



'Growing together at the Heart of God's Community'

11th January 2019 - Our "Value for life" is Love

Love never fails. Corinthians 13:8



Head Teacher's Hello:

Happy New Year to all. We are all excited about the school council drive to make us all healthy eaters, I am certainly putting myself down for a slice of toast just the thing as it's so cold!

I must admit I am also very partial to a rice cake or crackers. Well done school council for representing your class thoughts and ideas. Another first happened this week where I had to create the first whole class certificate to send home to parents to notify them that their children were fantastic. I had so many compliments about Class 3 from staff and visitors to school that they not only deserved that, but a Golden Ticket. Can I also just make a personal appeal if we have any parents or grandparents, that would come into school one afternoon (even just for an hour) to hear readers. It would be great for the children to appreciate reading with others. Remember our door is always open for any questions or concerns. Mrs Mowbray.



Staff Car Park/Disabled Parking – Please note the staff car park is purely for staff and disabled users. The reason we leave the car park gate open is so the car park can be easily accessed by disabled users who are visiting the school. We have noticed lots of parents are using the car park which is impacting on our disabled access. Please note no children should be crossing the car park this is an acute safety issue.



Snack – You will all have received letters this week regarding the introduction of tasty tuck and healthy snack. From 21st January we will be offering healthy snacks to our Year 1 to Year 6 children. Please make sure you sign up asap via ParentPay for your children to access.



Holiday List - Please find attached the holiday list. Please be aware of the dates for this academic year. Please be aware of the school holidays prior to booking your holidays. Term time holidays are not allowed.



Plea for Recycled Games and Toys - Please can I ask if you are having a post Christmas clear out of any games and toys that your children no longer play with that are in good condition. Please can I ask if you will recycle them to After School Club. The children will be delighted to play with new games and toys.



Free Film Night – Ice Age 3 – Welcome to all. The film will be at Glazebury Methodist on Saturday 12th January from 6.15pm to 7.45pm. You are welcome to bring some nibbles.

Mid-day/Play Assistant Vacancy – We have a Mid-day/Play Assistant vacancy to join our mid-day team. If you are interested or know anyone who may be interested please ask them to contact the school office.

Pupil Premium/Free School Meals – If you're personal circumstances change and you feel your child might be entitled to pupil premium/free school meals please speak with the school office who will guide you through the process.

Admissions

Admissions – Community Schools in Warrington are proposing to make changes to their admission arrangements for pupils joining from September 2020. Please visit the Council's website for more information. Proposed arrangements for admission to our school are available to view or download from our website. For a paper copy, please speak to the school office.

The consultation period runs from 6 December 2018 until 31 January 2019.



Nut Free School – Please remember we are a nut free school. Please don't send any products containing nuts to school in lunch boxes or snacks. Thanks in advance.

After School Club

Come along to our exciting After School Club where you can have fun with your friends or relax and read a book. A light snack is served and the activities we have planned for the first week back from half term as follows:

Day	Focus Task	Also Available
Monday	I Pads / Computers	Reading in the reading shed, colouring, outdoor games
Tuesday	Badminton in the Hall	Lego, Cars, Top Trumps, Pool
Wednesday	Baking/Cooking	Giant Jenga, Board games, Just Dance, Art & Crafts
Thursday	Storytelling with Mrs Cunningham	Small World Play, Giant Bubbles, Pool, Outdoor Activities
Friday	Film Night	Giant Snakes & Ladders, construction, board games
Every afternoon session children will be supported with their homework & reading		

Whole school attendance so far this academic year is 96.18%
Glazebury School attendance target is 96%

Attendance for Week Commencing 7th January 2019

Mrs Prescott - Reception attendance	100% Well Done
Mr Snelson - Year 1 attendance	91.50%
Mr Snelson - Year 2 attendance	98.52%
Mrs Goman- Year 3 attendance	87.88%
Mrs Goman- Year 4 attendance	96.58%
Mrs Lees-Smith - Year 5 attendance	97.66%
Mrs Wall - Year 6 attendance	98.52%

Good Learning Behaviour

Max R

For working very hard when writing this week! Well done

Lucie

Great concentration and effort in all of our lessons

Oliver

For his excellent attitude, hard work and effort

Max S

For settling in really well and have a positive attitude to his work

Merit Award

Grace

For being very grown up and helpful

Owen

Excellent independent sentence writing

Angelica

For starting 2019 with enthusiasm and a great work ethic

Cameron

For settling in well and applying himself to his work



Golden Ticket Winners:



Class 1: Everyone! Settled back into school well and working hard all week

Class 2: Everyone! Joseph, Riley, Sophia x 2

Class 3: Everyone! Katie, William V, Emma, Angelica, Marton, Harrison, Oliver H x 2

Class 4: Amelia, Archie, Charlie W, Chloë, Faith S, Charles, Emmie, Eva, Harriet, Loretta, Sam, William, Zac, Bethan