

# We are responsible, respectful, reflective, honest, thankful and we persevere.

# Newsletter - 20<sup>th</sup> October 2017

#### Dear Parents,

Wow - I can't believe we are at the end of our first half term already! The children have had a wonderful enrichment week this week and the school has smelt of freshly baked bread and home cooked soup all week! Thank you to all those who donated to the Harvest Festival and to those that come to the church service. I am sure that you will agree that the children sang, danced and recited beautifully. Events like this, when the children stand up and perform always make me feel so very proud of our school.

Apologies that we had to take the decision, today, to cancel the Cross country event. I know that a lot of the children were very disappointed but, as I am sure that you understand, we have to put the safety of the children first.

We hope to rearrange this event for later in the year when hopefully the weather will be a little better. Key Stage 2 children have run some shorter races today in order for Mr Metters and the class teachers to select children to compete in the pyramid event on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November. Further details will be sent to you should your child be selected.

Thank you for your understanding.

A huge thank you for all of your donations to our Macmillan coffee morning and to all those who came and had a drink and a slice of cake with us. We are very proud to say that we managed to raise a huge £297.08 for Macmillan. Thank you to Mrs Wright for organising the event.

Well done to Mrs Amanda Winter who won the "Guess the height of the cake" competition by guessing the closest at 92cm – just 2cm off it's actual 94cm height! Well done!

#### PARENT FORUM.

We will be holding a Parent Forum meeting on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November at 6pm. This meeting is open to all parents and is a chance to questions or give feedback about anything that is happening in school. It also gives me the chance to share with you, the School Development plan for the year and

any upcoming events that are happening. Please note that issues regarding individual children or classes cannot be raised at the Parent Forum and should be addressed to the class teachers directly.

PARKING AT THE CHURCH HALL The Church office have asked that you please park considerately when using the Church Hall car park. Please do not use the parking spaces which are marked as "No parking." These are used by Church officials and visitors to the Church offices and are required at all times. HOUSE POINTS JUPITER- 2084 NEPTUNE-2083 EARTH- 1497 MARS- 1540

### MATHS WORKSHOPS

#### HOLY TRINITY CHURCH HARVEST FESTIVAL

Advance notice! Mr Andrews will be holding Parent only workshops to help you to fully understand the Maths curriculum and how it is delivered in school. KS2 (Y3-6) Monday 6th Nov 6-7pm REC/KS1 (YR-2) Monday 13<sup>th</sup> Nov 6-7pm (Please note that we will not be able to accommodate children in school on this occasion) The Church will be having it's family Harvest Festival this Sunday at 11am. This is the first opportunity to hear the junior choir performing and I know that they would appreciate as much support as possible!

## A QUICK REMINDER THAT DINNER MONEY NEEDS TO BE PAID BY THE WEDNESDAY PRIOR TO THE WEEK THAT YOU ARE ORDERING. THANK YOU

Thank you for your continued support and have a lovely half term break Mrs Clare Bishop