



Friday 23rd October 2020

HEADTEACHER'S AWARDS

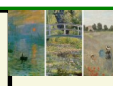
Alicia, Issy D, Shoaib, Joseph W, Ella G, Oliver N

Red	★ Bronze	★ Silver	★ Gold	★
Bronze Cup	🏆 Silver Cup	🏆 Gold Cup	🏆 Bronze Medal	🏆

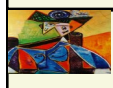
OF THE WEEK



Morgan for showing enthusiasm and motivation in maths this term. You enjoy all aspects of number work!



Oscar for working really hard throughout the week, keeping focussed and showing maturity. Well done Oscar, we are so proud of you!



Peter for growing in confidence, motivating himself in lessons and producing an excellent newspaper report.



Sophie H for settling in to Class 4 so well. You have already shown some super maths skills, excellent writing and great enthusiasm for learning. Keep up the great start.

DIARY DATES

6.11.20 PTA	DRESS DOWN DAY £1 DONATION
23.11.20 PTA	CHOCOLATE DONATION FOR CHRISTMAS FAYRE
27.11.20	CHRISTINGLE SERVICE
4.12.20 PTA	CHRISTMAS FAYRE
14.12.20	FLU VACCINATIONS ALL YEARS

WEEK COMMENCING 02.11.2020

Monday	BACK TO SCHOOL
Tuesday	PE - CLASS 2 AND 3 ACADEMY PHOTOGRAPH ORDER FINAL DEADLINE
Wednesday	PE - CLASS 1, CLASS 3 AND 4
Thursday	PE - CLASS 4
Friday	DRESS DOWN DAY—PTA—DONATION £1



1 Peter 1:3, NIV Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead



"One of our greatest freedoms is how we react to things." **Charlie Mackesy**

JOY - Charlotte	LOVE - Sophie H (C3)	PEACE - Joseph W
GOODNESS - Michael	FAITHFULNESS -	PATIENCE - Pippa
KINDNESS - Tilly H	SELF CONTROL - Elizabeth	GENTLENESS -

THIS WEEK IN FOCUS

As we reflect on our first half term of the year we can feel really very pleased indeed.

- ♦ All children have returned and have settled brilliantly
- ♦ Families have met our expectations and followed the rules
- ♦ Staff have stayed upbeat and positive despite the challenges providing wonderful learning opportunities in our curriculum and they have maximised creative ways to keep everything as normal as possible
- ♦ Children have been brilliantly behaved - we've not had to give any red or yellow cards and despite some tired niggles after an 8 week term, the children have been tremendous!. I'm so proud and grateful.

Our open mornings were brilliant. We were able to show prospective parents our vibrant schools through our virtual tour, led by our amazing children and then answer questions on Zoom. It was wonderful to see so many on screen who were interested in places for their precious children. We are thrilled to share with you our promotional open day virtual tours! Enjoy!



https://www.amg-it.co.uk/forestfederation/All_Saints_Virtual_Tour.mp4

https://www.amg-it.co.uk/forestfederation/Needwood_Virtual_Tour.mp4

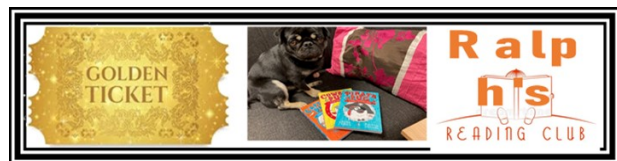


Our PTA cinema nights were fantastic, we thank them for organising the films and snacks and to staff for supporting bubbles throughout.

Our final fruits of the spirit worship was lovely and it closed off a fantastic term. Have a wonderful week with your children - if working from home, good luck and, if you are also lucky to have time off, have some quality time together and we hope our children get a good rest ready for the second half of the autumn term.

See you soon! Mrs C Gethin.

WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO -



We look forward to All Saints day (on 1st November but held in school on 2nd November), and our first, Read with Ralph event!



Yet again we had a great turnout for the PJ & Popcorn night. Thank you to Mrs Gethin and Mrs Jones for supervising all the children in their classroom bubbles, the silence from the corridor spoke volumes and showed the children obviously enjoyed their films.

Today is the last day to enter the 50/50 Club, please don't forget to email asr-pta@asr.itmat.co.uk with the amount of draws you have purchased as you will then be emailed back with a number. The draw will take place at the end of the month.

Also we are really excited to be able to give you 3 more dates for your diary.

6th November is Dress Down Day with a donation of £1. It's always a popular day as the children get to choose their own clothes.

Week commencing **23rd November** could we kindly request a chocolate donation, this will go towards the Christmas Fayre which will be held on **4th December**. This will be a scaled down event done in bubbles but we hope to still make it is fun for the children.

Thank you for your continued support. **PTA**

ANYTHING ELSE YOU NEED TO KNOW

NHS ART GALLERY

We are absolutely thrilled to share with you and showcase our children's artwork which was completed during our NHS week. Please go online on the following link and see your child's work and that of their friends. Attached is a slip for you to pledge to buy your child's art work and all of the proceeds will go to the NHS. We suggest a minimum pledge of £2. This was a whole JTMAT project. We hope that you like their work. **The deadline for payment via Parentpay is 13th November.** Thank you in anticipation.

<https://www.theforestfederation.co.uk/gallery/?pid=11&gcatid=5>



POPPY APPEAL

Each classroom will have a collecting box and their own supply of poppies. Children can get these from the first week back. Suggested donation minimum 20p. Please support this appeal.



RELATIONSHIPS AND SEX EDUCATION

We have reviewed our Relationships Education policy and curriculum which includes a review of sex education in our schools. This has been conducted with the Trust and all Trust primary schools have the same approach.

Conception has been taken out of the primary curriculum of our trust schools. Our jigsaw curriculum builds on relationships and changes but does not specifically teach about intercourse.

We are holding a parent information evening on Wednesday **11th November at 6.30pm** on Zoom and hope you can attend if you are interested in finding out more. Prior to the event we will send out some further information for you to review.

In order to ensure this is good use of staff time in the preparation of a presentation etc. which is in addition to the school based work, we ask you to let the office know by Monday 2nd November if you will be attending. Thank you.

LUNCHES

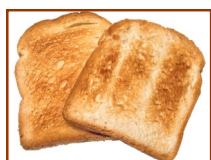
Menu	Week commencing 2.11.2020
Monday	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with dough balls
Tuesday	Sausage and Mash
Wednesday	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Gravy
Thursday	Beef Lasagne with Garlic and Herb Bread Wedge
Friday	Golden Fish Fingers and Chips



We are able to offer either a hot lunch, jacket potato or sandwiches.

BREAK SALES

Our Catering team are offering break sales.



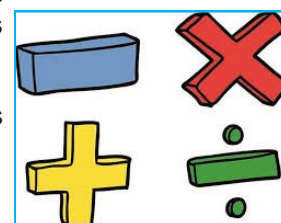
Please make sure you send a completed form (**attached to the newsletter**) with the correct money into school in an envelope with your child's name and class on it. Please order for the whole week on a **MONDAY ONLY. If you are unable to print a form off just write the order on a piece of paper.** Unfortunately they cannot accept any alterations to this on a different day.

USEFUL INFORMATION

MATHS MASTERY

We have noticed that some parents are purchasing workbooks for maths in order to practice key skills with their children at home. If any parent wishes to do this we would recommend the White Rose workbooks which can be found here <https://whiterosemaths.com/parent-workbooks/> or Power Maths practice workbooks (specific to each year group) which can be found on Amazon. These books follow as closely as possible the teaching for mastery approach which we use in school and will have pictures and models that your child will be used to. This is of course optional.

If anyone would like further advice with regards to this, please feel free to dojo your class teacher or Mrs Preston.



MAKING HALLOWEEN & BONFIRE SPIRITUALLY AND DURING COVID



As church schools we try not to use the term Halloween and focus on the joy of Autumn and the links between this time and **All Saints Day** (Rangemore's namesake) on 1st November and **All Souls Day** on 2nd November - a time to pray for departed souls. That said, we truly understand the excitement that Halloween brings and simply



ask that you remember to shine for Jesus when enjoying the commercial fun of this period. Additionally, safety is key and the NHS have produced a little flyer, seen below in order to help you stay safe due to COVID.

Additionally, whilst we are certain no public events will be taking place, please carefully consider bonfire and firework safety if you are having an event at home.

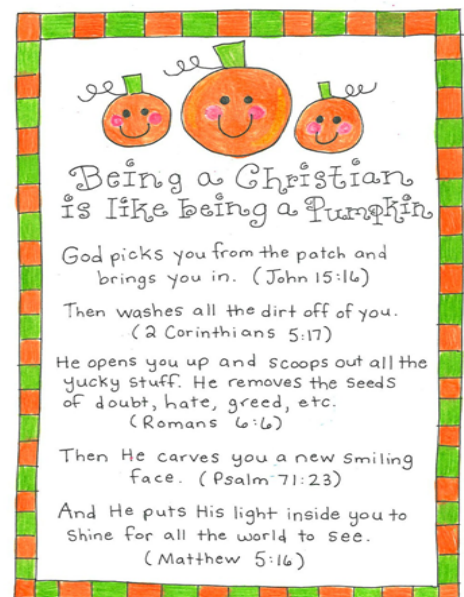
Additionally, Staffordshire county council have some further advise.

<https://www.staffordshirefire.gov.uk/your-safety/safety-at-home/bonfire-night-safety/#:~:text=Bonfire%20safety%20tips&text=If%20you%20do%20decide%20to,from%20sheds%2C%20fences%20and%20trees.>

Stay Safe This Halloween:

- Have a Halloween movie night with people you live with
- Decorate your household or living space
- Have a trick or treat hunt with your household members in your home
- Bake some Halloween treats

- Carve and decorate pumpkins and display them in your windows
- Have a virtual Halloween costume contest
- Have a virtual Halloween pumpkin carving contest



Stay safe on Bonfire Night

- Never touch fireworks
- Stand well back from the bonfire
- Never go near a firework after it has been lit
- Only one sparkler at a time
- Wear gloves when holding a sparkler
- Keep pets indoors



BONFIRE NIGHT SAFETY STAFFORDSHIRE FIRE AND RESCUE

Remember, remember to celebrate safely! Bonfire night can be great fun for all the family but it is important that you celebrate safely.

We are appealing to everyone to take great care on bonfire night.

WWW.STAFFORDSHIRE.GOV.UK

CHURCH/COMMUNITY

DESIGN A CHRISTMAS CARD COMPETITION

Families may be interested in entering this competition.

The Diocese of Lichfield are looking for someone to design this year's Christmas card. The winning design could become their official Christmas card for 2020.

Using any of the following mediums -

Paint, Crayon, Pencil, Digital Media, Charcoal

Be creative and let your imagination run free.

To enter a design it must be A5 in size and has a theme of Christmas Joy, please send your entries to education@lichfield.anglican.org by Friday 6th November 2020

Good luck from all the team at

Lichfield Diocesan Board of Education

e-mail: education@lichfield.anglican.org



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING A TEACHER?

The National Forest Teaching School at John Taylor High School offers the School Direct route into teaching. School Direct is an exciting and innovative one year school led training programme.

If you would like more information please follow the attached link.

<http://www.nationalforestteachingschool.co.uk/teach>



BACT HALF TERM EVENTS

BACT PL Kicks 2020/21

Burton Albion Community Trust are delighted to announce our delivery timetable for PL Kicks Sessions 2020/21

Stapenhill Kicks - Monday 5pm-7pm - Heath Road MUGA
 Junior Disability Youth Club - Monday 6pm - 8pm - Burton Albion Community Hub
 Winhill Kicks - Friday 5pm-7pm - WNRC
 Kicks Dance - Friday 4pm-7.30pm - Red Lion House Community Centre
 Pirelli Kicks - Saturday 6pm-8pm - Pirelli Stadium 3G

To register to attend one of our fantastic, fun and FREE sessions please contact paul.gaskin@burtonalbionct.org or call 01283 246207

Alternatively, scan the QR Code and complete the registration form to attend the session.

Age 8-18
FREE

Premier League Kicks

Burton Albion Community Trust are excited to announce that we will be running Staffordshire Space programme October half term. Our sessions will run the WC 26/10/2020

Stapenhill - Heath Road Park	Monday 26th October Tuesday 27th October	2pm-4pm
Winhill - Canterbury Park	Wednesday 28th October Thursday 29th October	2pm-4pm
Uttoxeter - Bramhill Park	Friday 30th October	2pm-4pm

For more information or to book on to a session please contact paul.gaskin@burtonalbionct.org

FREE Age 8-16

Disclaimer: We are proud to have a newsletter which shares information with you for our parish, village, WI, social club, Rascals and our local communities. We do try to vet all items which go into school bags and unless you are notified, are not paid to provide this information. We do not necessarily endorse and we cannot be held responsible for the validity or content of external information.

School information can be provided in different languages, large print, simple text only or Braille.
 Please speak to Mrs. Gethin if you have a particular requirement.

