

# Tarleton Holy Trinity Church of England (Aided) Primary School

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### Year 4's Class Worship

Are you free this Friday (19<sup>th</sup> May) at 2.55pm?? - If so, it is the turn of Year 4 to 'perform' their Class Worship. All parents, carers and family members are invited...just come and take a seat at the back of the hall!! (Please note that this is a change from the original calendar...it was going to be Year 3's Worship but Mr Skinner is on a course on Friday.)

### Celebration Worship

Last Friday was a very busy Celebration Worship with lots of certificates to look at that the children brought in, and of course the Scarecrow Festival prizes that were given out. Well done to all the children who made it to my bench last Friday, they were:

Reception	Lucy
Year 1	Niall
Year 2	Ava and Maisy
Year 3	Alfie and Eve
Year 4	Brandon
Year 5	Finlay
Year 6	All Year 6

Our Worship Theme for this Week is...
Christian Aid Week

## Team Point Winners

Last week's winners - Ribble

### Attendance Figures

During last week, 161 (out of 172) of our children managed to achieve 100% attendance. During the same week four pupils were late for at least one session of school.

...and well done to Mr Marshall's class who were the Best Attending Classes of the week...no one was off so 100%!!

#### School Lunches

Next week (the week beginning 22<sup>nd</sup> May) is week 3 of the cycle. Now that we have been through the cycle of the menu and found out what the children of THT like (and don't like)...we have made slight alterations to the advertised menu. Changes for week three: Janet is adding a Hot Beef Roll to the Wednesday menu. As usual, in addition to the advertised meals - the children can choose a jacket potato on the day or there is a choice of 3 sandwiches (ham, cheese or tuna) which can be booked in advance, online via ParentPay.

#### Sainsbury's Active Vouchers

A reminder that Sainsbury's has now stopped 'giving out' their vouchers when you do your shopping at their Supermarket. Please rummage through your pockets, handbags and kitchen drawers to see if you have vouchers in there and then send them into school...you have until the 30<sup>th</sup> June - after that, we can count how many we have got and then place our order with their catalogue for equipment we can 'buy'. Thanks!!

### Half Term Holiday

...an early reminder that next Friday (26<sup>th</sup> May), we break up for our two week May Half Term. We finish at 3.25/3.30pm and then return to school on **Monday 12th June** at 8.55am with the doors opening at the usual time of 8.45am. Let's hope that the sun is shining!!











Last week our Year 3/4 boys and girls cross country teams both won gold at the recent district championships...with Alexa in Year 3 winning Silver in the girl's individual race and Callum B won bronze in the boy's. This adds to the gold that the Year 5/6 girls won in the Autumn term. We are just going from strength to strength this year!!

### 2017 Parent Questionnaire Findings...

During the Spring Parent's evening in April I asked as many of you as I could to complete a Questionnaire voicing your views on the school. In total we had 134 replies.

This is the first 'instalment' of what the results told us, and what we need to work on to make THT an even better school than it already is ...

Four Questions which I asked you on the Questionnaire had answers which 100% of you agreed with...and you can't get any better than that!!

#### These were:

- The school keeps my child safe (Q2)
- Teaching is Good at THT (Q5)
- The school is led and managed effectively (Q11) and
- I would recommend THT to others (Q16)

Keep looking at the next few Newsletters to see the results from other questions!!

Thanks for reading...yours sincerely,

Stephen B. Smith (Headteacher)

# Did you know...

The modern English alphabet is a Latin-based alphabet consisting of 26 letters - the same letters that are still found in today's Latin alphabet!!...and yet they make 44 recognised sounds when you start to blend them together!