



# LSJ Newsletter

9 March 2018

## Our Value for March: Faith

**Your Faith** should not be in the wisdom of men, *but in the power of God.*

A special mention to the following pupils for Learner, Role Model and Writer of the week:

- Rec: Bentley Whiteside, Lydia Eccleston  
Ollly Graves
- Y1: Serena Quick, Ellie Taylor  
Willow Tappenden
- Y2: Lena Sliwka, Sian Larkin,  
Amelia Babiracka
- Y3: Octavia Fleming, Mia Sutton  
Danielle Ward
- Y4: Ryan Chadwick, Nathan Edwards  
Evie Grace Dennis
- Y5: Jamie Nichols, Caitlin Taylor  
James Stringer
- Y6: Hadeel Hammam, Leo Bennett  
George Hassey

Well done to Rec for winning the attendance trophy last week with 97.7%.



A special mention for out of school achievement to:

- Ellie Taylor      Gymnastics  
Lily Rose        Adopted an animal



## Mothers' Day Assembly

This morning, our EYFS classes performed their Mothers' Day assembly to a packed hall. Children, staff and parents (of whom there were many!) enjoyed it enormously. It was great to see so many parent's delighted faces as their children performed. *Thank you also to our brilliant staff who so expertly help our children to achieve.*

We are celebrating Mothering Sunday in St James' Church on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> March at 10.30am. Everyone is invited to come to this special service, when all ladies will receive a floral gift. It would be fantastic if any of the young people would join with 3G our music group to lead the singing and make this a very special occasion for everybody.



## Mothers' Day

### Parents' Evening

Our parents' evenings were very successful and teachers really appreciate the chance to share important information about our children.

*It's vitally important for us to meet to talk about your child's progress, wellbeing and development, if you weren't able to keep your appointment, please get in touch with teachers who will be very happy to arrange an appointment.*

### Parking around school.

At busy times, parking and driving around school can be difficult and hazardous. Please be very careful when manoeuvring your car, there are lots of children around, some of whom may be small and without road sense.

Pedestrians must also be very mindful of moving cars—please remind children of the Green Cross Code on the back of this newsletter.

For more handy tips, see: [www.think.direct.gov.uk](http://www.think.direct.gov.uk)

Could we ask that when leaving a message on the answerphone for your child's absence that you leave a reason, not just that the child will not be in school. If this is the case your child will get an unauthorised absence until a reason is given. Thank you for your support.

### Forth coming events:

- Tue 13th Mar Y6 Photos  
Wed 14th Mar PAN Performance  
Fri 16th Mar Y3 Swimming  
Fri 16th Mar Y6 Visit to Cardinal Newman  
Tue 20th Mar Own Clothes Day - Colours for Peace  
Tue 20th Mar STB Y5 & 6 Taster Session 3.45 - 4.45pm  
Thur 22nd Mar Book Fair  
Fri 23rd Mar Book Fair  
Fri 23rd Mar Y3 Swimming Last one  
Fri 23rd Mar Own Clothes Day—Easter Egg  
Mon 26th Mar Book Fair  
Tue 27th Mar Book Fair  
Tue 27th Mar Easter Egg Bingo  
Tue 27th Mar Y5 & 6 STB Taster Session 3.45 - 4.45pm  
Wed 28th Mar Spring Spectacular  
Wed 28th Mar St James Eucharist @ 11am  
Thur 29th Mar School Closes @ 3.15pm  
Mon 16th Apr School Re-opens @ 8.50am

After School Clubs after half term are as follows:

- Mon 12th Mar Multi Sports Y1 & 2  
Mon 12th Mar Knitting Club  
Tue 13th Mar Little Musketeers  
Tue 13th Mar JAM Club  
Wed 14th Mar Rec & KS1 Choir  
Wed 14th Mar Football Club KS2  
Wed 14th Mar Cookery Club  
Thur 15th Mar KS2 Choir  
Fri 16th Mar Multi Sports KS2

If your child is visiting Spain, have you applied for an EHIC card? This needs to be done within the next few weeks using the following website - this is a free service. Please be aware that some other websites will charge for the service. <http://www.nhs.uk/NHSEngland/Healthcareabroad/EHIC/Pages/about-the-ehic.aspx>. Check on line and at the post office for passports forms.



## The Green Cross Code

### **1 First find the safest place to cross**

If possible, cross the road at: subways, footbridges, traffic islands, zebra, pelican, toucan or puffin crossings, or where there is a crossing point controlled by a police officer, a school crossing patrol or a traffic warden.

Otherwise, choose a place where you can see clearly in all directions, and where drivers can see you.

**Try to avoid crossing between parked cars and on sharp bends or close to the top of a hill. Move to a space where drivers and riders can see you clearly.**

There should be space to reach the pavement on the other side.

### **2 Stop just before you get to the kerb**

Do not get too close to the traffic. If there is no pavement, keep back from the edge of the road but make sure you can still see approaching traffic.

Give yourself lots of time to have a good look all around.

### **3 Look all around for traffic and listen**

Look all around for traffic and listen.

*Look in every direction.*

Listen carefully because you can sometimes hear traffic before you can see it.

### **4 If traffic is coming, let it pass**

Look all around again and listen.

*Do not cross until there is a safe gap in the traffic and you are certain that there is plenty of time.*

Remember, even if traffic is a long way off, it may be approaching very quickly.

### **5 When it is safe, go straight across the road – do not run**

*Keep looking and listening for traffic while you cross, in case there is any traffic you did not see, or in case other traffic appears suddenly.*

Look out for cyclists and motorcyclists travelling between lanes of traffic.

Do not cross diagonally.