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Open Day - Wednesday 17th October 2018

What are you doing tomorrow?? It is our Open Day!! Some of our Pupils and Governors will be on hand to show anyone round who wants to visit our school. The main aim of the afternoon is to show any prospective parents and our existing parents / carers all the good things that go on at Tarleton Holy Trinity CE Primary School. So if you would like to come and see us, we are opening our doors from 1.30 to 3.15pm with the children in class, and from 5.30 to 7.00pm with just the staff. Don't forget...see you tomorrow!!

Harvest Festival

Last Friday morning we had a lovely celebration of Harvest in church - with the church full of children, staff, parents and family members. The children led us through a wonderful service 'top and tailed' by Father Tom. Thank you for all the gifts which were sent in...they have filled two window sills and two pews at the back of the church. Mr Marshall says that he has never seen as much food collected at THT!! These will be sent to the NW Foodbank next week and some of Year 6 will be helping to sort the food at the Foodbank distribution centre.

School Photographs by MyFoto

Hopefully the Photo proofs from MyFoto came home to you last week. The photos can be ordered on line - using the code on each proof. The shipping for the photos is free - up until 21st October and photos will be dispatched to school. After this date, parents will then pay postage and photos will be delivered to homes. I've had a quick look through and think they look wonderful. One of our Year 6 girls said that it was the best school photo she has ever had!!

Bog Eyed Jog

Please send in your Sponsor Money as soon as possible...as a famous supermarket advert goes...'every little helps'!!

House Captains

Many of the children in Year 6 have been preparing posters and speeches for their application to be a House Captain for 2018/19. Last week they delivered their speeches and the voting then took place. I listened to half of the speeches and I think that they are the best that we've had in a long time!! Well done to everyone who 'gave it a go'...but very well done to our new House Captains who are:

Asland	Chloe P and Cameron
Douglas	Anastasia and Daniel
Ribble	Grace and Thomas
Yarrow	Caitlin and Nathan

They will be presented with their House Captain Badges during this Friday's Celebration Worship.

A final reminder for Mrs Flowers' Conker Competition

This is the third year that Mrs Flowers has run her competition...where you need to search for the heaviest conker you can find...

You can enter up to 3 conkers for £1. Simply put your conkers in a bag with your name and entry money and hand to Mrs Flowers by **Friday 19th October**. There are prizes for Infant and Junior winners.

REMEMBER - it's the HEAVIEST conker not the biggest that wins!



Celebration Worship

We had another lovely Celebration Worship last Friday!! Well done those children who made it to the bench, they were:

Reception	Jenson
Year 1	Harvey
Year 2	Emily and Isaac
Year 3	Maisie
Year 4	Amelia
Year 5	Esmé
Year 6	Edward

Our Worship Theme for this Week is...

God's Big Story- The Bible Frieze

Team Point Winners

Last week's winners - Douglas

Are You Applying for School/Academy Places for September 2019??

Do you have a child who has a 4th birthday between 1st September 2018 and 31st August 2019, or is his/her last year of Primary School from 1st September 2018?? - then for Lancashire resident families you need to apply for a school place, even if an older brother or sister is already attending your preferred school/academy.

The means of application is via Lancashire's on-line system at:-

www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools (then click on "Apply for a school place")

This already went live on 3rd September 2018. It is quick and easy to use and offers an e-mail receipt of all submitted applications. Please ensure that you hit the "submit" button when you are ready to send in your completed on-line application. If you live in Lancashire you can include out of area preferences on your on-line application.

The closing dates for applications for September 2019 are at 11-59 pm on:-

Secondary school applications - 31st October 2018

Primary school applications - 15th January 2019

Nasal Flu Vaccination

On Thursday 25th October the nurses will be in school to deliver this year's nasal flu vaccine to the children in Reception class and Years 1 to 5. Please make sure that your consent forms are in school ASAP if you would like your child to be vaccinated this year.

Attendance Figures

During last week, 163 (out of 183) of our children managed to achieve 100% attendance - they didn't miss one day of school!! The 'best attending class of the week' was, once again, Mrs Warburton's Class with one child being off for just one day - well done Year 3!! During the same week three children were late for just one session of school!!

We need the bottoms off bottles please!

Hopefully you saw the communication that came out to you earlier this week:

Our Worship and Justice Group have planned out a design for a WW1 Anniversary Memorial in our Outside Worship and Reflection Area.

This will be a wave of poppies and Mrs Williamson has kindly agreed to help us put it together.

We are hoping that every child in school will produce at least one poppy which will form part of the wave.

The poppies are made from the bottoms of plastic drinks bottles.

In order for us to have enough resources in school, we would be grateful if children could bring in the following items.

- * The bottom of plastic bottles (Please cut off to about 4 to 5 cm.)
- * Red nail varnish
- * Clear varnish
- * Plain black plastic bottle tops
- * Black buttons



We hope to make the poppies this week as we hope to assemble it at half term so please could we have any bottles etc this week. Please send bottles to Mr Marshall. (Please cut the bottle off to 4cm and please could we have bottles with a "a five or six section bottom" as pictured)

Year 5 need some Helpers...

Miss Jagger and Mrs Simpson are looking for a volunteer who can spend some time listening to readers with their Year 5 - any afternoon. Please let them know if you can help!!

Some Sporting News:

Here are some up and coming dates for your diary:

16th October - TASA High 5s League (Netball)

19th October - Liverpool Cup (Football)



Thanks for reading...yours sincerely,

Stephen B. Smith
Headteacher

Did you know...

Sooty's Plants is one of the many companies who help out THT each year.

Another big THANK YOU to everyone at Sooty's Plants who have once again donated beautiful hanging baskets to our school. They have been great supporters of THT for many years and the baskets certainly do brighten up the front door!!

Tarleton Holy Trinity Church of England (Aided) Primary School is a loving Christian Family where everyone is valued, we all achieve and our dreams for the future begin.