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## THIS WEEK'S NEWS

Despite all of the uncertainty we have endured over the last six weeks, we have had a really successful half term and I have been really impressed with everyone's efforts in their home learning. It isn't easy for parents but you have all done incredibly well supporting your children at home - now it is time to switch off and relax before we go again on **Tuesday 23rd February**.

Thank you all for your invaluable feedback regarding home learning. I will be sharing your thoughts and comments with the teachers after half term - it was really pleasing that the majority of the comments were positive and they echo my own thoughts that our teachers and all of our staff have done an incredible job yet again.

It is a little bit sad that Lent starts during half term. Ash Wednesday is next Wednesday - I am sure there will be a live mass for those who are able to tune in via the Cathedral website. and we will be celebrating mass that first week back.

Thank you all once again for your support. I am ever hopeful that we will be back as a whole school family very soon.

Have a great week, get out and enjoy the fresh air.

God Bless,  
Mr Dyson



## Your Fire Service needs YOU!



As we are still unable to visit our schools for the annual fire safety talks, we still want households with children to be aware of the importance of having working smoke alarms.

If you don't have working smoke alarms then you can call **0800 05 02 999** to request a **free HOME SAFETY CHECK**  
(quote code : 294)

And if you or someone you know answers "yes" to at least one of these questions:

- is over 65 years old?
- finds it difficult to move around?
- can't hear things very well?
- smokes?
- doesn't have one smoke alarm for each level of their home?
- has NO smoke alarms?

They can also request a free **HOME SAFETY CHECK** by calling **0800 05 02 999**



## THIS WEEK'S HEART OF GOLD AWARD WINNERS ARE...

**Class 1 - Seemer for Love. Seemer is someone in Class 1 who always show so much love towards his friends. Helping others, being kind, sharing and caring for others. Such wonderful qualities to have Seemer, you are an amazing role model to the rest of the class. Seemer has also shown a real love for learning this week. He is flourishing with his reading, applying his phonics to read simple sentences and tricky words. Well done!**

**Class 2 - I couldn't decide this week who to give it to so I am choosing all the children in class 2. They had an incredible half term. They have worked together and really showed love and care for one another through these odd times. This was especially evident in cheering each other on during archery. Well done!**

**Class 3 - Patrick for Aspiration. Since the start of term, Patrick has completed all of his home learning. He asks questions when needed, logs on to live lessons and always sends evidence of what he has done. We are very proud of you Patrick, for all of your hard work. Keep it up.**

**Class 4 - Lily for demonstrating the Gospel Value of Resilience. Lily has been working incredibly hard in our Myths and Legends work and is producing a story which is truly a piece that she can be proud of and demonstrates her full potential. Well done Lily.**

**Shannika for demonstrating the Gospel Value of Love. Shannika has shown love just through her day-to-day presence in the school. She is an asset to our school community and should be very proud of the way she acts. Thank you Shannika!**