



# Scotforth St Paul's C of E Primary & Nursery School

"Let faith be your shield"

Newsletter 31 Friday 11th May 2018

## MISSION STATEMENT

We seek to follow the example and teaching of Jesus by:

- ensuring every member of the school is valued and cared for as a member of God's family;
- providing the best education possible so that all pupils are enabled to reach their full potential in every aspect of life.

### Help Needed

We are currently having problems with one of our classroom telephones due to internal cabling. Is there a parent who could help us? Please contact the office as soon as possible if you can help. Many thanks.

### Congratulations!

Congratulations to our wonderful lacrosse team who all played brilliantly at this weeks' tournament. We came joint third and all were a credit to our school! Well done to everyone.

A huge thank you to Mrs Jackson, James' grandma and Rose's grandma for saving the day and providing transport on the day. Thank you all.

### 'Royal Wedding Picnic Lunch'

A reminder that this is on Thursday, 17th May and there will be no hot dinner available.

### Junior Reading Challenge

Before Easter the children in Years 3-6 were given a reading Bingo Challenge sheet. These are due back by **18th May**. There will be prizes for anyone who can complete at least 10 of the challenges! (See the office if you want a replacement sheet.)

### School Photos

You should have all received the recent class photos - check school bags if you haven't! Please return all orders by **Tuesday, 22nd May**.

### Scholastic Book Club

You should have received a brochure last week—please check with your child. Orders need to be back by **Friday 18th May**. You can order either by sending in the slip from the brochure or directly from Scholastic via the internet—<http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/scotforth-st-pauls-cep>.

For every £1 spent, school receives 25p towards new books.

### Nursery

We will be making our own instruments on Thursday, please could you send in boxes, card, junk to enable us to this. Many thanks.

## ★ Scotforth Superstars ★

Name	Nominated by	Nominated for
Ella Jackson	Miss Armer	Always being kind and helpful
Isabelle Percival	Miss Armer	Excellent work on sharing amounts into equal groups
Robin Charlton-Green	Miss Armer	Trying really hard during phonics lessons
Charlie Jackson Mal Powers Yvie Walker	Miss Armer	Excellent ideas and leadership skills when choreographing own dance routines
Henry Bowers	Mrs Boyle	Excellent knowledge in science
Anya Kornas	Mrs Boyle	A super performance poem

### Kitchen Trophy Winner

"For Good Manners at Lunchtime"

Congratulations to Kelsey-Jo Keenan . Well done

**Awards will be presented during our celebration assembly on Friday, 18th May at 2.45pm**

**All welcome.**

Celebration Topics for this term:

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|---------------------------|------------------------|
| 18th May - Uniform groups | 29th June - Uniform    |
| 25th May - Class          | 6th July - Class       |
| 8th June - Sport/Arts     | 13th July - Sport/Arts |
| 15th June - Class         | 20th July - Church     |
| 22nd June - Arts/Sports   |                        |

### Reception

In maths we will be learning about time and days of the week. To support your child at home you can talk about what day of the week it is. In literacy we will be creating information posters about a sea creature of our choice.

**Wanted:** boxes, plastic tubs, etc, as we will be making boats next week. Many thanks.

### Mad Science

There are still places available this term, a minimum of 15 children are needed for it to run (only 12 up to now). You can register your child online at <http://afterschool.madsciencenw.com/> on a first come, first serve basis. If you have any problems or queries with booking please call Mad Science directly on 01772 628844. If enough children sign up the club will run from 18th May to 13th July. Mad Science will contact those who have signed up directly as to whether the club will be running or not.

### Year 6 Parents

There will be a meeting for Year 6 parents about the 'End of Year Party' at the Boot and Shoe on Monday, 14th May at 7.30pm. All Year 6 parents are welcome.

### Year 5—Lockerbie Manor

Please note the balance is due by Friday, 8th June. This can be paid using Scopay or bringing a cheque/cash to the office.

### Summer Fair

Thank you to all the parents who came to the Summer fair meeting. We have lots of new ideas. If any parents know someone who would like to hire a stall let us know. At the office there is a list of companies that we are approaching for raffle prizes. If you feel able to help with contacting any of them please sign up on the sheet.

Next meeting: Monday, 14th May at 3.15pm in the Hall – everyone welcome.

### GDPR and the Newsletter

Due to the new regulations coming into effect from 25th May 2018 we need to get your permission to keep your contact details on our mailing list. If you would like to remain on the Newsletter mailing list, please reply to this email saying "I agree". If you don't reply, we have to delete your name and email address from our mailing list, and you will no longer receive the Newsletter after the half-term break.

### LOST PROPERTY

**Going forward we will only keep un-named items for a maximum of 2 weeks and then if not claimed they will be passed to charity. It is therefore essential that ALL items of clothing or any other property brought to school is named. Many thanks.**

### COMMUNITY NOTICES

Please see attached posters for various activities around the area.

### Diary Dates

KS2 SATS:	Week beginning Monday 14th May
Half Term:	Friday 25th May school closes Monday 4th June school open
Inset Day:	Monday 18th June (school closed)
Sports Days:	KS1 Tuesday 19th June 9.30 am KS2 Wednesday 20th June 9.30 am
Summer Fair:	Friday 6th July 5-6.30 pm
Close for Summer:	Friday 20th July

### Cricket Clubs

Mrs Cross will be starting Cricket Club on Thursdays from 3.10-4.10pm from Thursday, 24th May. She will also run a one-off Friday Club on Friday, 18th May. If you would like to join places are allocated on a 'first come, first serve' basis.

Please complete the slip and return to school as soon as possible to ensure a place.

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Child's name \_\_\_\_\_

Would like to take part in:

Thursday's cricket club/Friday One-off club (please circle)

Parent/Carer \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Friend of Dorrington Woods and Play Park,

There have been a number of issues in the woods recently, including fires, trees being damaged and even stolen (8 of new ones that the group planted in March).

If you see anything of concern, such as fires/damage etc. and if you feel happy and safe to do so, please try and talk to the miscreants to explain the damage they are causing.

Alternatively/in addition to this, please contact the PCSO/Police and the City Council (details below) copying in the committee or telling us what has happened. This way, situations can be dealt with sooner.

Thank you for your help with this, if we all keep an eye out, we are hoping that we can reduce these issues. The committee are also working on other ways to try and keep the woods safe too.

Best wishes,

Abi, Sharon and Hilary

**Contact details**

**PCSOs**

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**Non Emergency Police - 101**

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