

# ST BARTHOLOMEW'S NEWS

18th April 2018

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## Reminders:

### Rugby Magic Weekend Years 3, 4, 5 & 6

We still have a few Rugby tickets for Saturday 19th May. If you would like to join us please contact the office.



## Holiday Scheme

Have you returned your holiday scheme letter. All slips must be returned by Friday 20th April 6pm.

## Polite Notice

Due to staffing and safeguarding issues children must be booked into After School Club BEFORE 1 O'clock. If you are unable to do this please make alternative arrangements for your child/children to be collected at 3.20pm, Thank you.

## Late Picking up

We have an increasing number of children not being picked up on time at 3.20pm when school finishes. Children stay outside the front office until 3.30pm and then are taken into After School Club to sit and wait. There will be a charge of £5 for this service. If you think you might be late picking your child/children up please book them into After School Club for £3 before 1 O'clock.

## Before and After School

Please ensure that your children DO NOT play on the apparatus. School will not take responsibility for any accidents occurring before and after school. Thank you.

## After School Club and Holiday Scheme

Children must be toilet trained to access after school club and holiday scheme.

## Dinner, ASC & Wraparound Money

All dinner, breakfast, after school club & wraparound money must be paid on a Monday morning in advance or children will not be allowed to stay. Please contact Mrs Busby on either Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday if you have any issues with dinner, ASC or wraparound monies.

School dinners are free for children in classes 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9 & 10. Nursery children pay for dinners unless you have been awarded free meals by Leeds City Council.

Dinners for Nursery & Classes 11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18,19,20 & 21 are £1.60 per Day or £8.00 a week.

## PE

All children must have a change of clothes for PE eg jogging trousers, jumper and suitable footwear pumps, trainers for both indoor and outdoor PE, this includes children in Nursery.

## Phonic Session

A parents phonic session will be held for Year 1 parents on Wednesday 25th April from 3.30pm-4.15pm. Please join us to find out more about your child's phonics and how you can help them at home.

## House Competition

At the end of term all the children took part in a house competition in their PE lessons. Well done to all the children who enjoyed playing and competing in a range of rugby based games.

The winners of each year, receiving 20 house points each were:

Reception- Panthers and Jaguars

Year 1- Lions

Year 2- Panthers

Year 3- Tigers

Year 4- Panthers

Year 5- Tigers

Year 6- Jaguars and Panthers

The over all winners were Panthers.

## Reception

Mrs Brown-Phase Leader

In Reception this week we have started our new theme 'In the Garden'. We have had lots of fun finding out about minibeasts. In Literacy we have been writing lists for our minibeast bug hotel. In Maths we have enjoyed using our minibeast counting resources and games to learn about bigger numbers.

Stars of the week:

*Class 1 Colby Pearce*

*Class 2 Charlie Boreham*

*Class 3 Poppy Marshall*



## Year 2

Mrs Jane Wainwright Deputy Headteacher and Year 2 Leader

This week we are starting our topic of 'Who's Afraid of the Dark!'. We are lucky enough to have a visit on Thursday from planetarium where we can explore space and find out about astronauts who have been there.

This weeks best handwriting stars:

*Class 7 Bridget Ikoro*

*Class 8 Salahuddin Ali*

*Class 9 Joanna Worsley*

*Class 10 Shannon Kurui*

Most improved Handwriting:

*Class 7 Zaakir Hussain*

*Class 8 Kristina Nistorova*

*Class 9 Sofia Ur-Rehman*

*Class 10 Abdul Malik*



**Year 3**  
 Mrs McCaffery Assistant Headteacher and Year 3 Leader  
 This term the children will be learning a range of exciting topics. In English they will be reading stories from imaginary worlds and then creating settings to use in their own imaginary world stories. In Science children will be continuing with their underground overground topic. This week they will be focusing on fossils. In Geography children will be learning about Asia and countries of China, Japan, India, Pakistan and Saudi Arabia.  
 Stars of the week:  
**Class 11 Owais Ali**                      **Class 12 Aribah Zulfikar**                      **Class 13 Laura Shadrawy**



**Year 4**  
 Mr Waters Assistant Headteacher & Year 4 Leader  
 This week, Year 4 have started to look at 'Ancient Egypt', which is our topic for this half term. We also enjoyed visiting the space dome this week, where we looked at the stars and planets.  
 Stars of the week:  
**Class 14 Sarah Kandihero**                      **Class 15 Jaden Kuru**                      **Class 16 Daisy Chimwara**



**Year 5**  
 Miss Schlesinger Phase Leader  
 This week we are starting our topic on Ancient Greece. We will be looking at where Greece is in the world. We will also be creating our own timelines of events which happened during Ancient Greek times.

**Lineham Farm**  
 Children are to arrive next Monday at normal time and put their bags into the community room. On Friday 27th April, children can be collected at 2pm from the community room.  
 Stars of the week:  
**Class 17 Soina Quartey**                      **Class 18 George Whittingham**                      **Class 19 Sean Akinsulire**



**Year 6**  
 Mr Needham Assistant Headteacher & Year 6 Leader  
**Student of the week:**  
**Class 20 Tristan Dean**  
**Class 21 Paloma Carvalho Dos Santos**



**Lessons:**  
 In English, children have recapped over homonyms, homophones and parenthesis. In Maths, children recapped over angles, 2D shapes and volume.

**Reminders:**  
 The last Additional tuition session will take place on Wednesday 9th May.  
 SATs Week is the week beginning Monday 14th May.  
 Children have been politely reminded that they should not be bringing chewing gum/sweets into school. If they do bring chewing gum/sweets into school they will be confiscated and Mr Needham will be contacting parents/guardians.

**Dates to Remember:**

Thursday 3rd May 2018	School closes at 3.20 pm
Tuesday 8th May 2018	School re-opens at 8.30 am
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2018	Schools closes at 3.20 pm
Friday 25th May 2018	Training Day - No children in school
Monday 4th June 2018	School re-opens at 8.30 am
Thursday 7th June 2018	New Reception Parent Open Day
Friday 22nd June 2018	Training Day - no children in school
Friday 6th July 2018	Training Day - no children in school
Thursday 12th July 2018	Parent's Day in School
Monday 16th July 2018 -20th July 2018	Moving up week
Thursday 19th July 2018	BBQ & Disco
Monday 23rd July 2018	End of Year Church Service at 2.15pm
Wednesday 25th July 2018	School Closes at 3.20 pm