Newsletter Friday 29th June 2018

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 Superstars 💓



Name	Nominated by	Nominated for
Idris Evans Alex Wilkinson	Mrs Aylott	Being eagle-eyed and finding the Tanzanite stone that had fallen out of her ring
Jacob Quayle Curtis Cragg	Mrs Mayor	Excellent effort when converting amounts in maths
Meme Ogwo	Mrs Mayor	Super effort and understanding of SPAG
Gracie Hoogstins	Miss Armer	Great fact writing about hot and cold places
Toby Scamman	Mrs Cross	His outstanding knowledge of Greek myths
Ava McCrink	Mrs Cross	Really impressing Mrs Cross with her fabulous reading
Chloe Gardner Ben Jones	Mr Manning	Excellent inference skills when deducing character's motivations
Alex Wilkinson	Mr Manning	Fantastic support helping Mr Manning set up IT equipment

Kitchen Trophy Winner

"For Good Manners at Lunchtime" Congratulations to Felicity Taylor. Well done

Awards will be presented during our celebration assembly on Friday, 6th July at 2.45pm

All welcome.

Celebration Topics for this term:

6th July -Class 20th July - Church

13th July -Sports/Arts

All welcome!

Year 6 presents—The Tempest

This will be taking place on the following dates: Wednesday 11th July 1.30pm (with all KS2 children watchinglimited availability of tickets) and 7pm Thursday 12th July 7pm

All welcome, the number of tickets per family is unlimited and will be available from the school office. Please come and support our Y6s in their final production at Scotforth. You don't have to have a child in Y6 to come and enjoy the show. Thank you.

URGENT REQUEST- we need pieces of blue, green, white and silver fabric to make costumes for the play. If you have any, please send it in as soon as possible. Many thanks.

Swimming Gala

A huge congratulations to the Year 5 and 6 swimming team who won the Lancaster Schools Gala last night (Thursday 28th). You all swam brilliantly and represented the school really well. Mrs Redmayne, Mr Manning and Miss Huddleston.

KS2 Sports Day

In view of the current heatwave and predicted hot weather on Wednesday, we have had to make a few adjustments to the event. To avoid the heat of the day and end as early as possible, we are aiming to start promptly on the field at 9.10am. Children should come to school in their P.E. kits (with appropriate coloured t-shirt) with sun cream already applied and also a hat. Water will be provided by school. Children should bring their school uniform to change into afterwards. We will be leaving school at 9.00am, any late-comers will have to be brought to the field by their parents.

If anyone has a gazebo or similar item that could be used for shade, and which they are willing for us to use, please bring it in to school on Tuesday (or take directly to the field on Wednesday morning from 8.15am). Please let us know if you are able to help. Many thanks.

Year 4 French Day Tuesday 3rd July

Children can dress up in red, white and blue or as a famous French character. Please bring in some French food to taste.

School Trophies

If your child was presented with a trophy at the end of last term (Easter), please could you return it to school as soon as possible, if you have not already done so. This is so they can be presented to the new winner at the end of term in Church. Unfortunately School is no longer able to engrave the names of the winners on the trophies, but you may do so if you wish to before handing them back. Many thanks.

School Dinners

Dinner statements are being sent out for the children who have a school dinner. The statement only takes into account dinners taken up until the day it has been printed. Please add any further dinners that they will have before the end of term and ensure that your account is up to date by the end of term.

The cost of a school meal is going up in September to £2.30 making weekly costs £11.50.

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. Thank you.

Nursery, Reception, Year 1 & Year 2

If you have not yet returned the slip and payment for the Lowther Castle Trip, please do so as soon as possible.

In order for the trip to go ahead we still need at least 5 more volunteers. If you would like to help please let Mrs Atkinson know as soon as possible. Many thanks.

Diary Dates

Sports Days:

KS2 Wednesday 4th July 9.10am

Summer Fair:

Friday 6th July 5-6.30 pm

Nursery, Reception.

Monday 9th July Lowther Castle Trip

Year 1 & Year 2

Year 6 Production— Wednesday 11th July 1.30 and 7.00 pm

The Tempest

Thursday 12th July 7.00 pm

Close for Summer:

Friday 20th July

Lost Property

Any un-named items of uniform or other clothing found in school will be put in the Lost Property box for a maximum of 2 weeks. Presently there are a number of un-named, unclaimed items and if not claimed, these will be put up for sale at the School Fair. If you think your child has lost clothing, please come and have a look as soon as possible. Thanks.

To ensure clothing is re-united with its owner-PLEASE NAME IT!

Summer Fair - Pre-Events

Raffle tickets are still available from the School Office there are some really good prizes on offer!

Non-uniform days in exchange for items for the fair are:

Bottles and cakes—Friday 6th July

Thank you for helping with this!

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Please see attached posters for various activities around the area.





Summer Holiday Playscheme

There will be a summer holiday playscheme running at Scotforth St Paul's School, Lancaster from 23rd July to the 17th August open 8.00am - 6.00pm, caring for children age 3 to 12yrs.

Themed activity days Include:

Mon 23rd- Space & Star Wars Day Tues 24th- Retile & Insect Day Wed 25th- A Day of Circus Skills Thu 26th- A Day at the Seaside Fri 27th- Forest Schools Day

Mon 30th– Fun at the Fair
Tues 31st– Technology & Games Day
Wed 1st—Amazon Rain Forest Day
Thu 2nd—Music Making & Caribbean Carnival
Fri 3rd—Splash & Water Fun Play Day

Mon 6th–Superhero, Avengers & Comic Art Tues 7th–Cooking & Baking Healthy Recipes Wed 8th—Street Dance coach Workshop Day Thu 9th-Dinosaur & Palaeontology Day Fri 10th-Mini Sports Game & Coaching Day

Mon 13th– Construction & Teambuilding
Tue 14th– Ocean Deep & Tropical Reef Day
Wed 15th– Trip to Blue Planet Aquarium
Thu 16th– Crazy Paints Day
Fri 17th– Mini Olympics & Ceremony Party

Download the full programme from our website £21.00 per day , £11.50 Half day, Nursery £3.50 per Hour (Banked 30 free hours can be used)

Bookings are now being taken for full and half day sessions. For further information on how to register and book visit the website www.scotforthafterschoolclub.co.uk





Is your child interested in playing netball?

Lancaster Community Sports Hub is a registered social enterprise delivering sports in the Lancaster area and working with over 20 primary schools.

In collaboration with England Netball we are currently scoping a new junior netball club, initially for 7-11 year olds.

If your child/the child you are responsible for would be interested in joining these sessions, please complete the online registration form, which can be found here:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/IStN7cE0oNy_J6br5bFCf7BBL-iVNp-IQBR85sJVFlBo/edit

The data collected will be used to inform decisions about whether a club is viable and what training days/times might suit people.

For more information, please email helloelancastercommunitysportshub.org.uk



Lancashire - Time to Participate!

We are forming a **new** independent parent carer forum for families of children and young people with disabilities and additional needs aged 0-25 across the whole of Lancashire.





Are you a parent carer of a child or young person aged 0-25 with additional needs or disabilities? Do you believe families' voices should be heard to ensure services in Lancashire meet the needs of our children and young people?

Then come along to one of our Launch events and meet other parents to discover how together we can help shape the future for our families.

North:

Sunday 24th June 2018, 1-3pm at Sainsbury's (Community Room) (FY1 3AJ)

South (inc West):

Thursday 28th June 2018, 11am-1pm at Chorley Football Club (PR7 3DU)

East:

Saturday 30th June, 10am - 12pm at Burnley Football Club (BB10 4BX)

Places must be booked and are limited, so please make sure you book early. www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/time-to-participate-17359414201

Or keep an eye on our Facebook page for upcoming webinars. 29.6.18 & 1.7.18 www.facebook.com/LancashireParentCarerForum





Stay safe in the sun

We all love a sunny day, but it's important to protect yourself and those in your care and be mindful of how long you've been outside. Cancer Research UK (CRUK) and Public Health England (PHE) are campaigning to raise awareness of skin cancer due to a high level of exposure to the sun by advising and supporting people in how to reduce their cancer risk.

You can protect your family, friends and those you care for from the dangers of sun exposure in the following ways:

- Too much ultraviolet (UV) radiation from the sun or sunbeds is the main cause of skin cancer and even in the UK, the sun can be strong enough to cause damage to your skin.
- Sunburn can easily catch you out, especially if you have fair skin, lots of moles/freckles, red/fair hair or light coloured eyes. So it's important we are protected when the sun is strong.

Sun safety tips:

Spend time in the shade when the sun is strongest. In the UK, this is between 11am and 3pm from March to October.

Make sure that you:

- never burn;
- wear a hat, t-shirt and sunglasses to cover up for protection;
- take extra care with children:
- use umbrellas, trees or canopies or just head indoors;
- use sunscreen with at least SPF15, put plenty on and remember to re-apply.

Try the shadow rule:

UV rays from the sun are strongest when your shadow is shorter than you, so that's when you're more likely to burn.

Please print and share this and the attached poster to enjoy the sun safely. For further information, please visit NHS Choices at https://www.nhs.uk/Search/?q=sun+safety

"YOUR SHADOW IS SHORTER THAN YOU THE SUN'S UV RAYS ARE STRONGEST WHEN...

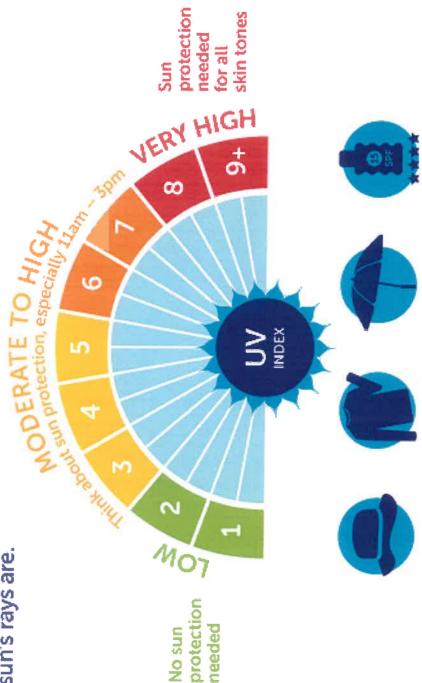
MIDDLE OF THE DAY 11AM - 3PM





DON'T LET SUNBURN CATCH YOU OUT

Check the UV index at www.metoffice.gov.uk/uv to see how strong the sun's rays are.



LET'S BEAT CANCER SOONER cruk.org

If it's 3 or higher, think about protecting your skin,

especially if you get sunburnt easily.

