

St James' Church of England Junior School

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"With exploring minds, and faith; we grow and learn together."

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Welcome to this month's newsletter

Zoo Lab

We had a visit from Zoo Lab this month as part of our Science and history topic into Evolution. We were lucky enough to see some animals and took a virtual trip with Charles Darwin around the Galapagos Island's.



Parents Spelling morning



Thank you to all parents who attended the Parents Morning. I know that the children were all excited to work alongside you and hopefully you found it an informative insight.



<u>Textiles donations</u>—If anyone is able to donate any old items of clothing or fabric, it would be greatly appreciated. They will be used for our new After School Craft Club that is taking place with Mrs Brown.



Beach clean

On Tuesday a group of students joined Cumbria Cottages to Harrington to take part in a beach clean. This coincided with the work they have been doing in school regarding plastic pollution. The children had a great time in the sun and enjoyed some healthy snacks which were kindly provided by Tesco.

Sacred spaces

This week classes have been taking part in a 'Sacred Space' week in St. James' church, the theme this year was The Lord's Prayer. The children went round 7 stations and explored a different part of the Lord's Prayer.

A huge thank you to Revered Jackson and the team of volunteers.

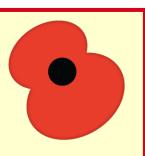


Poppies

The school is proud to support the work of The British Legion Poppy Fund once again this year.

A team of Year 6 volunteers will be selling poppies and merchandise on the school yard over the next couple of weeks.

Merchandise includes rulers, rubbers and other items ranging from 50p to £1.





Flu Nasal Spray-NHS Cumbria Partnership

The nurses will be in school on Wednesday 13th November for those that have returned their consent forms.

Safety on car parks

Please can children keep clear of the car parks, especially when staff are arriving in the morning, as their have been some instances when children have walked across when staff are parking their cars.



Parent Governor

I am delighted to announce the appointment of our new Parent Governor, Jonathan Spencer. We would all like to give him a warm welcome.

WW2 Topic

Our World War 2 topic has landed with a bang!! The classroom is looking very 1940s. We even have our own Anderson Shelter in case there's an air raid. The excitement for this new topic is incredibly high and we can't wait to travel back in time to find out more Here are some photo's:

http://www.stjamesjun.cumbria.sch.uk/work/class-4---world-war-2-begins/52069

Free School Meal applications

If you are in receipt of any benefits and may be entitled to Free School Meals, please feel free to come to the School Office and pick up an application form.

Dates for the diary (Autumn Term)

5th, 6th & 7th November—Parents Evening

17th December—Nativity

18th December—Christmas Dinner & Disco

19th December—Christmas Cinema Visit

20th December—Carol Service and school finish at 2.00 pm

We have been informed cross country will be re-arranged for some time in June, more information will be sent out nearer the time



As ever, do not hesitate to contact me if you have any concerns about any aspect of school life.





Roll of Honour

Pupils of the Week

Class 1— Shahidah A, Reuben D, Luke C, Jimi F, Luke Coates, Lilly C

Class 2— Lexi S, Amy A, Maisie R, Tyler G

Class 3— Ava C, Catie M, Maisie H

Class 4— Millie M, Zara R, Jeremiah I, Bradley T

Class 5— Dylan C, Noah O, Imogen S, Ashton H

Class 6— Abigail S, Lillia H, Bethan A, Zane H, Joe T, Charlotte B

Tímestables Rockstars

Class 1— Luke C, Robert M, Kai T

Class 2— Evan C, Olivia A, Oscar C

Class 3— Tyce W, Izhaar F, Ananda J

Class 4— Jay C, Jacob H, Alfie H

Class 5— Finn M, Eddie C, Aysel G

Class 6— Oliver G, Alfie E, Abigail S

Spelling Shed Superstars

Class 1— Dominic B, Jeremiah I, Caleb H

Class 2— Jack H, Amelia W, Ethan H

Class 3— Matthew D, Ellie S, Charlotte D

Class 4— Chloe S, Luca R, Millie M

Class 5— Livvy R, Kally A, Madison R

Class 6— Bailey M, Eva M, Theo K

The St James' Way

- . Be Kind
- . Be Respectful
- . Give Your All