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Religious News

Our Collective Worships this week have looked at two special saints, Saint Peter and Saint Paul. On Monday, Mr Holmes looked in depth at St Peter and explored facts that the children knew about him. Children discussed how he was a fisherman, he denied Jesus 3 times, he was chosen as the leader of the Church and, also, how he was saved from prison by an Angel. On Thursday, we looked at the story of St Paul and compared some of his life with that of Peter. On Wednesday, 6 of our Year 6 children accompanied Mr Holmes and me to the Diocesan Offices in Leeds to lead a session within a training day for leaders on sharing good practice in schools. Everyone present was extremely complimentary about the manner in which the children spoke about Fairtrade, their knowledge but also their ability to answer questions from those in attendance. We also presented two examples of our Big Books for RE to share the creative approach we use for recording work and these, equally, were favourably received with many leaders taking photographs for their own reference back in school.

Immediately, something like scales fell from Saul's eyes, and he could see again. He got up and was baptized, ¹⁹and after taking some food, he regained his strength.

ARTS UPDATE

Whilst the Annual Summer Music Concert was earlier than usual in the term, it was, undoubtedly, another triumph with audiences wowed both in the afternoon and the evening. The event is, undeniably, testament to the strength of music in school with approximately 140 pupils, ranging from Year 1 to Year 6 taking part in a mix of solos, groups and choirs. Special thanks to Mrs Armstrong who makes all of this possible. Many thanks to all the staff, both internal and peripatetic, who lead music in school and to the staff who supervised children, set up the equipment, manned the refreshment stall and took photographs.

Thank you also to the parents for the donations which, after deductions for refreshments, amounted to £250. Mrs Armstrong is delighted to have received this additional money to her budget and will put it to good use!

Congratulations to Freddie and Ava on their performance in Stratford- Mrs Adams can't sing their praises enough as to how brilliant they were. Well done. Thanks also to Mrs Adams who made this amazing experience possible!

Achievers of the week for 24th June

This week we have awarded our certificates to children who have demonstrated respect which is a key element of our vision.

Congratulations to the following children who received certificates:

FS1 Yago W-S

FS2 Gabriella O'B, Charlotte W

Y1 Peter W, Jacob R

Y2 Bella W, Rocky G

Y3 Maisie H, Spencer B

Y4 Lucy E-H, Lucinda B

Y5 Ruby H, Charlie J

Y6 Chloe F, Jamie M

Our certificates will be rewarded to children who show respect next week.

SPORTS UPDATE

Monday was an extremely busy day with our Rugby, Golf and Netball teams representing Bradford in the West Yorkshire Finals where they came up against some very tough competition. Congratulations to all our players who competed. We are delighted to share the news that the Rugby team won all their matches and are now the West Yorkshire Champions and the Tri-Golf team came away with Bronze medals. The netball team came up against the eventual winners in their league where they finished 3rd. Thanks, as always, to the staff who trained the teams. Well done all!

ATTENDANCE Week of 24th June

F1am 90.77%

F1pm 100%

F130 hours 75.83%

F2P 99.67%

F2Py 99.00%

Y1M 96.67%

Y1S 99.33%

Y2F 99%

Y2D 99.33%

Y3HM 95.33%

Y3W 98.33%

Y4HW 98.00%

Y4M 98.67

Y5B 93.33%

Y5G 97.33%

Y6B 99.67%

Y6V 98.62%

Well done to FS1pm who, with 100% attendance, won the KS1 cup this week. Congratulations to Y6B who won the attendance cup this week in KS2. Our whole school attendance was 97.34%

CLASSES FOR SEPTEMBER 2019

We can now confirm the staffing arrangements for September 2019. All children will spend the morning of 17th July in their new classroom with their new teacher.

Nursery Miss Perry and Mrs Morgan

Reception Mrs McCaul
Reception Miss Quinlan

F2P will move to Y1S with Mrs Senior
F2Py will move to Y1P with Miss Patterson

Y1S will move to Y2D with Mrs Dunne
Y1M will move to Y2F with Miss Firth

Y2D will move to Y3W with Mrs Woodwiss
Y2F will move to Y3FH with Mrs Hanson and Mrs Fairchild

Y3W will move to Y4AW with Mrs Z Armstrong and Mrs Wilkinson
Y3HM will move to Y4M with Miss Melvin

Y4HW will move to Y5G with Mr Greenhalgh
Y4M will move to Y5B with Mr Buckley

Y5B will move to Y6V with Mr Van Der Gucht
Y5G will move to Y6B with Miss Brace
Mr Holliday will also teach in Year 6.

Mrs Akam, Mrs Smith, Mrs B Armstrong (Music) and Mr Holmes will be non-classed based in September and teach various classes throughout school. Miss Marlborough will also be non-classed based in September in the lead up to her maternity leave.

HEALTHY SCHOOLS WEEK

Next week is, for many children, the highlight of the school year and we hope that, once more, it will be very successful.

All parents should have received a letter about arrangements earlier in the week and should also receive an email today outlining the timetables for their particular classes. A particular favourite amongst most children is the water slide and parents are asked to provide clothes which can get wet and a towel for this event. Whilst children can wear swimwear for this event, they also must wear shorts and tee-shirt for protection.

We will have our Wacky Mile on 12th July and we will re-issue the information next week by email.

Please can we ask you to send the children with water bottles and sunhats next week and apply sun cream before school.

PTFA

Many thanks for all your donations for the Summer Fair received today. Please remember that cakes for the competition need to be in school by 9am on Friday. Please return all raffle ticket stubs also by Friday. The weather forecast looks promising so we hope that you will join us next Friday, 12th between 6pm and 8pm and make this a very special Summer Fair.