

Heckington St Andrew's Church of England Primary School Newsletter



5th March 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to those parents who joined us for Silver Birch's collective worship last Friday. We apologise that we had to cancel going to church due to the inclement weather but well done to Silver Birch for leading an excellent collective worship.

I would like to say a huge thank you to Mr Midgley and Mr Spencer and to the PTFA for the time they spent this week hanging our new curtains for the school hall. We really appreciate you all giving up your time and they look amazing!

Finally, coming home tonight via Parent Hub is a sheet about our value for this term which is forgiveness. The double-sided sheet is packed full of fun activities for you to enjoy doing together to help you discuss and reflect on our value at home. I would like to stress that this is not homework, it is purely a way of you exploring our values further at home should you wish to do so. Any children are welcome to share what they have done at home linked to the value of the term with their class teacher.

Mrs J Bentley
Headteacher



A huge thank you to Heckington & Sleaford Young farmers Club who visited Oak and Willow class for Tractors into Schools week. The children had lots of questions to ask them!

Sports Relief Playground Bonanza!

This year we will be taking our Sports Relief fundraising to the playground where the Learning Council will be challenging each class to take part in a range of games and activities.

Everyone is invited to participate and to make the day even more exciting the children are able to wear sports wear for the day for a donation of £1.



Dates for your Diary

- 09.03.20 Hilltop residential trip for Year 6
- 09.03.20 British Science week
- 10.03.20 PTFA Meeting
- 13.03.20 Sport relief
- 16.03.20 PTFA Pop up shop every break time this week
- 19.03.20 Rhubarb Theatre (PTFA treat)
- 20.03.20 Church service led by Rowan class 2.45pm
- 24.03.20 Parents evening 3.45pm -6.30pm
- 25.03.20 Parents evening 3.45pm -6.30pm
- 26.03.20 Music concert in St. Andrew's Church 6.00pm
- 27.03.20 PTFA Easter egg hunt 3.30pm
- 30.03.20 Reception & Year 1 Worship for parents 8.50am
- 30.03.20 Year 2 Stay & learn for parents 2.30pm
- 31.03.20 Year 3 & Year 5 Worship for parents 8.50am
- 31.03.20 Year 6 Stay & learn or Parents 2.30pm
- 31.03.20 Year 4 Stay & learn for Parents 2.30pm
- 02.04.20 Easter Church Service 2.30pm St Andrew's Church including Awards
- 02.04.20 Last day of term

Next week is British Science Week and we are going to do this the Heckington Way!

On Thursday we will have an engineering project day for the whole school, led by Mr Snowball and his colleague who are RAF flight engineers. As well as this we will be completing a craft project that digs deeper into our House names. **If your children would like to make something from home to add to the project they should bring it into school with them next week.** Maybe a crafted apple for Newton, or a small map scroll for Flinders... We want to know more about the significant figures our houses are named after and what better time to do it than science week! **Your child will be in one of the following houses: Flinders, Newton, Banks, Tennyson.**

Watch this space for the completed project and photos of our engineering workshop. A huge thank you to Mr Snowball for giving up his time for our budding scientists, engineers, mathematicians, artists and technologists!

