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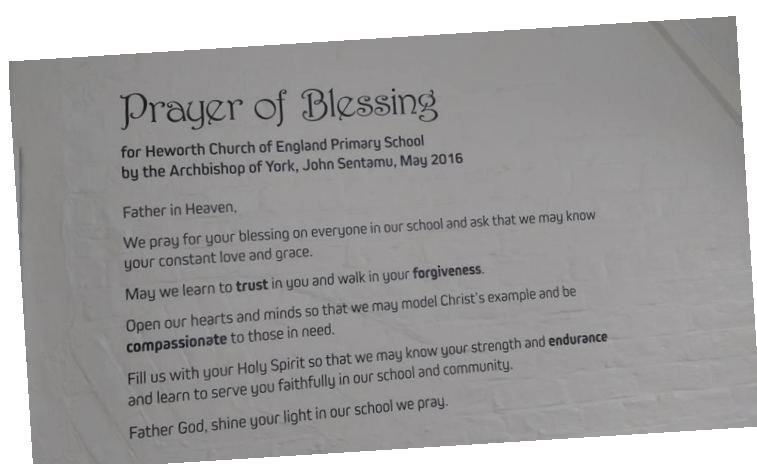


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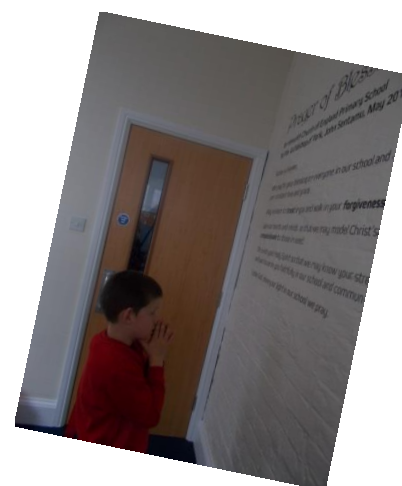
## Archbishop Sentamu



As mentioned in the last newsletter, we are delighted that Archbishop John Sentamu is planning to visit Heworth Primary as part of his pilgrimage around the parish. We will receive him at around 2:30pm on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May when he will tour the school and spend time in the playground meeting parents and carers as they collect children. As part of his visit, he will sign the above prayer that he has written for Heworth that has now been printed onto the wall at the top of the stairs.

## E-Safety Week

Next week classes will be spending part of their day learning about E-safety (staying safe online). We are using a series of lessons aim at the different age ranges of our children. We have also ordered for every family an e-safety booklet from the NSPCC which we will distribute when they arrive. Please talk to your child's class teacher or to Mr Sloan if you would like any more information.



## Staffing News

I am pleased to announce the return to Heworth of Mrs Thompson straight after half term. Mrs Thompson will be working across the school in all classes on a Monday and Friday for the remainder of the year. I hope to be able to confirm where in school all staff will be working shortly after half term.

## Sporting news!

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After the success of the school football team winning the league, it is the turn of our girls' team who have entered a York league. More information and results to follow!

## SATs Week

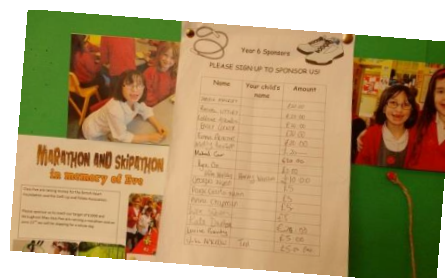
We are incredibly proud of how hard our children in Year 6 and Year 2 have worked towards their end of Key Stage SAT tests this year. I'm sure many of our older children are well aware of some of the controversies surrounding the tests this year from watching the news. We were very proud of them all week and pleased to see so many smiles throughout the test weeks.



A big thank you to all the staff who have worked very hard in order for all our children to achieve their very best. Our aim is 'excellence in learning' which we hope to achieve without putting huge pressure on young children and with a continuation of other extremely important parts of the curriculum that aren't measured by end-of-year exams.

## Eve

If you are able to, please sponsor Y6 as they raise money in memory of Eve for the British Heart Foundation and Cleft Lip Palate association. The sponsor form is at the bottom of the downstairs corridor. Please see Mrs Uttley for more information. They have been doing lots of running and have an all-day skip-a-thon coming up soon!



## Music Concert

We are all very much looking forward to Thursday (19<sup>th</sup> May, 4pm at Holy Trinity) when Heworth will celebrate all the hard work, practice and rehearsing that goes into the amazing musical talents of so many of our children. Thank you to Mrs Newton for coordinating this event. I have invited our school neighbours to come along as a thank you for all the balls that they return back over our fence for us!

## Ice-cream

When Miss Corner said that Class 1 would be having an ice-cream parlour as part of their role-play for the summer term we had the idea of inviting an ice-cream van to visit the school. We are all looking forward to Mr Whippy coming next Wednesday. This is a well-deserved a treat for all of our children.



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## Dates for the diary

Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	The Archbishop to visit Heworth
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> May	Half term holiday
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June	School reopens
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Class Photographs Phonics Screening Week begins
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> June	New Parents' Meeting (6:00pm)
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> June	Class 3,4 & 5 Sports Day (am)
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> June	Class 1&2 Sports Day (pm)
Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Friend's Summer Fair
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	New Starters visit Class 1 (pm)
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	New Starters visit Class 1 (am)
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Leavers' Play (1:30pm & 6:30pm)
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Friend's Disco
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	New Starters visit Class 1 (pm)
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	Friend's Picnic
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Last day of term Leavers' Service (9:30am)
	SUMMER HOLIDAY
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> September	Training Day