



8th July, 2024.

Message from Mrs Albon.....

Dear School Community,

Last week, I had the pleasure of attending my last full residential with Y6 in Robinwood. It was certainly a highlight of the year and one of the best residentials I have attended. It was a wonderful trip, with Robinwood staff complimenting our children on their outstanding behaviour, superb manners, and excellent attitude. We are so proud of Y6 and know they had the most amazing time. Huge thanks to Mr Perree and Mrs Williams for giving of their own time at the end of a very busy school year.

Prayer and Liturgy

Last week in our Prayer and Liturgy, we reflected upon the beauty and wonder of God's great creation and gave thanks for our beautiful world. We also thought about how we have a responsibility for caring for our world, and that we all need to make wise choices so that our world is protected. We answered the call of Pope Francis to be stewards of God's creation.



God Creator of the Universe.
God Creator of the earth and sea,
of the earth's fruits and flowers,
of all humans, habitats and creatures.
Help us to value and care for your
world in all its beauty and fragility.
We ask this in Christ our Lord,

Amen



School Reports

Over the last few weeks, teachers have been very busy writing your child's end of year report. Once written, they are sent to me to read and add my comment. This set of reports will be my last ones, so it has been extra special for me to pause and reflect upon each child and their journey through St. Gregory's. I hope you find the reports helpful in recognising the progress your child has made this year, and what they need to do next year. Hopefully, above all, I hope you find them celebratory, recognising each child's many achievements. The reports will be sent to you on Friday.

National Assessment Results

As well as your child's end of year report, some classes will also receive the results of any national assessments. See below.

Year 1 will receive their phonic screening check - result out of 40.

Year 4 will receive their Multiplication Times Table check - result out of 25.

Year 6 will hopefully receive their SAT results tomorrow, if the online system doesn't crash.....it usually does!

The pace is picking up, as we seem to be racing to the end of term with so many lovely events to still look forward to.

Kind regards,

Deborah Albon

Headteacher

Newsletter

Week ending - 5th July, 2024.

Together, in Jesus,
we love, learn,
create and
celebrate!



Robinwood Residential Trip – Year 6

Although the weather was not kind to our Year 6 children during their residential trip at Robinwood, they made the most of it and still had a brilliant time! All the children took part in lots of activities throughout their trip.

We do not want to spoil Year 6 Leaver's Assembly by showing photos on the newsletter, as they will see them first hand in a slideshow presentation. There will be plenty of laughter during the assembly looking back at the photographs!

Well done Year 6!

Year 4

Malham Residential Trip

Children in Year 4 will be visiting Malham on 15th to 17th July 2024, as part of their geography curriculum.

The children are all very excited for this trip. A kit list was sent home to parents recently, please do not go out and buy new items, comfortable clothing and walking shoes are essential parts of the kit!

KS2 Summer Disco!

We will be holding our KS2 Summer Disco on Wednesday 10th July at 3.30pm until 5pm. Children will be able to bring their disco clothes into school to get changed into for this event. Due to the short notice, we will be providing complimentary hot dogs to the children

If you would like your child to attend this fundraising event, please log onto your Parentpay account and make your £3 payment.

There will be a tuck shop available on the night of the event – children are to bring no more than £3 to spend at the tuck shop please.

Notification apps have already been sent out to parents who have already purchased tickets for the Summer Disco.

[Get your dancing shoes on KS2 and show us your moves!](#)

Year 6 Leavers' Mass

Families of children in Year 6 are invited to attend their Leavers' Mass on Thursday 11th July at 9.15am at school. We are hoping to be able to have the mass outside, weather permitting.

Bring your tissues!

The Hub

Reminder to parents that our after school club, The Hub, closes it's doors for this academic year on Wednesday 17th July.

Many thanks to all our families for your support for our wraparound services.

Find a cure for Mighty Max!



We are sending out a massive appeal to our families and community, requesting support and help for a local, beautiful little boy, Maximus Johnson.

Maximus is 7 years old and has been fighting brain cancer since he was just 10 months old. In just under 7 years he has had 6 brain tumours, 28 doses of chemotherapy, 93 sessions of radiotherapy, numerous surgeries and blood transfusions and has developed some life changing conditions due to all of this. Maximus and his family are well known to St.Gregory's, with his family all attending our school and his Nan , Mary , also working here as our Welfare Assistant and cleaner for many years. He has always been very close to our hearts.

The family are trying to raise enough money to send Maximus to Germany, where their medicines for his type of cancer are more advanced and sadly, in the UK, we do not offer the type of Immunotherapy that induces the immune system to fight against these tumours, but it is available in Germany. The family has set up a 'go fund me' page for any donations, however big or small, to help towards the cost of getting Maximus the treatment he requires. If you are able to donate to this appeal, please follow the link within this message, taking you to their donation page. As a school, we will also be arranging a fund raising event for this appeal

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/yknd4-find-a-cure-for-mighty-max>

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Gold Medal Award



Special Mention Award



Best Book Award

