

Lea Endowed CE Primary School Lea Endowed

Newsletter No 19 Friday 2nd March 2018 Our theme this half term is **JUSTICE**



Well what an exciting week of weather we've had. The children (and adults) had great fun enjoying the gorgeous snow at the beginning of the week. It wasn't a great time for our boiler to go but we remained warm, happy and learning throughout. Thank you to those parents who attended the PTA meeting on Thursday; your help and support is invaluable to the school.

Thank you also to the parents who braved it against Storm Emma and came along to Mrs Bolton's Reading Workshop last night. If you missed the meeting, but would like the information, then you can access the Power Point on the school website under "Parent Information".

Mrs Seagrave's Good Manners Award

Congratulations to **Lilly-Mae Whally in Y5** who won my Good Manners award last week. Lilly-Mae joined us at the start of this school year and has settled in to our Lea Endowed family very well; proving to be a happy and polite addition to Class 4. Well done Lilly-Mae - keep it up- we are very proud of you.

LENT APPEAL



The Ethos group and Extra Milers have held a couple of joint meetings to discuss the Diocesan Lenten Appeal which has the motto 'Letting Light Shine'. As a school with a very similar motto, we felt an affinity with this appeal. Lent was discussed as a time for Giving something up, Opportunity for more prayer and an Act of Love - giving of ourselves in some way.

We discussed 'light' and encouraged the children to reflect on how many countries have an abundance of sunshine which can be

harnessed to produce electricity and improve medical provision in remote areas. The children are always keen to make links with Africa as it is the continent where our sister school is, and we discussed how purchasing a **Solar Suitcase** would be a wonderful gift to one of the countries who might be struggling to provide adequate medical care through lack of electricity. The children were asked to generate ideas for raising money in order that we can purchase a Solar Suitcase. These cost approximately £200. The children decided to hold a sale of good quality/condition second hand toys and games. They agreed that it would be good for the whole school family to consider donating something that they feel will be a "sacrificial act" and not just a way to clear out their bedrooms. The sale will take place before the end of this term, more details to follow from the children!

Well done to the Football team who played Queen's Drive last Friday. We lost 3:2 but the team played extremely well against an older team from a bigger school. They were a credit to the school displaying great

sportsmanship!

REMINDERS

Mothers' Day Afternoon Tea – Mums (& Grandmas) are invited to come and have tea and cake with the children, in school at the following times:

Wednesday 7th March KS2 Tea Y3/4 2:00-2:30pm

Y5/6 2:30-3:00pm

Thursday 15th March KS1 - Mrs Smith's afternoon class 2:00-2:30pm

Mrs Ramsay's afternoon class 2:30-3:00pm

Wednesday 21st March – PARENTS' EVENING

Thank you for your support,

CM Seagrave

