

Dolphinholme Dispatch

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Writing Competition Update

We are pleased to announce that the author visit and presentation of the prizes for the Moto Trust Writing Competition will be on 8th March. Further details will be announced shortly.

Isle of Man 2018

Can we please remind parents that the Isle of Man trip needs to be paid in full before Monday 5th March?

Church Attendance and Families

Win a meal for two at The Fleece!

Cindy has devised a short online survey, looking at how St Mark's can be relevant to families in the 21st Century. She would be grateful if as many people as possible could complete it, whether you currently attend church or not. Many of you will be aware that Church attendance is sometimes a factor if considering a Church of England High School and so, at St Mark's the desire is to ensure that all enjoy being part of the church family! The survey is anonymous but there is an option to add your email address, at the end, if you wish to take part in the free prize draw for a meal for two at The Fleece. The survey can be found at:

<https://westcoastco.typeform.com/to/QSNABz>

Winners of the meal will be drawn at the beginning of February Half Term, so please don't miss the deadline! Thank you for your time.

Mrs Cross recently attended some **Online Safety** training which was very useful and informative. Lots of resources are available to parents and families to support children in the digital world.

Here are some links to websites that were recommended:

<http://vodafoneparenting.co.uk>

<http://www.childnet.com/resources/digiducks-big-decision>

<https://www.facebook.com/safety>

<https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/>

<https://www.internetmatters.org/>

<https://swgfl.org.uk/products-services/online-safety/resources/instagram-checklist/>

Week beginning 29.01.18~ Menu Week 1.

This half term our Christian Value is Trust.



School Council News

The School Council would like to thank everyone who sent in toys on Friday for the collection for the RLI. The response was amazing and the School Council are very grateful. We are in the process of arranging a time to deliver the toys—we will keep you posted.



ONLINE BOOKCLUB

Don't forget that our latest Scholastic Book Club is now online at:

<http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/dolphinholme-ce>

There are hundreds of fantastic children's books to choose from, and every £1 you spend on this month's Book Club will earn 25p for our school in Scholastic Rewards. Please place your order online by January 29th, 2018.

School Uniform

The next uniform order date is 2nd Feb. Please order items online.



Easter Lunch

This year our Easter Lunch will be held on Wednesday 21st March.

We are trialling a different booking system for this lunch.

All pupils will be booked in for the meat option for lunch on this day. If your child would prefer the vegetarian option, or will be bringing a packed lunch, please go online and change your preference.

MENU

Roast chicken or quorn fillet with stuffing ball and gravy served with roast and creamed potatoes, broccoli and carrots

OR

Tomato and mascarpone pasta with garlic dough balls and salad.

Easter shortbread biscuit.

