



Euxton Church of England Primary School



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Dear Parents,

Euxton Superstars!

Congratulations to our Euxton Superstars this week:

Reception: Iris Thomson

Year 1: Josephine McLaughlin

Year 2: Charlie Robb

Year 3: Evelyn Kearney

Year 4: Alfie Coates

Year 5: Nathaniel Wallace

Year 6: Matthew Jameson

Well done to you all!

Bronze Award

Congratulations to **Ethan Scott, William Prowse and Tommy Heald** who received their Bronze Awards in Celebration Worship this morning.

Silver Award

Congratulations to **James Ingram, Lucy Graham and Ethan Mumberson** who received their Silver Awards in Celebration Worship this morning.

Farewell Mrs Heaps

Mrs Heaps, who has been a valued Teaching Assistant at our school for 14 years, will be leaving us on 12th March. We are all so sorry to see Tracey go, but she is relocating to London where her husband works, so fully understand the commute may be a bit too much! She has served our school and children in so many ways over the years, working in our out of school club, working in classes, supporting children 1:1 and leading nurture groups to name but a few, not forgetting organising staff meals out! On behalf of us all, I thank her so much for all her hard work and dedication, and wish Tracey and John the very best for the future. Good luck Mrs Heaps!

Welcome Laksh

We are delighted that Laksh has joined our Y2 class this week. He has settled in brilliantly and the children have, as always, welcomed him with open arms. Happy New School Laksh!

World Book Day

As mentioned previously, we won't be dressing up on World Book Day this year (Thursday 5th March 2020), however, we will be next year so you may want to keep an eye out for any post World Book Day costumes reduced! We will be marking the day in school doing related activities and have re-booked the inspirational poet, Matt Goodfellow, who is coming in to perform for us all and lead workshops with each class on Tuesday 10th March 2020. There will be an opportunity to buy his signed books afterwards again, if you wish to. More details to follow.

Bake Sale

Next Friday, 7th March, Grace, Bea, Gabriella, Heidi, Willow, Isabella and Katy from Y4 are having a bake sale for the Salvation Army. All goodies 50p each! Thanks, as always, for your support.

PTFA Lucky Numbers Winner

Congratulations to Nicola Ford (Lucy's mum) who has won this month's £20 prize!

Music and Creative Dance Workshops

All of our children will be participating in Music and Creative Dance workshops on Monday, led by 'Just Giorge', a local artist who is hoping to offer after school workshops for our children following these sessions. She has performed at Chorley Live, Leyland Festival, Leyland Christmas Light Switch on and other events over the past year. I am sure they will all enjoy these.

Disco Time!

Another wonderful night and a fantastic **£375** raised for our school. Thank you to our PTFA for their hard work, and to you all for your support. They certainly warmed the children up on a cold night!

PTFA Smarties Challenge!

The children should have received (and I am sure eaten!) their tube of smarties given to them by our PTFA. In return we would love them to 'give up' their time during Lent (helping at home, doing little jobs, etc.) in reward for 20p's to fill up the smartie tube! We will then be asking the children to return the tube to school filled with as many 20p's as possible on the 1st April. **There are five spare tubes of smarties in the office if your child's has gone missing.** We will be dividing the money raised between school and church. Thank you, as always, for your support.

English SATs session (free) by Lancashire Adult Learning

Year 2 English - Tuesday 3rd March from 9:15-11:30

Y1 and Y2 parents are welcome. Please email Mrs Hodges on bursar@euxton.lancs.sch.uk if you would like to book a place. Thank you.

School Band Performance

As emailed to parents, our Y5 band will be performing in Celebration worship on **Friday 3rd April**, not the week before, as stated in the last newsletter. Please join us, if you can, from 9:00am.

Hidden Photo Apps

Attached today is a guide for parents on Hidden Photo Apps. I hope you find it useful.

And Finally....

Thank you to Maddie White from Year 4 for our joke this week:

Q. What do you call a pig with fleas?

A. A pork scratching!

Thank you Maddie - brilliant! Please remember to send your jokes in to me, I need lots of new ones to choose from.

Take care,
Mr Nick Ward
Headteacher

In our Christian family, we all SHINE in the light of Jesus.

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