



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

"Let faith be your shield"

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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.

Confirmation at St Paul's Church 2019:

We are having a Confirmation Service this year in May. If you are interested in attending the preparation sessions (available separately for children and adults) then please sign up on the list at the back of Church or Hala by 5pm on Monday 11th February or contact the parish office with name of candidate, address and telephone number (tel: 843135 or email: office@stpauls-scotforth.org) If you have any questions at all then please contact Jayne, Church Warden, via the Parish Office.

Swimming Year 3

Half of Year 3 will be going swimming after half-term. Your child has been given a letter and goggle form (to be returned as soon as possible) if they are in this group—please check bags.

Appointments

School understands that it is not always possible to obtain medical appointments outside of school hours, however it would be appreciated if parents could inform school at least 24 hours in advance of an appointment and provide evidence if possible, rather than just mentioning it on the day or just arriving at school reception to collect their child.

FOSSY—Fashion Night 7th March

For further details see poster attached to the newsletter and flyer sent home with your child today—please check bags!

Lost Property

There are a number of hats, gloves and the odd scarf in the lost property box at the moment—claim them or they will be disposed off!

Clubs

- Monday - Football Y3,4,5 & 6 3.15—4.15pm
- Tuesday - Athletics Y5/6 12.30-1pm
- Tuesday - Multi-skills 3.15-4.15pm Years 1 & 2
- Wednesday - Sportz4All
- Thursday - Karate 3.30-5.30pm
- Netball 3.15 - 4.15pm Years 5 & 6



Scotforth Superstars



Name	Nominated by	Nominated for
Isabella Hassan Kacey Mellor	Mrs Boyle	Excellent participation in lessons
Bella Sawyer	Mrs Atkinson	Kindness
Isaac Weston	Mrs Browne	Making good choices in the playground

Kitchen Trophy

"For good manners and helping at lunchtime."

Congratulations to Ben Weston Y4 and Isaac Weston Y2.

Well Done.

Awards will be presented during our celebration assembly on Friday, 15th February at 2.45 p.m. All welcome.

Celebration Topics for this term:

15th February	Uniform/Arts
1st March	Class
8th March	Sport
15th March	Class
22nd March	Uniform/Arts
29th March	Class
5th April	Sport

Half-Term

Don't forget—school finishes on Friday, 15th February for one week and will re-open on Monday, 25th at 8.55am.

Half Term Play in a Week Spring 2019

We're now accepting applications for our spring 2019 Play in a Week programme, that will take place from Monday 18th February – Friday 22nd February in our Creative Learning Centre.

This spring's play in a week programme will look at fairy tales and will be directed by multi-disciplined artist Tom Byrne.

Thomas is an actor, musician, and puppeteer based in Manchester. Since graduating from Salford University in 2014 he has worked for companies throughout the UK including Whalley Range All Stars, Horse and Bamboo, Z-arts, Burnley Youth Theatre, and Handmade Theatre. He is also one of the Co-Directors of Scallywags Theatre Company CIC and has a real passion for creating exciting and engaging work for family audiences. Thomas loves the challenge of finding inventive ways of engaging and educating young people through the arts and is delighted to be leading The Dukes Play in a Week sessions over the February half-term.

The Dukes Play in a week programme is for ages 6 – 10 and is priced at £100 per child for the week.

If you'd like to sign your child up please contact applications@dukes-lancaster.org

If you have any questions regarding the programme please don't hesitate to contact.

Kindest Regards, Danny

Friends of Dorrington Wood—Competition

Hello,

Thanks to all who came to the family bird day on Sunday. We really enjoyed the bird trail and watching the kids painting the bird boxes. Who knew we had such artistic local residents?

We'll put the boxes up in the woods soon, noting whose box goes where so that you can come back to the woods in the spring and look for your box to spot who's nesting in it!

Why not use your creative skills and join our **poster / story competition?**

The theme is "Woods for wildlife". Posters or stories should illustrate what the entrants like about the birds or wildlife in Dorrington Woods. They can also describe what entrants did on Family Bird Day. Anyone aged under 16 can enter.

How to enter:

- Design a poster or write a story (up to 150 words) about the bird day or wildlife in the woods
- Put your name, age and street on it (not the house number - just the street)
- Take a nice clear photo of your poster or story

Send to FODWPP@gmail.com

The deadline is Thursday February 14th (St Valentine's day).

Winners will be announced by February 28th and a wildlife-related prize will be awarded to the best poster / story.

Good luck!

Calling All Girl Musicians

Jazz Camp for Girls (which Lancashire Music Service is running in partnership with Jazz North) is taking place at the Gregson Centre on Sunday 10 February. The workshop is free and aimed at girls aged between 9 and 15. The event is now live on our website with a link to book via Eventbrite. <https://www.lancashiremusicclub.co.uk/site/events/jazz-camp-girls/>

School Nurse Consultation

The BYC are carrying out a School Nurse Consultation 2019 for Public Health England to engage young people to find out their views about school nursing. **The survey closes at the end of February, the 28th.**

This is the link to the School Nurse consultation, which is now live: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/schoolnurse19>

Please will you share far wide with young people so that we can engage and listen to their views and experiences.

Thank you

Penny

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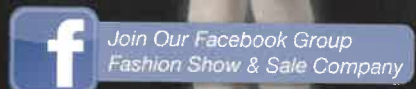
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Mrs Messy presents a Marvellous Mess...

Come along with your babies, toddlers, and pre-schooler for them to explore their imagination, senses and creativity in a fun and safe environment whilst having fun getting messy.*



Scotforth Road

Methodist Church

Thursday's 9.30am—10.30am

Ellel Village Hall, Galgate

Friday's 9.30am—10.30am

£5 per session

Siblings £3.50

Telephone: 07427 114390

Email: mrsmessy@yahoo.com

Booking is not essential just pop in.

*It is advised to wear old clothes and bring a change of clothes as we will get messy.