



St John's C. of E. Primary School, Abram

SCHOOL NEWS

15th March 2018



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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

19th-23rd March – Sport Relief Week

21st March – Year 6 – Lets Sing

Year 4/5 Class Worship – Parents invited from 2:55pm

22nd March – Reception class trip to Stockley Farm – uniform must be worn

Dress down Thursday (Sports clothes)

23rd March – Easter Communion Service in Church – Year 3/4 to lead

School closes at 3:15pm

9th April – School re-opens at 8:45am

Generosity

Our Christian Value for this half term is Generosity. Children recognised for their generosity were Grace, Year 2 and Evie L, Year 3.

Mini Whistlers



Well done to Flynn, Kelsie and Jayden who took part in the Mini Whistlers event. Mini-

Whistlers is an FA course designed to educate and train children in the art of refereeing. The day was split into practical and classroom based activities centred around football and concluded in children leaving with a bag full of FA refereeing resources.



This year, Sport Relief will be taking place in schools and nurseries between Monday 19th March and Friday 23rd March.

To do our bit and raise money we will be having a dress down day on Thursday 22nd March where the children can come dressed in their sporting clothes to show off the sports they take part in for a donation of £1. We will also be holding a very special whole school Daily Mile event and encouraging children to join in a variety of sporting activities. Sports Relief wristbands will be on sale for £1.00 each.

Year 5 Pop/Lacrosse



Well done to Connor, Jack, Aimee, Holly-Anne, Abbie, Cameron, Olivia and Henry, our Pop/Lacrosse team, who came 5th in their tournament at Leigh Sports Village last week.

Easter Communion Service



Our Easter Communion Service will be held in Church next Friday at 9:30am.

Year 3/4 will be leading the Service. Parents/carers are invited to attend. Any volunteers willing to walk to church with the children please let the office know.

Musician of the Week



Congratulations to Louie, Year 5, for excellent keyboard skills.

ECO



Congratulations to Lily-May, Year 3/4, for picking up litter.

Sport Star of the Week

Congratulations to Jack, Year 5, for his attitude and concentration in all aspects of school sport.



Attendance

Well done to Year 2, with last week's highest attendance of 98.3%



Reminder - Easter Egg Challenge

Any child wishing to enter should bring their decorated egg into school on Tuesday 20th March.

Over this term an Incredible Years positive parenting program will be available to parents in The Hub at Hindley Green Community Primary School every Tuesday afternoon 1:30pm to 2:30pm commencing 13th March.

The Incredible Years Program has been designed to strengthen parenting skills through shared experience supporting parents with positive behaviour strategies and positive relationships.

For more information contact:

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GOLD BOOK AWARDS

Congratulations to last week of terms Gold Book Award winners:

Reception: Millie-Mae - For her fantastic manners.

Year 1: Alfie - For settling into school life so well.

Year 1/2: Millie T. - For consistently doing her personal best and helping others.

Year 2: Isabella - For always trying her best in everything she does.

Year 3: Deniz - For excellent knowledge of her times tables.

Year 3/4: Leyton - For a fantastic effort during guided reading.

Year 4/5: Lexi - For her fantastic attitude to learning and always trying her best.

Year 5: Imogen - For making the most of reading opportunities and taking her learning to the next level.

Year 6: Kaytlin - For being a great role model.

Lent Appeal

This year, for our Lent Appeal, the Ethos Group have decided to complete a Copper Challenge! Each class has been asked to bring in as many 1p and 2p coins as they can over the next few weeks. The class who raises the most money will win a class pyjama day! Please send in any spare copper as all monies raised will go to Wigan and Leigh hospice.

Holiday Club/Childcare Dates 2017/18

w/c 26th March 2018 - St. John's Abram (4 days)

w/c 20th August 2018 - St. Peter's Hindley (5 days)

w/c 27th August 2018 - Hindley Green CP (4 days)

Polite Reminder



If you would like your child to attend our Before or After school club, you must fill in the booking form and get confirmation of places. Thank you for your support.