



Friday 21st March 2025

Dear Parents, Carers and Governors,

Next week, the Deputy Mayor of Gateshead, Councillor Freda Geddes and her consort, Councillor Alex Geddes will visit with the Macebearer. She requested a return visit after being so impressed with our lovely children when she unveiled our wall mural. The morning will include a chance to meet more of the children, talk about the history of the local council and spend some time with our own School Council. Keep an eye out for photos on our school website!

Also, next week, the children who attend Happy Feet dance club take part in the Dance Festival and six representatives from Y6 go to see the relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis, our trust's patron saint. 'That History Bloke' has had to bring forward his visits to Y2 and Y4 so will be in school on Monday.

Here are a couple of other reminders for upcoming events:

- **EY Celebration Week** – please book your appointments on Arbor.
- **Y1-Y6 Parents' Evenings** – please book you appointments on Arbor. You will see that the main dates are 1st/3rd April however there are alternative dates for Y1, Y4 and Y6 due to other commitments. Please take a note of any changes to dates and times.
- Our **'I love you café'** is now on Thursday afternoon. These are usually rather busy so please try to come either at 2.30pm if your child is in EY, Y1 and Y2 or at 3pm if your child is in KS2. If you have a child in each key stage, please choose one of the sessions. This will help our hall not become overcrowded. Donations of cakes are gratefully received (*no nuts, please*).

Lenten services:

Please continue your Lenten journey each Friday in St Alban's Church:

- Friday 28th March, 2.45pm, led by Y4
- Friday 4th April, 2.45pm, led by Y5
- Friday 11th April, **2.30pm**, Stations of the Cross, led by Y6

Attendance: Our class attendance figures for this week are really rather good. Well done!

N	YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
97.3%	95.5%	93.6%	97.3%	96.6%	98.3%	96%	98.6%

With kind regards,

M Robinson

Headteacher

Your Eco Committee says: plant a wild garden!

