

# NEWSLETTER

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## Stars of the Week

### Congratulations to :-

Class 1 : Holly Gornall, Lily Drinkall and Megan Barnes

Class 2 : Dylan Jameson, James Wilcock and Grace Slater.



## End of Term Cup Winners

Class 1 : **Progress Cup:** Ruby Graveson **Sports Cup :** Freddie Hartley

Class 2 : **Progress Cup:** Ella Spar **Sports Cup :** Martha Thornton



## Happy Birthday to:

Dylan Jameson who will be 9 on the 9th April.

A massive thank you for the fantastic support last Friday. There was a terrific atmosphere and so many people have commented on how much they enjoyed it. We can report that a huge **£303.15** profit was made, thank you so much.

## Yr 5 & 6 Handball Tournament

Rebecca, Ella, Emily, Harry, Amy and Grace represented the school superbly on Monday at the handball tournament. The training and games were enjoyed by all the children and lovely to see them embrace what is a relatively new sport.

## Mini Multiskills afternoons for pre-school children 3+

**Please spread the word that the pre-school (from aged 3) mini-multiskills afternoon will launch on Tuesday 18th April. (First day back after Easter).**

## Easter Assembly

There will be an assembly in school on Wednesday 19th April at 9.10am to celebrate Easter. All family, friends and parishioners are welcome to join us.

## Sports for Schools

Some of you may remember a few years ago when Paralympian Josie Cichockyj visited school, her inspirational talk about her life will certainly stay with the staff and we are sure the children, forever. Sadly, Josie passed away in 2014, losing her battle against cancer at the age of 49. Therefore, when school were contacted this week by Sports for Schools offering a similar opportunity we felt this was an experience the children would greatly benefit from.

Mr Stuart Robinson, who competed in the 2014 Invictus wheelchair rugby games, will be visiting school on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May to inspire us all and share how his perseverance and determination has served him well. Stuart was an RAF corporal for 14 years until his tour of Afghanistan in 2013 ended with his vehicle being hit by a bomb. As a result of his injuries he had to have both his legs amputated in order to survive. He now works with several UK armed forces charities and is the founder of Disable Discoveries, an online portal helping the disabled community.

On the day the children will participate in a fitness course with Mr Robinson and then there will be the opportunity for a question and answer session followed by a talk about his life.

## Parish and School Summer Picnic

This will take place on Sunday 25th June at Claughton Hall, please keep the date free and pray for Summer weather.

## **W/C 17th April 2017**

Mon 17th		Easter Monday (Holiday)
Tues 18th	8.50	School re-opens
	1.30-3.30	Pre-School Multi-Skills afternoon
Weds 19th	9.10	Easter Assembly in School (all welcome)
		<b>No After School Clubs today</b>
Thurs 20th	3.30 – 4.30	After School Clubs - Tennis and Handball
Fri 21st	3.10	Celebration Assembly



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