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## The British Legion Outstanding Achievement Award

Mr Michael Turner, the Poppy Appeal area co-ordinator, came into school on Monday to present us with our second Outstanding Achievement Award. This is in recognition for the impressive amount of money that we raised for their Poppy Appeal during November 2017... Just over £400!!

Well done to everyone who bought a poppy - or some poppy wrist bands etc.

## The TARDiS Barbarians (TARDiS = Tarleton and Rural DIstrict Schools)

Last night, a team made up from Y5 and 6 players from our cluster of schools - who we called the TARDiS Barbarians, took on a team made up from players from the Skelmersdale schools (SHARES). It was organised by Mr Upton, the Head at TCP - but the players were coached by our very own Mr Skinner.

Please read the email below that Mr Upton circulated last night after the match...

"Just a quick email to let you know that the TARDiS Barbarians were successful in their quest against a SHARES football team impressively winning 14 - 5.

Despite the win, they all had an amazing attitude, supported each other and played with smiles on their faces and were fantastic ambassadors to their schools and the TARDiS area. I have told them that I will ask their headteachers if they could have a week off homework. Parents really positive too.

I just wanted to thank Chris Skinner from THT (cc'd into this email) from all the TARDiS heads for giving his time to the project and to all our children. It is really appreciated - Chris has been a fantastic role model to our children. Thank you."

## Mrs Willingham is leaving us for a while...

Mrs Willingham (and Mr Willingham) are soon to be fostering a six month old girl...with a view to adopting her in the near future. Mrs Willingham therefore leaves us today and will return in about 9 months' time. We wish her, Mr Willingham and the 'little one' all the very best for the future!!

## Celebration Worship

Last Friday was our first Celebration Worship of the Summer term!! Well done to all the children who made it to my bench!! They were:

Reception	Isabelle
Year 1	Idris
Year 2	Jonah and Oakly
Year 3	Harry and Maisy
Year 4	Daniel and Thomas
Year 5	Nathan
Year 6	Emily

## Our Worship Theme for this Week is...

Easter People - the Hands of Jesus

## Team Point Winners

Last week's winners - Asland



### Attendance Figures

During the week just before the Easter Break, 168 (out of 181) of our children managed to achieve 100% attendance. During the same week five pupils were late for at least one session of school.

...and well done to Mrs Hewertson's Reception Class and Mrs Birkby's Year 1 Class who were the joint Best Attending Classes of the week!!

### Mr Marshall's Tri Golf Club

(Golf club...get it??)

Look out for a letter coming to soon for Mr Marshall's Tri Golf Club which is due to start next Friday.

### Year 4 Class Worship

Next Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> April, there will not be a Celebration Worship as it is the turn of Year 4 to 'perform' a Class Worship for you. As usual all parents, carers and family members are invited to watch all our Friday Worships, however, if you are a parent/carer/family member of a Year 4 pupil, we would like to especially invite you into school to watch the Year 4 Class Worship. It will take place in the school hall, starting at 2.55pm lasting until the end of school. Please take a seat at the back of the hall if you can join us!!

### Other Sporting Updates at THT:

Some sporting fixtures for your diary:

Cross country for Years 5/6 on 20th April

Year 3/4 tennis on 24th April

Relay for Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 on 26th April

More details regarding the events etc. will come to you nearer the time.



### Computer Keyboards mice and Monitors

A cheeky request from Mrs Seeley:

... some of our monitors etc. are getting a bit old. If you (or someone you know) have access to any computer hardware, i.e. monitors, mice or keyboards (preferably USB connected), new or reconditioned... and could donate them to school - it would be very much appreciated!! Thanks.

### Our Summer Dates for your diary

This year we added all the important dates to the diary at the beginning of the academic year.

We have recently updated our dates for the Summer Term 2018. To view them, please click [here](#) or go to <http://tarletonholyltrinity.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/Calender-Summer-2018-for-parents.pdf>

Please be aware that some dates may change during the term.

Thanks for reading...yours sincerely,

Stephen B. Smith  
(Headteacher)

### Did you know...

Have you seen the sign on Coe Lane -calling it 'Pothole Lane'.

Then I thought...where does the term 'Pothole' come from??

One website says, 'When times got tough, potters couldn't afford to buy clay to make their pots, so they dug holes in the road down to the layer of that thick clay and stole it. In the morning, when the Teamsters drove by, and nearly wrecked the wagons in the holes, they cursed those damn Potters and the potholes that they made.'