

Aston All Saints C of E Primary School

Newsletter

February 2018

Dear Parents,

Here are just a few items of news for the weeks up to Easter.

As always, unless requested, this newsletter is only published on the school website. If parents would like to receive a paper copy, please contact the school office. *Thank you*

Brilliant News!!



I am delighted to be able to tell you that Rotherham Council has reassessed the traffic on Lodge Lane and Worksop Road and has agreed to fund the crossing patrol again from September 2018; the funding is guaranteed for three years. As parents know, the Friends of Aston fund raising group has worked extremely hard to raise money to fund the crossing patrol for the period from April 2017 to March 2018. They have been very successful and raised the £3,000 needed to meet the salary costs for this service. A **huge** thank you to everyone for this; we feel that this is a vitally important service which helps to keep all our children safe at the beginning and end of every school day. The costs for this service from April to August will still have to be met and the Friends of Aston will be writing to parents about this very shortly.

Dinners



A request from our lunchtime staff – if parents are choosing lunch on line with their child at home – please choose the meal **with** your child. We still get children coming in for lunch and not liking the meal that has been chosen for them by parents. As meals are cooked once the orders have been placed, staff do not have the capacity to offer much choice if a child does not like what has been ordered for them by parents at home. *Thank you*

Class Assembly dates

Y4 – Friday 23rd February 18, 2018

F2 – Monday 19th March 2018

Y3 – Thursday 26th April 2018

Other dates for class assemblies will follow in the next newsletter

World Book Day

Details about a dressing up day for World Book Day have been sent home and book vouchers will be sent home in the next few days.

Family service with baptism

On Sunday 4th March at 10.30am, there will be a family service with baptism in school. The school choir and orchestra will also be joining the service and they will receive letters about this later this week. The Y6 confirmation candidates will also be helping to lead this service. Everyone will be very welcome to join us!



Mothering Sunday

There will be a special service for Mother's Day in All Saints Church on Sunday 11th March. The service begins at 10.30am and everyone will be very welcome to join this service. All the children will be invited to give their mums a small bunch of daffodils to mark this special occasion.

Musical instrument lessons

Invitations to lessons for parents of children who play a musical instrument will be sent out shortly and these will take place week beginning 12th March.

Confirmation lessons for the children in Y6

Letters have been sent out to the Y6 children about confirmation classes and the confirmation service takes place on the evening of Tuesday 20th March at 7pm. Bishop Pete, the new Bishop of Sheffield, will be confirming the children and we look forward to welcoming him to Aston All Saints Church.

Thank you

Mrs Mellor

Head Teacher