



# Together We Grow With God



Autumn Term: Issue 4

Our Christian value this half term is **THANKFULNESS**

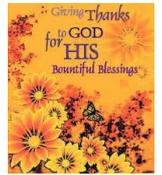
30th September 2016



*.... in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Jesus Christ for you. 1 Thessalonians 5:18*

## Harvest Festival

Thank you so much to our Year 4 children for their wonderful Harvest Service. It was lovely to see the church packed full with lots of our pupils and their families. The Year 4 children were brilliant, and I was really impressed by their confident delivery in front of all those people. A big thankyou also to Mrs Dearnley and her team who worked really hard to prepare and rehearse the service.



## ROCK FM

We were contacted by Rock FM this week. They are coming into school on FRIDAY next week to deliver an assembly to the children in Years 4,5 and 6. They will be talking to them about what it is like working for a radio station. A consent form will be sent home soon as they may use images of our children on their website. It sounds like a lot of fun for the children!

## Staff News



I am delighted to tell you that Mrs Oatridge has had her baby. A beautiful Boy! Seth weighed in at 4lb 12oz and mum a baby are doing well. Our congratulations to Mrs Oatridge and her

family.



A reminder that the 'Do-Jo' app is available to all parents and is excellent for assisting all communication with your child's class teacher. This includes making requests to see the teacher before or after school to discuss concerns or information you may need to pass on. It is a direct and much faster route for you to take.

Please sign and return the slip that is at the bottom of the Do-Jo letter that was sent out last week and make use of this excellent facility. Thank you.

## Bikeability



## This Weeks House Winners Are:

**MYTHOP!**

Well done children



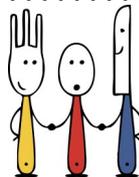
## Netball

The girls first fixture was at AKS which, unfortunately, they lost A Team 6-2 and B Team 13-1. The girls all played really well and showed great sportsmanship.



## Football

The team's first fixture was at AKS. They lost the first game 2-1 and won the second game 9-0. The team played really well and showed great sportsmanship.



Thank you to all those of you who have already completed the Free School Meals form which was sent out last week. This will be of great benefit to all the children in school.

## P.E.



All children should now have their PE kit in school. PE kit consists of green shorts, white round neck t-shirt with school logo and black Velcro pumps. All kit should be clearly labelled with your child's name. PE kit should be kept in school in a drawstring bag and taken home at half term for washing. Thank you.



## Attendance

Our whole school attendance for last week was **97%**

The class with the highest attendance was **Rec and Rec/Y1 with 100% - AGAIN!!**

**FANTASTIC!**

## Congratulations to all our Stars of the Week

- ★ **Rec.** James For always being so polite.  
 ★ Poppy For always taking the time to be kind and helpful to her friends.
- ★ This week we did PE for the very first time. It was very exciting. We tried really hard to do our buttons and get changed. Miss Harter was very impressed
- ★ **Rec/Y1** Isabella For settling into school so well.  
 ★ Matthew For trying really hard in handwriting.
- ★ This week we have been learning about patterns. Making patterns of our own and extending patterns Making links to number patterns, counting in twos and tens.
- ★ **Y1/2** Sophie For fantastic maths.  
 ★ Morgan For brilliant hopping and jumping skills in PE.
- ★ This week we have been learning a Harvest song in Class Worship.
- ★ **Y2** Jupiter For working hard all the time.  
 ★ Evie For being a superstar all the time
- ★ This week we have learning to measure using centimetres and metres.
- ★ **Y3** Max For always putting 100% effort into all his work!  
 ★ Elsa For always setting a super example by following our Christian Values at all times.
- ★ This week we have been learning how to measure the perimeter of 2D shapes.
- ★ **Y4** Everyone who took part in our Harvest Service: For doing such a great job!
- ★ This week we have been learning how to round numbers to the nearest 10, 100, 1000 and the nearest whole number
- ★ **Y5** Faith For a positive attitude.  
 ★ Dylan For 100% effort following class rules.
- ★ This week we have been learning further maths challenges for calculation methods and gathering content for science-fiction writing.
- ★ **Y6** Leah For super Maths and English.  
 ★ Katie For persevering in Maths.
- ★ This week we have been learning about Orsen Well's 'War of the Worlds'.

### School Library



We are in the process of updating the books in our lovely new library and have lots of books that don't 'meet the grade'. Rather than throw the books away we thought we could sell them for 10p per book to the children and buy new shelf signage with the proceeds. The librarians will be selling books each lunchtime in the school library for the next few weeks as we work our way through the shelves.



We would also be very grateful for any donations of fiction and non-fiction books - particularly KS2 age - that are in excellent condition. Thank you!

### Diary Dates

Fri 7th Oct	10:45am	- Rock FM Assembly for Years 4, 5 and 6
Tue 11th Oct	1:30pm	- Open Afternoon for Reception 2017 parents
Wed 19th Oct	9:15am	- <b>NB: Y6 Class Assembly - CANCELLED DUE TO CLASH WITH BIKEABILITY</b> - new date to be confirmed.
“	“	4:00-6:30pm - Parents Evening - please do not bring children with you on this occasion
Thu 20th Oct	4:00-6:30pm	- Parents Evening - please do not bring children with you on this occasion
<b>Fri 28th Oct</b>	<b>3:30pm</b>	- <b>School Closes for half term</b>
<b>Mon 7th Nov</b>	<b>8:55am</b>	- <b>School Opens</b>
Wed 9 <sup>th</sup> Nov	9:15am	- Y5 Class Assembly - Y5 parents welcome to join us

