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Dear Parents/Guardians,

### Assembly

The children in Class 5 led an assembly today which included a beautiful message about Jesus being the Light, which included some fantastic dancing! We are always very impressed by the talent shown by our children. Well done to all of the children in Class 5.

### Bloom Drama

We would like to wish our drama students the best of luck on Saturday when they take part in a performance where they will be examined by a member of the Victoria College of Music and Drama in London. Break a leg!



### Mr Taylor

On Thursday we said goodbye to a member of our St Ann's family, Mr Maurice Taylor, former teacher and Headteacher of our school. It was a wonderful service, paying tribute to an inspirational man. R.I.P. Mr Taylor. Our House Captains and Year 6 children were amazing, showing respect and representing our school in such a sensible way. We are very proud of you all.

### Cross Country

Good luck to the children who are taking part in the Cross Country runs this weekend.

### NSPCC Number Day

On Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February we will be taking part in the NSPCC Dress up for Digits Day. Please take a look at an email sent out separately.

### Year 1 Reading Meeting

We are holding a Year 1 Reading Meeting on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February. Please could you click on this link to confirm your attendance so we can gauge numbers. <https://forms.office.com/e/dhNbnj2SzE>

### Year 4 swimming

We hope Class 8 have enjoyed their swimming lessons which they have been attending since September. Next week sees the start of our Class 7 swimming lessons. A letter will be sent out on Monday regarding this to our Class 7 parents.

## Football



On Monday, we brought a team of Y3 and Y4 girls to a football festival at Flixton girls school. It was an event ran by Trafford Sports Service to get girls enjoying and loving the great game. The girls were fantastic and played the whole evening with beaming smiles on their faces. They won one game, lost one game and drew three games. The event was a huge success and we are incredibly proud of all them! Well done girls!

## Bingo Night

Thank you to all the parents who have purchased tickets to our Bingo Night next Friday. We are looking forward to hosting such an important and worthy cause. If you would still like to donate, please support her by following the link below if you are able to.

[Fundraiser for Hannah Quigley by Louise Pye : Hannah's Fund](#)

## Coffee Morning

Parents are invited to our Coffee Morning next Wednesday where they can meet our School Nurse, Calm Connections and Trafford Teams Together. These agencies are there to provide support and information to parents.

And finally ....

Well done to Andrew and our kitchen staff for achieving a 5\* rating in the Environmental Health Inspection today.

## Dates for next week

<b><u>Spring Week 5</u></b>		
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February		
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> February		
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> February	Coffee Morning. 9.15am – 10.30am Trafford Teams Together, School Nurse and Calm Connections	
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	NSPCC Number Day	
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	Assembly - Our Core value of Respect Class 4 9:30am  C7 Swimming (first one)	

Mrs M. Noctor

Headteacher