



PICKHILL CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL



...ACHIEVING MORE TOGETHER

Autumn Term 25th September 2015

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The Year 1 children had a fantastic time when they joined other children out of the cluster for a music afternoon at Leeming and Londonderry Primary School. Please look out for the photo on our noticeboard.

On the last Thursday of the month we always have Collective Worship in Church. It was lovely for the children to meet Reverend Chris Lawson (the Curate from Leyburn currently) who has offered to lead these services for us.

The children look very smart with their new bags and coats with their school badges on (available from the School Shop website). Thank you for ensuring that your child brings in their book bag, reading book and homework diary every day to school.

Harvest Festival is on Sunday 11th October. Once again we are collecting for PAFRAS in Leeds This stands for Positive Action for Refugees and Asylum Seekers, which is even more pertinent than ever in the current climate. Its funding by the local council has been reduced, so any help you can give would be very much appreciated. As a reminder, any of the following foods and toiletries are always welcome:

Baked Beans, Spaghetti, Tomatoes, Soup, Vegetables, Fruit, Meat (not Pork), Sardines, Tuna, Creamed Rice, Custard. Tea Bags, Sugar, Rice, Pasta, Cereals, Pulses (These are split into control packs so large packs are welcome). Fruit Juice, Nuts, Dried Fruit, Biscuits, Chocolate. Shampoo, Shower Gel, Deodorant, Toothpaste/Brushes, Safety Razors, Toilet Tissue, Laundry tablets, new men's underwear and socks, ladies' sanitary products but please NO SOAP - they have about 2 years' supply! PLUS MEN'S CLOTHES in good condition. **Please place in the box in the entrance hall.**

Class 1

Literacy: We are learning how to punctuate our sentences using capital letters, full stops and commas.

Numeracy: we will be learning how to use our knowledge of hundreds, tens and units to carry out addition and subtraction calculations.

Topic: We will be learning our physical features and what makes us special

Class 2

Topic - We will be researching the plague for our TV programme.

English - We will be looking at similes and metaphors

Art - We will be composing our own cubist pictures.

Maths - Subtraction focus using mental and written strategies and solving problems



Pupils of the Week

Class 1: Libby Lamb

Class 2: Tom Alexander

This newsletter is double sided



After School Clubs from Monday 14th September

Monday	Is it Magic
Tuesday	Art Club
Wednesday	Sports Club
Thursday	Stay and Play
Friday	Cricket Fun Session

Thursday 1 st October	School Photographs
Sunday 11 th October	9.30am Harvest Festival
Friday 16 th October	5.00pm FOPS Film night
Saturday 17 th October	10.00am Open Morning
Tuesday 20 th October	Media Day
Wednesday 21 st October	KS2 Apple Day, Yorkshire Showground

Friday 23rd October - Monday 2nd November Half Term

Sunday 1 st November	Village Bonfire Night
Thursday 10 th December	6.00pm Carol Singing
Sunday 13 th December	Christingle Service
Wednesday 16 th December	Christmas Production 6 o'clock
Friday 18 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
	2.30pm School Closes
	6pm Carol Service

Extra Team Points!

On Monday please could Class 1 bring in a photograph of their family and Class 2 bring in an object with interesting curves ready for the Art lesson. To get the team points it is essential that these items arrive on Monday morning.