

Our Newsletter



28th February
2025

Water, water everywhere!

Welcome back after the holidays. We hope everyone had a lovely half term holiday. It is lovely returning to school with lighter mornings and longer days, very soon we will be having the warmer weather- fingers crossed.

This week we had a visit from Brockholes Visitor Centre to speak with the children about how we can save water and why it is so important. This certainly links to how we need to look after God's beautiful planet and make sure how we need to look after the environment.

Throughout the day the junior classes had workshops looking at different sources of water and enjoyed completing a range of different activities.



Handball Event @ GCA

Thursday night Year 5/6 boys took part in a handball tournament at GCA. This was the first time they had played the game as a team together and played very well. Over the next few weeks it will be the girls turn to play and I am sure, with the boys help over the next few weeks they will do well. I am even considering changing the lunchtime football over to handball, as it makes for a really skillful and enjoyable sport!



The Importance of Giving

This week Jesus talks about the importance of giving, of being generous with what we have and treating other people as we would like to be treated.

Jesus is telling the disciples how he wants them to be. He asks them to be good to everyone, even those who hate them.

He asks them to treat everyone as they would want to be treated. He asks them not to judge other people, to be kind and compassionate, and to forgive those who hurt them.

And he also asks them to be generous. To give what they have to anyone who asks them. Giving is a wonderful thing. It can make us feel happy, because we are making other people happy.

This year is a special Jubilee Year, when we are called to try to share hope with others, especially those who are poor or who are treated unfairly in our world.

Jesus says that those of us who are generous will receive lots of gifts back. We will be surrounded by love, peace, hope and joy. These are really important gifts.



Upcoming Events

March

3rd March- New value- forgiveness
 4th March- U11 netball match 4pm @ YMCA
 6th March- World Book Day (information to follow soon)
 7th March- Non-uniform day for Mother's Day gifts
 13th March- Last Choir Standing Competition
 Year 5/6 table tennis 4pm @ GCA
 14th March- Owl class mass @ 10am
 19th March- Owl visit to Lancaster Maritime Museum
 21st March- Robin class mass
 Non- uniform Day Easter Eggs
 24th March- Last week for clubs
 27th March- Girls Y5/6 Handball 4pm @ GCA
 28th March- Mothers Day gifts & Easter Bingo
 Whole school Lenten Mass

PTA Events

7th March- Non-uniform Day in exchange for Mother's Day gifts
 21st March- Non-uniform Day in exchange for Easter eggs
 28th March- Mother's Day wrapping
 28th March- Easter Bingo

Please support these family friendly events

April

1st April- Parents Meeting 2.00pm
 2nd April- Reconciliation Liturgy
 3rd April- Owl Easter Reflection 9.30am (all welcome in Church)
 Tag Rugby Festival Y5/6 4pm @ GCA
 4th April- School closes for Easter 1pm
 21st April- Bank holiday (school closed)
 22nd April- School re-opens
 28th April- Clubs start this week

Blue Badge Awards (Care & Compassion):

Wren - Alexander R

Robin – Mia M

Owl – Daisy Me

Heron – Rose A

Rising Star Awards (Teacher Award):

Wren – Orlaith T

Robin – Lettie P

Owl – Iris A

Heron – Ivy F

Marvellous Maths:

Wren - Bailey J

Robin – Jasper A

Owl – Leon CT

Heron – Sammy D

Weekly attendance percentages

■ Classes

