



“Love is patient, love is kind” (1 Corinthians 13:4-8)

Headteacher’s Message

There is such a buzz around school as topics are now well underway. Each class is starting to display evidence of their learning. Year 4 have been researching Roman standards and then each designed one to represent themselves.

Year 3 have got stuck into their Scrumdiddlyumptious topic taking part in the ‘Great Adel Bake Off’ today – no soggy bottoms in sight and results to be published next week!

Reception have settled in beautifully having now completed their second day together as a whole class. I spent lunchtime in the hall with them on Wednesday and it was a delight. Sat chatting with each other, they tucked into their lunch as though they had been with us for a term rather than 2 days.

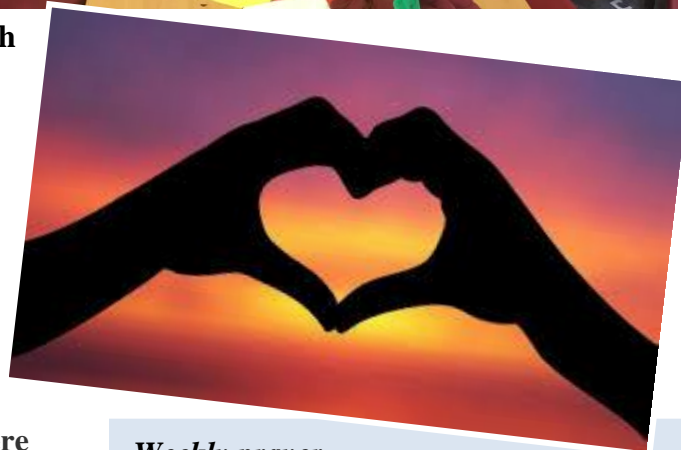
As you know, each half term we base our collective worship on Christian Values. The values for this half term are love and generosity. The school prayer is being said each afternoon in class.

The Collective Worship this week focused on the Christian Value of *Love*. It is a value everyone can identify with and the children were enthusiastic to share their suggestions of a love of people, things, places and food! Then we stopped to think about where we fit in – who loves us and how their love for us can stretch across the world.

I asked the question, do we sometimes take that love for granted? So my challenge was for the children to show their appreciation of those that show love to us – even small acts can tell someone we love and appreciate them.

Finally, today we say goodbye to Salahuddin who is starting his new school next week. We will all miss him and his lovely family - but I’m sure they will keep in touch to let us know how he is getting on.

Jane Hainsworth



Weekly prayer

Dear God,
We thank you for your love.
We thank you for all the people
who show love to us.
Please help us to spread more love
in the world by behaving in
loving ways.
Please help us to do something
every day to show people that
we care.
Amen.



The children are looking very smart in their uniforms. Please can we remind parents of the need to label their child’s clothing, this makes re-uniting children with their lost property much easier. Francis will continue putting any items out on the bench after school on a Friday.

World's Biggest Coffee Morning

Friday September 28th

We will be hosting this year's coffee morning on Friday 28th September in the school hall.

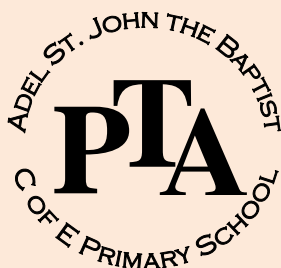
It is always a great opportunity for new parents to meet one another, other parents, teachers and staff, while raising funds for such a worthwhile charity. Last year we raised an amazing **£323.53** with the brilliant help of the PTA. Please put the date in your diary.



Wednesday 19th September PTA Meeting 7.30pm.

Please come along for an hour to see how you can help support our school fundraising events. September's Agenda will be:

- Fundraising requests
- Financial update
- Key yearly events – team delegation
- Back to school disco
- Macmillan Cancer Coffee Morning
- Bonfire/Fireworks Night
- Christmas Fayre
- AOB.



Congratulations

Last Saturday, Archie completed the Junior Great North. He raised an amazing £140 for The Dogs Trust. Well done to him on such a great achievement.

It is always wonderful to hear about the successes our children make out of school – it is even better when they also do this to support others in the process.

Community leaflets in school

Please feel free to call in and pick one up:

Keeping Football Fun – Carr Manor
Community School Ages 5 – 11

LSA – Dance and Gymnastics Classes

Reminder: Dinner money price increase

Please note that our school meals have increased in price from **£2.10** to **£2.15**.

| Autumn Term 1 | Autumn Term 2 |
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| 4 th Sept – 26 th Oct 2018 £83.85 | 5 th Nov – 21 st Dec 2018 £75.25 |



SUNDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER

5PM

IN THE OLD STABLES

Jesus heals a man
born blind

Come and see . . .



Attendance and Minutes Late Report

| Our target for whole school attendance is 97% - Whole school attendance last week was 98.18% | | | | | | | |
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| | Reception | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
| Attendance (4 th September 2018 – 7 th Sept 2018) | 96.67% | 99.55% | 98.75% | 98.33% | 99.58% | 96.67% | 96.67% |
| Minutes Late (4 th -7 th Sept 2018) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Number of children arriving between 9.00 - 9.05am (4 th -7 th Sept) | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

As we have highlighted on many occasions, attendance and punctuality are hugely important if children are to get the greatest benefit from their education in school. We do all that we can to encourage this and put into place strategies to bring about improvement.

The monitoring of good attendance and punctuality is displayed in school for the children to see how well they are achieving, as a school and as a class. This year Mrs Starkey and Mrs Whitehead (Learning Mentors) will be outside the main school entrance on Tuesday mornings to record, monitor children's lateness, and bring them in to school.



Golden Book Tuesday 11th September 2018 – this week's Golden Stars!

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| <i>Year 1 Staff Vote</i> | <i>Ben for settling in so well to our class.</i> |
| <i>Year 2 Staff Vote</i> | <i>The whole class for staying on green for ALL of the first week.</i> |
| <i>Year 3 Staff Vote</i> | <i>Nathan for contributing in lessons and doing everything asked for first time.</i> |
| <i>Year 3 Pupil Vote</i> | <i>Thomas for helping his partner in maths.</i> |
| <i>Year 4 Staff Vote</i> | <i>Adrian for making a great start at ASJ. He has shown an excellent attitude to learning.</i> |
| <i>Year 4 Pupil Vote</i> | <i>Perry for great improvements in his writing.</i> |
| <i>Year 5 Staff Vote</i> | <i>Joey for his effort and detail in his learning log.</i> |
| <i>Year 5 Pupil Vote</i> | <i>Lilli for her amazing drawing of Nelson Mandela.</i> |
| <i>Year 6 Staff Vote</i> | <i>Amy D for her holiday recount that impressed Mrs Fountain.</i> |
| <i>Year 6 Pupil Vote</i> | <i>Rosie for her high score in mental maths.</i> |

Dates for the Diary (New Dates added in red)

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| Monday 17 th September 2018 | All reception children start FULL TIME |
| Wednesday 19 th September 2018 | PTA Meeting – all welcome 7.30pm |
| Friday 21 st September 2018 | Back to school PTA disco Yrs 1,2,3 5-6pm Yrs 4,5,6 6:15 – 7:15pm |
| Saturday 22 nd September 2018 | Ralph Thoresby Open Day |
| Saturday 22 nd September 2018 | New Reception parents welcome event 5-7pm |
| Friday 28 th September 2018 | World's Biggest Coffee Morning for MacMillan Cancer Support |

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| Monday 1 st October 2018 | Prince Henry's Open Evening 6pm |
| Monday 1 st –Friday 5 th October | Year 6 Carlton Lodge Residential |
| Monday 15 th October 2018 | Parent appointment boards in school entrance |
| Tuesday 16 th October 2018 | Individual school photographs (<i>details to follow</i>) |
| Wednesday 17 th October 2018 | Year 4 Roman visitor in school |
| Thursday 18 th October 2018 | Year 3 York Chocolate Story visit |
| Thursday 18th October 2018 | Year 1 Kirkstall Abbey House Museum visit |
| Friday 19 th October 2018 | Whole school Harvest Festival 9.30am – <i>everyone welcome</i> |
| Tuesday 23 rd October 2018 | Parent consultation evening – all year groups |
| Wednesday 24 th October 2018 | Parent consultation evening – all year groups |
| Thursday 25 th October 2018 | NO After school football club |
| Friday 26 th October 2018 | Last day of Autumn term 1 |
| Monday 5th November 2018 | First day of Autumn term 2 |
| Wednesday 7 th November 2018 | Reception 2019 Open morning 9.30am |
| Monday 12 th November 2018 | Blue Monday – Anti Bullying Day |
| Thursday 22 nd November 2018 | Reception 2019 Open morning 9.30am |
| Wednesday 28th November 2018 | Year 6 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome |
| Friday 30 th November 2016 | Whole school walking to church – Advent – volunteers required |
| Friday 21st December 2018 | Christmas Collective Worship – all welcome |
| Friday 21st December 2018 | Carols around the tree – 2.45pm - All welcome |
| Thursday 10 th January 2019 | Reception 2019 Open afternoon 1.30pm |
| Wednesday 23 January 2019 | Year 4 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome |
| Wednesday 6th February 2019 | Year 5 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome |
| Wednesday 6th March 2019 | Year 3 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome |
| Wednesday 1st May 2019 | Year 2 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome |
| Wednesday 12 June 2019 | Year 1 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome |
| Thursday 2nd May 2019 | Whole school training day |