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NEWSLETTER

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Star of the Week – Friday 29th March 2019

Well done to the following children:

Reception – Whole class.

Year 1 – Jack Ryan.

Year 2 – Evie Davies.

Year 3 – Mason Ramsdale.

Year 4 – Antoni Baszko.

Year 5 – Cole Fairhurst

Year 6 – Abraham Denham.

Star of the Week – Friday 5th April 2019

Reception – Vanessa Janus and Aya Laamiri.

Year 1 – Natalie Kiejko.

Year 2 – Theo Richardson.

Year 3 – William Ray.

Year 4 – Evie Peers.

Year 5 – James Williams.

Year 6 – Isabelle Ray.



ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Which class achieved the best attendance?

Week Commencing: 25th March

Reception	97.24%	Year 1	99.67%
Year 2	99.66%	Year 3	95.33%
Year 4	96.21%	Year 5	93.23%
Year 6	93.46%		

Week Commencing: 1st April

Reception	91.67%	Year 1	97.33%
Year 2	98.00%	Year 3	99.33%
Year 4	93.79%	Year 5	98.71%
Year 6	97.69%		



Year 1 & 3

Work hard and
achievement will
follow.....

Parents' Evening

Thank you to all those parents that came along last week to meet with teachers. It is so important that school and home work together to ensure the best possible outcomes for the children in our school. Thank you for your patience if you had to wait.

Safeguarding

Wigan Safeguarding Children's Board have produced the first termly Parents/Carers Safeguarding Newsletter. Please find this attached. In addition, our school web site has a lot of valuable information for parents under e-safety.

Easter Coffee Morning

Thank you first to the friends for organising this event which was well supported and raised £152.40, this included the raffle for the giant Slattery's egg. Chloe Hilton in Year 5 was delighted to win the egg.



Can I thank Connor and Ruby Brown's Mum for knitting the lovely rabbit covers for the cream eggs. These have been so popular and raised just over £300.00 for the friends.



Eggsellent Egg Decorations



Thank you to all those parents that helped children decorate eggs for the Easter Coffee Morning. Once again the designs and ideas demonstrated great creativity, flair and imagination. The School Council had a really difficult job of judging the entries. After much deliberation one winner was selected from each year group.

Rec – Frankie Belch

Y1 – Ruby Rose

Y2 – Harrison Deakin

Y3 – Macey Hewitt

Y4 – Evie Ryan

Y5 – Jake France

Y6 – Lily Farrar

Please visit our web site to view some of the fabulous designs www.twelveapostlesleigh.co.uk



Lenten Fundraising Events CAFOD

Again many thanks to all those that supported this charity in any way through donating eggs, cakes and supporting Rainbow Day. A fantastic total of £300 was raised.

The money raised by the pupils in XII Apostles will help to ensure that CAFOD can support more people like Mahinur

School Uniform

Parents may buy new school uniform over the Easter break. Can I remind parents again of our uniform policy, especially black shoes and **NOT** coloured trainers.

Our website clearly states the dress code for pupils. Our uniform is kept simple so that it is easily affordable to parents/carers. Please look on our website www.twelveapostlesleigh.co.uk, click on parent tab then uniform. It is important that children have a warm waterproof coat for outdoor play. Also can I remind parents/carers that PE Kits should consist of black shorts, plain red t-shirt (School logo optional) and black plimsolls. Check these still fit your child during the Easter break. They should be in a drawstring bag. Please also remember no jewellery or nail varnish. Thank you in anticipation of your cooperation with this.

Magic Breakfast Free to all our Children

Please come and join your child for a delicious magic breakfast



This initiative has proven to be a great success and this is down to the parents and carers who have given up their time to toast and butter bagels and also distribute them on the playground. A big thank you to all those that have made this a success.

We are proud to be part of the National School Breakfast Programme which enables us to offer a healthy breakfast to all our children.

Our breakfast starts at: **8:40 am.**

And is held on: **the infant and junior playground before school.**

We offer: **hot buttered healthy bagels.**

If you are able to help, please call in at the office.

Trips Next Half Term

Year 3 - Quarry Bank Mill Trip - Wednesday 24th April

Reception - Forest School Trip - Thursday 25th April

Year 2 - Haigh Hall Mini Beast Hunt - Thursday 14th May

Year 5 – Tattenall Hall Art Residential Trip - Wednesday 15th May and Thursday 16th May

The class teachers will send out letters with more details.

School Council Triathlon

The school council will be hosting a Triathlon event for Junior children to take part in on Thursday 2nd May, consisting of 3 events; Penalty Shoot Out, Conversion Challenge (Rugby) and Basketball Shoot Out. Events costs 50 p each and a special prize will be given out to the winner of each event.

in Bangladesh. Drought, floods and storms are having a devastating impact on her life. Visit the CAFOD website to find out more cafod.org.uk



Summer Fair – Friday 7th June – Friends of XII Apostles Fundraising Event

The friends are making an appeal for items for the tombola for this event. If you have any of the following that you are able to donate, please send in new and unwanted Christmas Gifts, toiletries, toys and gift sets.

Friends Summer Term Meeting - Thursday 2nd May at 9.00 am in the School Hall

The friends will meet to discuss and finalise the plans for the Summer fair. Please come along. Your contributions would be greatly appreciated.

Newsletter Sponsorship

If you have a business and wish to advertise on our newsletter, please contact the school office. The cost is £30 for the year.

A separate Penalty Shoot Out event will take place for Infant children on Friday 3rd May. They are raising some funds for a film night.

Year 1 Assembly - Friday 10th May at 9.00 am

Mrs O'Boyle and Miss Hope would like to invite parents and carers to join the children in Year 1 for this special assembly on animals.

Reception Collective Worship - Friday 10th May at 3.00 pm

Mrs Parry and the Reception class would like to invite parents and carers to join them at the end of the day for collective worship.

Thank you

A big thank you to Mrs Hamer, (Jayden and Isabell's mum), who works at the Halifax Building Society for helping to secure £500 into the school funds.

Happy Easter

May I take this opportunity to wish you all a Happy and Holy Easter and remind you that we break up tomorrow on Friday 12th April at 3.15 pm and return to school on Tuesday 23rd April.

School Closes on Friday 12th April at 3.15 pm and re-opens on Tuesday 23rd April.

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