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29<sup>th</sup> March 2019.

Dear Parents / Carers,

## Congratulations to our Gold Star Children this week who are:

<u>Reception:</u> Lexi for improved confidence and independence.

- <u>Y1</u>: Spencer for fantastic descriptive writing.
- <u>Y2</u>: Tyler for great improvement in his handwriting and presentation.

<u>Y3:</u> Gabriella for showing fantastic knowledge in RE on our tour around the church.

Y4: Amelia for excellent improvement in arithmetic and reading test scores.

<u>Y5</u>: Mia for being a huge help in organising class liturgies

Y6: Harry for fantastic writing based on 'The Arrival'

Golden ticket winners: Will be drawn on Monday

## Thank you to the children who led their Class Liturgies: 27<sup>th</sup> March 2019

- R: Eddy and Janelle
- Y1: James
- Y2: Tyler and Lucas
- Y3: Kaiden, Roxanne and Jake
- Y4: Jermaine, Savannah and Freya
- Y5: Mia, Millie and Freya
- Y6: Harry, Daniel, Malachi and Antwon



**Reception class assembly:** thank you to all the parents and carers who joined us for Reception Class assembly. The children were amazing! Sorry it was a bit of a squash in the Sunshine Room, but more people joined us than anticipated.

**Y3 and Y4 Open Session:** will take place on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April. Please make sure you have returned the reply slip if you plan to join your child's class. Please note, unfortunately we cannot accommodate younger children due to limited classroom space.



Every Friday until Easter will be **Funday Friday**, with each week having a different theme.

A donation of **£1** per child for each day would be appreciated towards the stated charity. Information on the charities can be found on the school website.

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April** - wear **MAD** hair, proceeds for Mary's Meals. **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April** - dress as "**Bright as you Like**" and wear your Easter Bonnet – any money donated this week will go to School Fund.

Today we wore Odd Shoes for Father Hudson's and raised **£152.28** 

On Tuesday we were joined by Lucy Davies from Father Hudson's Care who explained the work that they do to help both young and old people as well as the homeless. The children now know who the money they brought to school today will help.



## Holy Week and Easter Assembly

Week beginning 8th April we will be holding "mini" assemblies every day, with one class leading a reflection:

**Monday** Y4 - Palm Sunday at 2.40pm **Tuesday** Y3 -The Last Supper at 2.40pm **Wednesday** Y5 - Agony in the garden and arrest of Jesus at 2.40pm

**Thursday** morning at 9.15am we will have a whole school assembly, with Y6 completing the Holy Week reflections with the Journey to Calvary. The assembly will then move to the celebration of Easter.



Children from Reception, Y1 and Y2 are invited to make an easter bonnet.



Children from Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 are invited to decorate an egg.

There will be a prize for the winner in each class.



**Dudley Catering Easter Competition:** the Catering Department are also running an Easter competition, again, there will be a prize for each class.

Reception, Class 1 and Class 2 - to complete an Easter Colouring Sheet

Class 3, Class 4, Class 5 & Class 6 – to design their own Easter Egg.

Entry forms for this competition will be given out next week – entries need to be returned to school by **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April**. Children will also need to have a school lunch on **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April** to be eligible to enter the competition.



**Bikeability Training for Yr 3 & Yr 5:** All consent forms for the cycle training that will take place after the Easter break need to be in school by **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April.** 



## **Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> April** Reception, Y1 and Y2 from 5.30pm to 6.30pm Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 from 6.45pm – 8pm.

Tickets are now on sale in school at £2 per child. For younger children, please put payment in a purse/wallet or named envelope – please do not give to money to staff on the doors in a morning.

**Easter Raffle:** Tickets are now on sale. Donations of any suitable prizes would be appreciated.

School menu: next week is Week 3

Enjoy your week – don't forget to put your clocks forward on Saturday night!



S. M. Mason.