



Dear Parents,

Last week Andy Housam from the Joy Foundation has visited us to lead our Collective Worship. We love Andy's visits as they are always great fun but give a useful message – this time about showing respect. The Worship Leaders for last week also need a special mention – it should have been Charlotte and Sophie sharing their ideas about our school badge and the significance of the different coloured hands around the edge and the dove in the middle to think about the symbol for the Holy Spirit. Charlotte was unfortunately poorly on Wednesday so Emily kindly stepped in. The three girls had thought so maturely and sensibly about their worship and really helped all the other children to do the same – well done girls!

Class Learning



The Pandas class have been busy thinking about their internet café as part of their Healthy Body: Healthy Mind project. They have made prototypes of their pizza

boxes using their mathematical knowledge of making nets to help them.

The Leopards class have been making boats to carry a warrior across the sea; they looked at pictures of Roman, Viking and Anglo Saxon boats as models for this. They used a range of different materials that they chose from to test their boat.

White Tigers class have been taking part in Circle Time this week as part of their 'Relationships Education'. They have been thinking about maintaining friendships by ensuring that they are including other children in their games and how it feels to be excluded. They have also been focusing on what makes a really positive playtime and what things they really enjoy about being with their friends, they have been encourage to talk about the good things about playtimes at home too.

Dates:

JUNE

- 14th – Evening meeting for new reception children; Carre's Y5 Taster Day
- 17th - Athletics*
- 21st/28th – new Reception children to visit
- 23rd – Sir William Robertson Academy Summer Open Evening, 6-8:30pm
- 24th – Tri-Golf (Year 3/ 4)*

JULY

- 7th/8th – LSST Induction Day (Year 6)
- 8th – Non-Uniform Day
- 13th – Summer Concert – TBC
- 15th – Reports to parents
- 16th – Summer Fair 2pm-4pm/Leavers' Disco 4pm-5:30pm
- 21st – Sports Day (am)
- 22nd – End of Term

*small number of children participating – separate communication to be sent out via Parentmail



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The Polar Bears Class have been using a Venn Diagram to compare two 'ice queens': Elsa from 'Frozen' and Strawberry Ice Queen from 'Ben and Holly'. They are using this knowledge to help them write their own stories.

Non-Uniform Day

A reminder about the Non-Uniform Day on Friday, 8th July. Instead of donating pennies, parents are being kindly asked to please supply a tombola prize in exchange for non-uniform for the Summer Fair – thank you very much!

Staffing News

I know you will all be really sad to hear that Mrs Turner will be leaving us to take up a more senior position at a school near to where she lives before the summer break. Mrs Turner will be very sorely missed as she is so meticulous and balances that with her warm, sunny disposition. We know she will be an asset to her new school and we all wish her well in her new role. We will have a transition period with the new appointed Administrator when they have been recruited.

School Fair

The PTA met on Friday to discuss exciting ideas for the Summer Fair, more information from the PTA team will follow nearer the time. Some of the children wrote to me as a class project a few weeks ago and asked for a Talent Show, this was brought up at Pupil Council last week. Any children who would like to take part in a Talent Show can show off their skills in a 2-minute slot on the afternoon of Friday, 15th July during school time. The children will vote for the best three entries to take part in the final to be held at the Summer Fair so children taking part will need to be available for Saturday, 16th July between 2pm – 4pm too.

Cake donations will also be very gratefully received for the cake stall; the PTA Team will begin collecting those on Friday, 15th July – not before this date please, thank you.

There will also be a second hand toy and book sale. Welcome donations can be kindly passed to Jules (Henry and Arthur's Mum) or Marie (Ray and Vinnie's Mum) at any time in preparation for this. Joules: 07977 926942 and Marie: 07706 887976.

If you or anyone you know has, a wonderful raffle prize that they would like to donate that would be magnificent and really appreciated by the PTA Team.

Finally, if you are in a position to **please** help in any way at all, either run a stall, even if just for an hour on Saturday, 16th July then please get in touch with either Joules or Marie – thank you very much for any support you can give.

A proportion of the proceeds from the fair will go towards funding a whole school pantomime trip again, this hasn't been booked yet but we will be trying to get to the Drill Hall in Lincoln to watch Rapunzel – I know some of you like to know this in advance in case of booking family trips to see a pantomime.



School Photos

Following our school photos, I would like to clarify arrangements for future photo dates. In main school, whenever photos are taken with siblings, we take these as a matter of course and then parents can choose whether to purchase these.

As many parents have preschool children too this can often present a great opportunity to have a family photo with younger siblings. All photos are stored on a secure site, only school parents have access to the password to see the proof of the photos and they cannot be downloaded without paying for them.

In order to prevent parents missing out and to remove the huge number of phone calls and emails last week, **in future, where children are in attendance at preschool on the day that school photos are taken, they will be included in the sibling photo which you will have the opportunity to purchase if you so wish.** Individual photos of preschool children will not be taken at the same time, this is arranged separately by preschool staff in their preschool environment and sibling photos with school children will **not** be taken at that time.

Celebration Worship

Mrs Simeoli gave her Values Award to Esme for her outstanding contributions in Collective Worship, noted by all the staff – she is really making other children think deeply too. She gave a second award to Tracy for her hard work in all areas of the curriculum, she has made such brilliant progress.

Mrs Curtis awarded her Values Award to Emilia for her exceptional writing and for making her, and the rest of the Polar Bears, happy to be in school everyday with her sunny smile!

This term we have achieved a record number of Word Millionaires! In previous years, we have had one or two children who have read over a million words on Accelerated Reader, this term we have already had six which is fantastic! Our millionaires are Sophie (2 211 266 words); Brandon (1 985 924); Eddie (1 574 534); Sol (1 187 744); Emily (1 122 763) and Caitlin (1 006 721). What a brilliant achievement!

Future weeks will be as follows for Celebration Worship:

	Sharing Work	Awards
17 th June	White Tigers/Polar Bears	Leopards/Pandas
24 th June	Leopards/Pandas	White Tigers/Polar Bears
1 st July	White Tigers/Polar Bears	Leopards/Pandas
8 th July	Leopards/Pandas	White Tigers/Polar Bears
15 th July	White Tigers/Polar Bears	Leopards/Pandas
22 nd July	Leavers Worship – afternoon (2pm TBC)	

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Values Award

This week a 50 Values certificate has been awarded to Summer, Cara, William W, Skye and Ava BW. 75 Values certificates have been awarded to Annabel W, Flora, Martha, Lyla, Felix and Etta.

Very exciting news the first 100 certificate and pin badge has been awarded to Sophia!
Well done, really proud of you!