

## Collective Worship Theme this half term = Service

Attendance this week is **91.98%**

8 October 2021

### School News

We held our interactive Harvest Festival in St Aiden's Church which was led by Reverend Mark. The donations you kindly sent are to be distributed, with help of the pupils in the Church Council, to local needy parishioners.



### Extra PE sessions

Y5/6 were lucky enough to receive an hour's expert tennis coaching this week from Simon Carson Sports. Please ensure all children have their PE kit in school at all times to enable them to take part in extra sessions.

### Ryedale School Y6 evening

The Y6 primary presentation evening was well attended and the children seemed excited at the prospect of moving to Ryedale. We discussed the importance for preparation for transition of our school planner and pride in their uniform



### Christmas Shoebox Appeal

Love in a Box; Thank you for the donations we have received so far. **These boxes are the only Christmas present the children will receive.** Please help to bring a smile to the faces of these children. Any donations of completed boxes or small toys, puzzles, balls, crayons, yoyos, toiletries, sweets, hair slides etc will be used to make shoeboxes in school.

### Primary Sports at Ryedale School

Various sports have re-started at Ryedale School. We do need to ask parents to help with transporting your children so we can participate in these events. If you can help with transport, please let school know. **For this half term, Ryedale have requested no spectators unless involved in transport.**

### Lost property

Missing Gillamoor School cardigan  
Please can you check any school cardigans. The missing one is has a name tag saying Harriet Thackeray and is age 5/6.  
We also have a huge box of unnamed items of clothing. These will be kept until the PTA coffee morning after which they will be donated to charity so please come and check.



@SchoolGillamoor



Gillamoor C  
of E Primary



**Winning House  
for last week was  
Elm**

**This week's  
winning House  
is Elm**

**SPORT  
Primary sport  
Tennis**

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tues 12 Oct- FGB

Fri 15 Oct-Y5/6 Maths Day,  
Ampleforth

Thurs 21 Oct- Y3-6 cross  
country, Lady Lumleys  
(change of date)

Fri 22 Oct—break up

Wed 10th Nov-PTA Coffee  
Morning in school

Fri 19th Nov - Film Night  
and PTA AGM

Fri 10th Dec-Christmas  
Disco

*So let's not get tired of doing what is good. At just the right time we will reap a harvest of blessing if we don't give up.*

*Galatians 6:9*

## PTA

We are moving towards normality again and so have planned some events for next half term;

Wed 10th Nov—Coffee Morning in school (10.30-12)

Fri 19th Nov - Film Night and PTA AGM

Fri 10th Dec—Christmas Disco for children (and siblings)



## Staff Training

All staff undertaking LFT testing.

Finance conference

SIAMS training

Music training - all staff

## School Lunches

Week beginning 11 October is week three

## Eco-Club

We have planted some trailing pansies in our containers.

## Church Council

We helped to plan the Harvest Festival in church. We chose the prayers and hymns.

## Food Council

The food council completed their survey and met with our cook to discuss the results. The menu will be reviewed in the next few weeks as a result. If you would like to offer your feedback too, please email the office with your comments.



## Morrisons—It's Good to Grow vouchers

Morrisons are giving out a grow token for every £10.00 spent. We have signed up to this scheme and would appreciate any donations of tokens which we will be able to exchange for gardening equipment.



SATURDAY 16 OCTOBER  
2021 10AM-NOON & 2-4PM  
at All Saints Church—Pop Up  
Dress Agency



Some of our entries at the Kirkbymoorside Horticultural Show last week.