

# LEYBOURNE SS PETER & PAUL C E PRIMARY ACADEMY



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Dear Parents

I hope that you have all had a good week and are keeping well. I know that, for many, the prospect of being able to enjoy a family Christmas is tantalisingly close – we are so nearly at the end of term, and we are now all desperately hoping we can get through the next week without needing to ask anyone to isolate. Your support as we edge ever closer to the end of term is, as always, very much appreciated. I fully understand the challenge of isolating with young children, and of administering the COVID test to them – I have experienced the pain of both myself this week! – but it is so important that we continue to work together to prevent the virus really taking hold in our community, the way it has in others. The data for both Maidstone and Tonbridge and Malling districts is sobering, and I know that none of us wishes to spend the Christmas break ill or isolating.

## Hand Sanitiser

I am sure you will appreciate that we have been spending considerable sums of money on hand sanitiser and soap over the past few months! We were absolutely delighted, therefore, to receive a very kind donation of 160 bottles of hand sanitiser this week. Such support is very much appreciated – thank you.

## School Photographs

As a result of your generous support of our school photographs earlier this year, I am delighted to say that we received a cheque for £160 from Braiswick photographers. In addition, they also sent a cheque for £60 to Cancer Research, their chosen charity. Thank you for your support, these donations really do make a difference, especially this year.

## Stars of the Week

Congratulations to the following children – we are very proud of all of you!

Year 2	Phoebe	Ben W.	
Year 3	Harry B.	Albie	Emily
Year 4	Seren	Zane M.	
Year 5	Luke	Florence M	
Year 6	William	Amy W.	

**We promote the learning and development of all children to achieve their full potential  
in a caring, happy Christian environment**



## Leybourne Bright Sparks

Year 2	Pollyanna
Year 3	Jake
Year 4	Bea
Year 5	Maisie
Year 6	Makena

## Team Points

St Andrew	1096	St David	2461
St George	1243	St Patrick	1018

### **With Love from Leybourne...**

Thank you so much for all of your wonderful donations. We have been overwhelmed by your generous gifts to those members of our community who are facing a challenging Christmas. If you know of a family who would appreciate a gift "With love from Leybourne..." please do let us know – we will be delivering gifts at the end of next week. Recipients will have been nominated for a host of reasons, and we sincerely hope that no one will be offended if I leave a gift on the doorstep – it simply means that another member of the school community wishes to give you cause to smile at this time.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend – I am delighted to say that we have received negative test results, and so I shall see you in school next week!

Kind regards

Tina Holditch