

THE COMMUNICATOR



St. Paul's
C.E. Primary School
Learning Together

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I hope that everyone has now settled into their new classes and have got back into the school day routine! I am pleased to announce that we have chosen our new Head Boy and Head Girl. Congratulations to Joshua Heseltine and Courtney Brannan and the Deputy Head Boy and Girl, Rajveer Gill and Evanna Diallo. A big well done to all the children who have become school prefects and have taken on other jobs within school.

Please take the time to check out the dates on the diary sheet as there are some important items coming up.

School closes
for October half
term

Friday 20
October 2017
at 3.15pm and
reopens on
Monday
30 October
2017
8.45am

Driving and Parking around school.

Once again it is becoming very apparent that a number of people are still not taking care when dropping their children off at school. We have again received several complaints from both concerned parents and local residents of bad parking practices both in the morning and at afternoon pick up time. Please be aware that wardens will be patrolling the area on an adhoc basis and therefore tickets will be issued if you are seen by them. Also if you use a taxi service to get to school ,please ask them not to drop off at the school entrance. We have always had a very good relationship with the community and are very disappointed that this is becoming a big issue.

Please be respectful of other people and DO NOT use the area in front of school as a drop off point.

Thank you

Harvest Festival

This year our Harvest service will be held on Thursday 12 October at 9.00am. This will be held in St Paul's Church.

All parents and guardians are invited to attend this service to celebrate the harvest festival with school. Children must arrive in school at the normal time of 8.45am as they will be registered and taken over to church with their classes. Parents and guardians that wish to attend are asked to make their own way over to church for 9.00am.

This year, we are continuing to support the St Paul's Church Food Bank and all donations will be passed on to this great cause that works to help families in our community.

We ask that harvest donations contain packets of dry food (including long life milk) and tins.

Please note, food parcels should be brought into school on Thursday 12 October 2017 to be taken to church for the Harvest festival service





Reading challenge

Summer seems a long distant memory. Over the summer several of St Paul's children took part in the summer reading challenge run by Bradford Library Services. Congratulations to those who took part and those who completed the challenge. Remember we learn to read so that we can read to learn

Welcome

We would like to welcome our new Reception Children and their families to St Paul's. Everyone has settled in well and we look forward to getting to know everyone better as they start their journey at St Paul's.



Ready Willing and Able Open Morning

Thank you to all those parents who came to the coffee morning. It was good to see so many of you and we hope you found it helpful and informative.

For those who were unable to attend, the key issues discussed were:

Curriculum –details of what we must teach your child each academic year can be found in the “About our School” - “Curriculum area” of our website.

Handwriting –School will be piloting a cursive approach for all children this year. Correct pencil hold is particularly important to ensure children can join their handwriting clearly.

Communication—If parents/guardians have any concerns about their child's education, we ask that you initially discuss these with their class teacher in order that a swift solution can be found. If we are unaware of a problem ,we cannot deal with it!”



This year

BBBC Children in Need's Big

SPOTACULAR

is back

Don't forget to put the date in your diary

Non-Uniform day - Friday 17 November



Stars of the Week

Reception

Ava Kondri
Louey Hill

Year 1

Whole class
Joules Hall
Callum Siggers
Dylan Diamond
Mikayl Ditta

George Barry

Year 2

Amos Ward
Isobel Fairhurst
Phoebe Tynan
Oliver Dolan

Year 3

Cole Sutcliffe
Kian McGlenn
Faith Shaw
Max Higgins

Year 4

Kacper Makarewicz
Priestley Joseph
Millie Brown
Kaitlin Newman

Year 5

Brooklynne Race
Harry Fox
Shay Hawkes
Matilda Holmes
Sam Metcalf

Year 6

Amber Newell
Adam Safiyanik
Anthony Hague
Joshua Keegan

Information

Attendance

**The class with the highest
attendance this week**

Reception Class

Family Points

The winner family trophy this week is

Venus

Well done!

Year 5 have swimming
every Tuesday and should
bring their swimming kit.

Reminder that all KS2
children should now have
their outdoor PE kit in
school.

PE Rota

Reception: **Monday**

Year 1: **Friday**

Year 2: **Friday**

Year 3: **Wednesday**

Year 4: **Wednesday**

Year 5: **Thursday**

Year 6: **Tuesday**

After School Clubs

Monday	Christian Club
	Multi Sport
	Art
Tuesday	Dance Challenge
	Homework
Wednesday	Gymnastics
	Cooking
Thursday	Business & Enterprise
	Film
Friday	Drama



Dates for your dairy

October

- 6 Year 6 visit Whitby
- 12 Harvest Festival 9.00am in the church Parents welcome
- 15 Harvest Service in Church 10.30am All welcome
- 19 Year 4 visit to York's Chocolate Story
- 20 School Closes
- 30 School Re-opens
- 31 Parents evening 3.30-6.30

November

- 1 Parents evening 3.30-6.30
- 13 Anti bullying week

December

- 1 Christmas Fair 3.15 in school
- 4 Carols for church O.A.P's 2.00pm
- 11 Christmas dinner: Reception, Year 1 and Year 2
- 12 Christmas dinner: Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6
- 13 Class Parties
- 14 Carol concert– whole school 9.00am and 2.00pm
- 15 School Closes

Church Services for our local community

For Children

After School Christian Club: every Monday of school term,
3.15pm (for 3.45) - 4.30pm

Toddlers Group: every Tuesday of school term, from 9.30am -
11.30am

Rainbows, Brownies & Guides: meet weekly during school terms

For Adults

Food Bank 'Open Place of Welcome': every Monday 1.00pm - 3.00pm
and Wednesday 10.30am - 12.30pm

Job Club: Every Wednesday 1.00pm - 3.00pm

Computers Access: Every Monday 1.00pm - 3.00pm and Wednesday
1.00pm - 3.00pm

St Paul's CE Church

Priest in Charge; Revd Thierry Guillemin– 01274 676359

www.achurchnearyou.com/wibsey-st-paul

1/10/17	9.15	Holy Communion
	10.30	Family Service
8/10/17	9.15	Holy Communion
	10.30	Family Service
15/10/17	9.15	Holy Communion
	10.30	Family Service Harvest Festival
22/10/17	9.15	Holy Communion
	10.30	Family Service