



ST. BENEDICT'S R.C. PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

31 March 2017

This week's Statement to live by:

I can learn from my mistakes and failures

Dear All,

As you are aware, this week the school has undergone an Ofsted inspection. As soon as the report becomes available, this will be shared with parents. The inspector commented on how well the children conducted themselves and how caring they are. They were a real credit to themselves, their families and the school, and we felt very proud of them.

Thank you also to our hard working staff who also managed to conduct two parents evenings alongside the inspection. They will certainly be taking a well-earned rest this weekend!

Please contact me if you have any queries or questions,

God bless,

Mrs Barrs

Stars of the week !

This week's stars are :



Class 1 : Last week's stars—Brooklyn for trying hard in phonics and Marianna for excellent number work.

This week - the whole class have been awarded stars this week for being themselves and having an excellent week.

Class 2 : The whole class have been awarded stars again this week for working really hard.

Class 3 : All the children for being Super Stars! Fin for his super improvement in behaviour.

Class 4 : All Class 4 for their hard work!
Lewis and Grace for improved effort in learning.

Altar servers

Thank you to our altar servers, Margaret and Stephen, who served at the funeral Mass of Mr Towler at the church of Our Lady and St. Benedict this week. We are proud of them for representing our school in this way. Father Bede has also agreed to talk to other children who have expressed an interest in becoming altar servers, upon his return from Ireland.

Stanbrook Abbey Visit

Last Monday we were received with a warm welcome by the Benedictine nuns at Stanbrook Abbey. We were able to spend time in prayer, finding out about their way of life and were also able to discuss the possibility of taking groups of children to the Abbey to enrich their learning.

Blessing of the palms.

As we are not in school during Holy Week, we will be celebrating a Blessings of the Palms liturgy on Friday 7th April at 2.30pm. Please do join us if you can.

Journalism Club

Next week Journalism Club will be on Tuesday afternoon—NOT Wednesday.

Sporting Activities

Well done to our Year 3/4 hockey team who came 2nd in the Ryedale cluster tournament last week.

We wish our Year 5/6 team the best of luck for this week.

Class 2 Cake Stall

The Class 2 cake stall to raise funds for CAFOD will be held on Wednesday 5 April at 3.30pm—Letters have been sent home with details

St Benedict's Society

Please see attached letter with details of our Easter Fair.

If anyone can help out at this event, please contact Joanne Wood (Byron & Daryl's mum or Fran Evans (Oscar's mum).

Future Events / Dates—Please check App & Website for updates

Date	Time	Event
Mon 3 April	2.30 pm	Brass Concert in school—everyone is welcome
Tues 4 April	12.30– 1.30 pm	NO keyboard sessions in school—Mr Thompson is away.
Tues 4 April	3.30-4.30 pm	Journalism Club—note change of day
Wed 5 April	3.30-4.30 pm	NO Journalism club
Wed 5 April	3.30 pm	Class 2 Cake Stall for CAFOD
Fri 7 April	2.30 pm	Blessing of the Palms—in school. Everyone welcome
Fri 7 April	3.30 pm	Finish for Easter break
Mon 24 April	8.55 am	School reopens for summer term
Thurs 27 April	3.30 pm	Easter Fair—see letter

