

## St Andrew's C of E Infant School Newsletter



# 29th November 2024

## Learning, Caring and Growing Together in Faith

## Message from Miss Glassbrook:



This week we all enjoyed taking part in a live worship on Zoom with Bishop Philip. He launched the Diocesan Year of Prayer which is something we will be involved with. It was great to be joined by many other schools in our area – we said hello and waved to them all! Bishop Philip talked to us about some different ways to pray.

We have started practising our Christmas songs in school this week - how exciting! The children have also been busy making lots of progress in their learning in lessons across the curriculum.

Reception children have continued to learn about celebrations. They have produced some amazing writing linked to the story Little Glow. Year I have been learning all about The Great Fire of London and making brilliant buildings ready to go to the Fire Station! Year 2 have been finding out more about how important it is to protect our planet. Well done everyone, we are so proud of you all!

# 'Give thanks always for all things to God the Father' Ephesians 5:20



We would like to thank Mrs Etheridge for the great video she made of our free toddler group on a Tuesday at 9am. Click the link to take a look.

https://www.instagram.com/reel/DC6QUE3IoEo/?igsh=MTR3bXhhMzI3bHh6Yw==

Thankfulness is our current school value

Ladybirds: Morgan Honeybees: Harry Butterflies: Ivy

Owls: Evie

Kingfishers: Arlo Dragonflies: Freddie Shining Star awards this week go to:

Ladybirds: Liam Honeybees: Kohen Butterflies: Olivia

Owls: Abigail Kingfishers: Olly Dragonflies: Jessica

## Weekly Attendance Scores

Ladybirds: 92% Honeybees: 88%

Owls: 95%

Butterflies: 87% Kingfishers: 96% Dragonflies: 97%

Best Class of the week is:

Dragonflies

#### BOB's Book of Brilliance

#### Dragonflies

Ally and Rupert for super persuasive writing

Thomas for writing all about how to save water

#### Kingfishers

Tyler for writing about feelings

#### Butterflies

Sam for amazing history work
Charlotte for using finger spaces
Bonneigh, Olivia, Xander, Felix, William,
Coby and Alice for amazing maths

#### Owls

Carter, Catherine, Sophia, Chloe, Steffi and Hattie for brilliant work all about The Great Fire of London

#### Honeybees

Alice, Ivy, Emma, Kohen and Chester for wonderful writing all about Little Glow

Well done everyone!



#### Star Writers Award

Dragonflies - Lily Kingfishers - Lincoln Butterflies - Felix Owls - Woody Honeybees - Ivy

Ladybirds - Arron

Well done everyone! Please see all their amazing writing on display in the reception area of school!

#### Dates for the diary

Tuesday 10th December - Panto trip

Thursday 12th December -Father Christmas event after school. Details to follow.

Friday 13th December 10am - Nativity in church. 2 places are available for each Reception child's family to attend.

Wednesday 18th December -Christmas Party day

Thursday 19th December -Christmas dinner day

## Sports News

Well done to our Year 2 children who represented our school during a KSI Multi Sports competition!



#### Cinderella

Tuesday 10th December, at King George's Hall, Blackburn



We can't wait for our panto trip in December! We are funding the majority of this trip but are asking for a £5 donation.

If you haven't already done so, please give consent and make payment on School Spider as soon as possible.

Thank you



BOOKING ON SCHOOL SPIDER



Tombola Biscuit Decorating £5 per ticket £2 extra per sibling.

Reindeer food / themed scavenger hunt

FOOD & REFRESHMENTS FOR SALE.

There will be stalls in the school hall, each stall will have a charge between 20p and £1.

THURSDAY 12TH DECEMBER | 3 PM - 5:45 PM

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We realise that this event is on the same night as Chocolate Bingo at Woodlea. If you have a child at Woodlea, we will prioritise to make sure you get earlier slots to meet Santa.

