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Friday 15th March 2024

Dear Parents/carers,

This has been such a lovely week for our school and I am very proud of all our children, and staff for their continued hard work, ensuring that all children have the best opportunities to live out the Gospel values that we follow.

As we move on our Lenten journey we began the week thinking about how we can share Gods love for us with others and as we approach the end of the term we have planned a few events to share with you, see below.

This week we have had a number of visitors to enhance our curriculum and learning, starting with the Royal Navy on Monday sharing their roles and delivering Leadership skill development sessions. We also had a delivery of eggs on Monday, these have hatched and we are enjoying experiencing watching the 8 chicks grow. Our KS2 children have been working with Stine the artist to develop a shared piece of artwork, the children had so many creative ideas, please ask them all about it.

Yesterday morning we celebrated with the Peace Foundation and our school the graduation of our Y5/6 new Peace Ambassadors, who will be using the skills they have learnt to promote peace and resolution skills across school and at home. This was a moving assembly with Tim and Wendy Parry, the founder of the charity sharing their experiences and focusing on how hope can shine and grow through negativity. I was so proud of our children and their reflections and we are all looking forward to moving forward and continuing our work with the Foundation.

Thank you also for your 'Blue for Bobby' donations we will inform you of our fundraising total very soon.

Events:

Monday 25th March: Come Pray with Me sessions:

These will take place in our infant hall during the day and each class will be given a time slot for you to attend, the children will lead you in reflection and prayer through each Station of the Cross. We would love our families to come and join us at the following times:

EYFS (Nursery/Reception) : 9.00-9.20	Y4: 11.00am-11.20am
Y1: 9.30am-9.50am	Y5: 2.00pm-2.30pm
Y2: 10.00am-10.20am	Y6: 2.30pm-2.50pm
Y3: 10.30-10.50am	

Tuesday 26th March: Our Cafod Big Lent Walk / Easter Bonnets

This will take place around Crowne Street park and families are welcome to join us. We aim to start at 2.30pm promptly leaving from the school's double gates and process together as a school community. We are asking for any donations to support Cafod to be sent into school with the children in the morning. **The children can also wear their Easter Bonnets as we parade around together.**

Nursery children are welcome to come and join us, they will have their own Easter Bonnet parade at 11.30am before the children finish their nursery session.

Reminders:

Monday 18th March: Our Pupil Leadership Team will be attending Schools Parliament at Liverpool Town Hall to take part in a debate about 'Racism and Belonging'

Wednesday 20th March: Y6 Keppleway residential, we are all looking forward to a lovely trip and hoping the weather is kind to us.

Thursday 21st March: No after school clubs due to staff training/Keppleway.

Wednesday 27th March: School closes for Easter break at the following times, we return to school on Monday 8th April at 8.40am.

Nursery collection at 11.45

Reception collection at 12.50

Y1 and Y2 collection 12.50

Y3- Y6 collection 1.00

Thank you

Mrs G Murphy

Head Teacher