts and treats, plus a timetable of fun activities (see attached.)

You do not need to come for the whole session, just stay as long as you want. There is also no need to book but please spread the word. Children must be accompanied at all times.

For more information please contact Tash@75churchstreet.co.uk, visit www.apoth-a-kids.co.uk, find us on Facebook or call 01524 542670.



75 Church Street is a craft beer and gourmet burger bar located on the corner of Church Street and China Street. We are pleased to be able to provide the Apoth-a-kids programme a home and support local families.



Timetable of activities

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
W/C 23rd July	Music with Boogie Bill	Card games - Pokemon MtG Go fish etc.....	Board games - Ice cool challenge	Arts & crafts - mask making	Teddy bears picnic - bring your favourite teddy
W/C 30th July	YouTube Challenge day	Card games - Pokemon MtG Go fish etc.....	Board games - Dobble challenge	Arts & crafts - hero's, heroines & villans	Face painting
W/C 6th August	Kids quiz time	Card games - Pokemon MtG Go fish etc.....	Board games - Hey that's my fish challenge	Arts & crafts - paper air planes	Story time - write your own or read from your favourite book
W/C 13th August	Dungeons & Dragons intro day - learn to play*	Card games - Pokemon MtG Go fish etc.....	Board games - ghost blast challenge	Arts & crafts - pebble decorating	Movie day
W/C 20th August	Dr Who day - watch episodes, mini quiz, dress up	Card games - Pokemon MtG Go fish etc.....	Board games - Rhino Hero challenge	Arts & crafts - finger puppets	YouTube challenge day - take 2
W/C 27th August	Video Gaming	Card games - Pokemon MtG Go fish etc.....	Board games - Cobra paw challenge	Arts & crafts - decorate a cupcake	Back to school party

Other activities will also be available such as colouring, comic book making, lego and more.

* Booking is essential as places are limited to 6 players per hour. Suitable for ages 7+

For more information please contact tash@75churchstreet.co.uk, visit www.apoth-a-kids.co.uk, find us on facebook or call 01524 542670

During Apoth-a-kids a free meal is made available for everyone and we try to cater for all dietary requirements. Please contact us if you have any specific requirements and we will do our best to help. Paid for meal's and drinks are also available from the bar. Donations to the programme are welcomed but not expected.