

St Michael at Bowes CE Junior School Newsletter

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FOODBANK VISIT

On Wednesday 18th September Mrs Butcher took four children to the local foodbank. We took some donations from St Cuthbert's church to the Selby Centre foodbank. One of the people who worked there showed us around. We saw that the donations were put into crates, separated into different items and according to their 'Use by' date. The foodbank also need nonfood items like toothbrushes and toothpaste, soap and nappies. We learned that lots of different people use the foodbank for lots of different reasons. We understand how important it is that we give what we can to help vulnerable groups in our community.

We took some pictures at the foodbank and these will be posted on the website, DB Primary and Class Dojo soon.

Thank you to everyone who has already donated items to the school, ready for our Harvest service on Monday. Everything is welcome and everything will go to a very good cause.

THANK YOU

TRANSITION FEEDBACK MEETING YEAR 3 PARENTS/CARERS

On <u>Wednesday 16th October at 2.30 p.m.</u> there will be an informal session to meet you to discuss your child and your transition experience and how we could improve on it. You should have received a flyer with more information.

Hope to see lots of you there!

HARVEST BASKETS

Monday 23rd September Rev. Jones-Parry will be leading a Harvest

collective worship. The children are invited to bring in a 'Harvest Basket', which can consist of gifts of tinned food, packets of food (no perishable foods please) and toiletries. Please start bringing in items next week ready for the Harvest celebrations.

Items can be put in a decorated shoe box or individual items brought into school.

All gifts will be taken and distributed to our local community.

Thank you in advance.





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Autumn Term Issue 3

Dates for your diary:

- Year 5 start swimming— every Friday)
- Individual/sibling photos—Thursday 26th September
- Macmillan coffee Thursday 26th September 2.30 p.m.
- FOTSA picnic— Saturday 28th September (more information to follow)
- Community Breakfast—Thursday 3rd October (More information to follow)
- Black History week— Starting Monday 7th October
- Consultation evening—Thursday 10th October
- Family Supper Thursday 17th October 6.00 p.m. -8.00 p.m. (more information to follow later).
- Half term—Monday 21st —Friday 25th October. Back to school Monday 28th Octoer
- Year 5 science museum— Monday 4th November

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ENTRANCE TO GRENOBLE GARDENS

At the end of the school day the ramp becomes very congested. To ensure the flow of traffic runs smoothly please can you walk on the right hand side of the railings or wall. If you have a buggy make sure you keep to one side rather than the centre of the ramp.

Please make sure your child does not ride their bicycle or scooter down the ramp or in the playground.

Thank you for your co-operation.



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FOOTWEAR AND SCHOOL UNIFORM

Please make sure your child is wearing the appropriate footwear. All shoes should be completely black with no visible logos. Please **DO NOT BUY BOOTS** of any description or trainers. Trainers maybe worn for PE. (A shoe shop does not dictate what is appropriate for St Michael at

Bowes). If you are unsure check the school brochure or ask your child's class teacher. During the cold and wet weather children may wear boots/wellies to school/playtime but will need to change once they are in the building.

Your child only needs to wear a **TIE** if they are wearing a shirt. They do not need to wear a tie with a polo shirt.

MAY BANK HOLIDAY 2020 CHANGED FOR VE DAY ANNIVERSARY.

An early reminder that next year's **May bank holiday** will be moved back by four days for the whole of the UK to coincide with the 75th anniversary of VE Day. **May** Day is traditionally held on a Monday but will be put back from Monday 4th May to **Friday 8th May 2020**. Please make a note of these changes.

CLASS		
3S	6	98.62%
3T	1	95.71%
3M	2	95%
4I	6	98.85%
4C	9	93.8%
4H	6	99.26%
5A	2	93.57%
5E	3	93.79%
5L	3	99.23%
6B	6	95.2%
6 O	0	96.52%
6W	3	97.27%

MONEY MANAGEMENT COURSE

Do not forget to sign up for the 4 week money management course starting 4th November to 25th November 2.00 p.m.—3.15 p.m. at SMAB. The CAP Money course is designed to help you make more of your money, by helping you to budget, save and spend your money better.

A letter was sent home yesterday giving you more information on how to apply. Information can also be found on Class Dojo.

PUNCTUALITY AND ATTENDANCE TABLE

Which class will win the trophies next week? **60** won the punctuality trophy with 0 lates but their attendance needs to improve. **4H** won the attendance trophy with 99.26%.