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30<sup>th</sup> September 2016.

Dear Parents / Carers,

**Congratulations to:**

**Gold Star Children this week who are:**

Reception: Ollie for learning the routines and listening very well.

Y1: Roxanne for superb effort with learning spellings and working independently.

Y2: Ryan for excellent effort in his writing assessment and english lessons.

Y3: Liliana for always trying her hardest and being kind and helpful.

Y4: Emily for being so caring and considerate to everyone in the class.

Y5: Isabelle for excellent answers on the trip to Cannock Chase and showing enthusiasm.

Y6: Lilli-Mae for always putting 100% effort into all of her work.

**Golden ticket winners:** Maizee-Jai Broadley and Ellis Parkes.

**Macmillan Coffee Morning:** once again this was very well supported; it was lovely to see so many people supporting this event. Thank you for all the items sent in to sell, the money donated and for those who joined us for coffee. The current total stands at £760.17. We're still happy to accept money if you forgot this morning!

**Harvest:** this year we will be celebrating the Harvest during the school Mass in church on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 9.10am. We would appreciate donations of tins, packets and jars of food (no fresh produce) any day next week. These food items will be part of the offertory during Mass. It will be given to the local food bank who will distribute the food to the local families in need, the destitute and the homeless. We usually get great support for our Harvest celebration so please try and join us in church. Coffee will be available in school after Mass.

**Reception class:** parents are invited to a meeting in the Reception classroom (access through the main entrance) on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> October at 6pm. This meeting is to explain how and what the children are learning and how parents can support their child.

**Useful links:** Collins Timestables Simulator has been added to the Web Link section of our school website. <http://www.collins.co.uk/page/Times+Tables+Test+Simulator>. If you haven't looked at this section, please do as it provides useful links to educational resources to support your child's learning.

**Winter Uniform:** from Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October all children must wear winter uniform. Any outgrown uniform would be appreciated for the nearly new uniform sales.

**Kilts: Teamsport** have now received a delivery of kilts so if you have placed an order it should be ready to collect.

**Scarecrow Festival:** Upper Gornal Methodist Church are holding a Scarecrow festival tomorrow, Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> October, from 10am to 4pm. Why not go and see the St. Chad's scarecrow? The day includes refreshments, children's baking competition and a scarecrow trail. All money raised will be donated to Cancer Research UK and Black Country Foodbank.

Have a good week,

**S. M. Mason**