



Dundry Days



Dundry C of E Primary School

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Newsletter 07

Dundry School Values: trust, friendship, community, hope, compassion and creativity

Staffing Changes

Mr Dix has requested to return to full time class teaching and relinquish his role of Head of School at Dundry.

Therefore, after half term, he will be the full time teacher of Sycamore class.

Mrs Parsons (Executive Head) and Mrs Waterhouse (Head of School at Trinity) will assume responsibility for the day to day running of the school. As is currently the case, your first port of contact will continue to be your child's class teacher.

Next term Mrs Perrett will be focusing on booster work with specific groups of children.

Accelerated Reading

We are about to embark on an exciting journey in terms of reading within the school. We have Bug Club, but we are in the process of indexing all the books in the library into a numerical scheme called Accelerated Reading, which will have a huge impact on children's progress in reading.

You can help in 2 ways: firstly by donating any nearly new books which you may have no further use for, and secondly, to volunteer some of your time to index the books (full training given!)

Please let Mr. Dix or the office know if you can help in either way. We are hoping to get the library indexed as soon as possible ready to launch the scheme next term.

School Time

School gate **opens at 8:45** and children should be in their class by 8:55 ready to start their learning.

Please note that front and back gate will **close at 9:00 am** and any late arrivals should come via main gate by The British Legion and children and adults need to come to the office for registration.

Be smart on internet



Internet Safety

We have discussed Internet Safety during Mr. Wyatt's assembly this week and have learnt the importance of following our 'SMART' rules. These stand for:

Safe – Keep your personal information private.

Meet – Never meet up with someone you have met online.

Accept – Don't accept emails, games request, friend requests, call or messages etc. from someone you don't know.

Reliable – Make sure you only view age appropriate content. Also, how do you know who you are talking to who they say they are?

Tell – if you have any questions, worries or problems, tell a trusted adult and ask for help.

Our focus on this will increase as the year progresses, and will include our participation as a school in Safer Internet Day 2019 in February.

Parents Evening Dates

Our Parents Evening dates have now been set. You will have the opportunity to book a 10 minute appointment with the focus being on how your child has settled in to their new year group, areas of strength; and some advice on targets to be working at home. See calendar on next page for details.

Worship and Ethos Team

We are excited to introduce our Collective Worship and Ethos team. These children each applied individually and wrote a thoughtful application as to why they would be a good representative for their class. We have already had several meetings about how we can promote our Christian Values throughout the school. The team decided they wanted to bring back the Christian Values award each week. The team will select a child each week who has been nominated for a Christian Values award. These are given for thoughtful, caring acts that we do; at home, in school or as part of our community. Anyone can nominate child to receive the award by completing the form attached. Please hand it to Mrs. Harrison in the office for the Worship and Ethos team to choose the most deserving each week. Certificates will be handed out in worship on a Friday afternoon.



House Points

BLIZZARD	53
HURRICANE	43
STORM	54
TORNADO	47



OUTSIDE ACHIEVEMENT

Congratulations to
Mia – Judo
Josh and Evie – for being a chorister for a day at Wells Cathedral and singing in service.

Preston – for being 3rd place in a Motocross tournament in Liverpool.
Well done everyone!!



Headteacher's award

CONIFER	Harvy
SYCAMORE	Charlie
OAK	Finley

Christian Values Award

Jack E; nominated by Kara



School Diary for the weeks ahead

Date	Details
WED – 24/10/18	Oak Class visiting Roman Baths; Bath; at 9:00am
THU – 25/10/18	Pupil Photos; by Nigel Coles Photography; at 1:00pm
FRI – 26/10/18	Last day of Term 1
MON – 05/11/18	First day back – Term 2
Thu – 08/11/18	Team GB Athlete visiting Dundry; at 1:00pm
Mon – 19/11/18	Parents Evening; 3:30pm – 5:30pm
Tue – 20/11/18	Parents Evening; 4:00pm – 7:00pm