



NEWSLETTER
19th September 2019



HEADTEACHER'S AWARD

Well done **Grace Flavell** for receiving the Head Teacher's award last week.

PUPILS OF THE WEEK

Last week the pupils of the week were :-

- Nur: Archie Smith
- Rec: Bethany Clay
- Yr 1: Dexter Ellis
- Yr 2: Grace Flavell
- Yr 3: Kasey Calder
- Yr 4: Sienna Hanse
- Yr 5: Sophie Bainbridge
- Yr 6: Kayden Byrnes

Attendance Winners

Reception + Year 2 + Year 4 +
Year 6- **100%**

Well Done!



WOW WORK OF THE WEEK

Last week the Wow Work of the week were :-

- Rec: Ronnie Murray
- Yr 1: Molly Williamson
- Yr 2: Harper-Louise Biddlecombe
- Yr 3: Lucas Schofield
- Yr 4: Taylor Auty
- Yr 5: Max Mortimer
- Yr 6: Kori-j Turner

Jeans for Genes

Our school is supporting Jeans for Genes day tomorrow,
Friday 20th September.

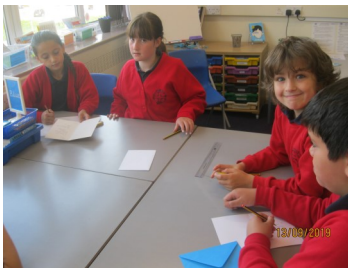
Children are invited to come wearing jeans but must still wear their school uniform tops and are asked to make a donation.

The money raised will go towards improving the lives of children with life-altering genetic disorders.



Year 6 make birthday cards for Rhys

Year 6 were touched by the story of Rhys Williams, who has a rare life-limiting and agonising skin condition. Rhys says he wishes "a butterfly would come and take me away" and his devastated mum Tanya wants Rhys to have something to fight for. She'd like him to be inundated with birthday cards when he turns 14 on September 21st ... so Year 6 have made cards for him.



Rhys's full story here: <https://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/greater-manchester-news/heartbreak-mum-whose-13-year-16870635>—or google Rhys Williams cards.

Church Links

This week in Collective Worship the children learnt about Wisdom: share what you've learnt with others, to help them.

NSPCC Speak out. Stay safe.

Free online safety workshop for parents and carers

Muddled by Minecraft or rattled by Roblox? NSPCC and O2 are running an hour-long interactive workshop with tips, tools and advice on how to keep your child safe online. Talking about online safety with your child doesn't need to be difficult - build your confidence to have those important conversations, get to know your child's online world and learn where to go for help and advice.

The workshop will take place at **8:25 am on Tuesday 24th September**. Don't miss out on this great opportunity! Make sure you RSVP by returning the slip on the letter which was sent out on Tuesday.

Online Safety Workshops for Parents

We will be hosting our free online safety workshop for parents at our school on

Date: Tuesday 24th September 2019

Time: 8:25 - 9:30 am

O2 and the NSPCC have joined forces in a mission to help all children and their families in the UK stay safe online.

The hour-long workshop is a great opportunity to gain skills and knowledge to understand the internet and technology as children do.

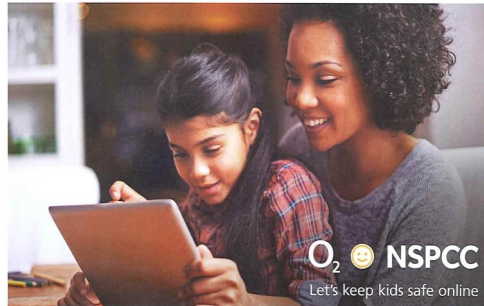
To book your place, or for more information,

Return the slip on your NSPCC letter to the school office



In addition, there will be workshops for the children—see the letter for further information.

The children will also have the opportunity to do a sponsored activity, so look out for a letter about this in their book bags next Tuesday.

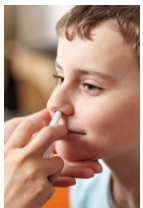


Applications for Reception and Secondary School Places

Applications are open for secondary school places. Please note, the deadline is during half term, 31.10.19. On Tuesday 19th November, applications for Reception 2020 will open.

All applications for Primary and Secondary School are made via Calderdale Council's website—see their Admissions section for information on how to apply.

Flu Nasal Vaccinations—Please return the form



Flu Nasal Spray Immunizations are taking place in School on Thursday 21st November. Please complete the consent form whether you want your child to have the nasal spray or not, and return it to school in the envelope provided, if you haven't already done so.

Macmillan Coffee Morning



A reminder that you are invited to the World's Biggest Coffee Morning on Friday 27th September at 9:30am. Your baking donations are most welcome! Bring them in before 9am on the day or send them in with children. Any leftover cakes will then be on sale at break/after school for 20-50p.

Reading Books

Reminder: Books need to be in school every day. We have many volunteer readers who come in to listen to readers on a one-to-one basis but they can't if their book isn't in school. Thank you.



Upcoming Events

Friday 20th September—Jeans for Genes Day.

Tuesday 24th September—NSPCC workshops.

Friday 27th September—Macmillan World's Biggest Coffee Morning.

Thursday 24th October—All Hallows' Eve Disco.

Thursday 24th October—Last day of term.

Friday 25th October—School closed to children.(Training day for staff).

Thursday 31st October—Deadline for secondary school applications.

Monday 4th November—School reopens after half term.

Tuesday 12th November—Individual School Photos.

Tuesday 19th November—Applications for Reception 2020 open.

Thursday 21st November—Flu Immunizations.

Please remember it is your responsibility to keep the school updated with medical information and contact details.