

**Gold Award
Winners**

**Year 1 - Isabelle, Joe,
Leah**

Year 2 - Lacey, Inara

**Year 3 - Charity,
Hayleigh**

Year 4 - Jahan, Isla

Year 5 - Olivia, April

Year 6 - Taylor, Mya

Dates for the Diary

Tuesday 18th October	NSPCC Focus Day - Year 5 and 6
Wednesday 19th October	Year 1 Trip to Alexandra Park
Friday 21st October	FAB Cake sale tuck Shop
Friday 21st October	Last day of Term 1
Monday 31st October	Pupils return to school for Term 2
Friday 25th November	INSET Day - Academy closed to pupils
Friday 2nd December	FAB Christmas Fair

Well done to Luke, Catherine and Ted in Year 5 for their performance in the town-wide Cross Country competition.

News Update

HARVEST FESTIVAL CELEBRATION

Thank you to everybody who generously donated to our collection for Blacklands Church. Reverend Charlie Hill visited us for assembly and told us all about Harvest. Our donations will be donated to support the local Food Bank.



LEARNING AMBASSADORS

This week, two pupils from Year 5, Luke and Ilamaran, visited Silverdale Academy in their roles as Learning Ambassadors. They represented the academy beautifully and will be looking at what changes they might recommend to The Baird as a result of their visit. We were very proud of them.

1066 AND ALL THAT!

On Friday, we celebrated the 950th anniversary of the Battle of Hastings. The pupils had a focused theme day learning all about the Battle of Hastings. There were also some very peculiar looking adults!



FACEBOOK

The Baird Primary Academy is now using Facebook. We will be using this site as a means to provide additional communication to our parents and carers.

Follow us and like our page for regular updates for parents and carers - The Baird Primary Academy

<https://www.facebook.com/The-Baird-Primary-Academy-980106765444872/>

PE KITS

Please ensure your child brings their PE kits to school on a Monday. The kit should be kept in school all week as timetables can sometimes change. Required kit: Plimsolls or trainers, white plain t-shirt, black gym shorts.



PARKING

Please be reminded that no parents or carers should be parking within the entrance to the driveway academy, which is off of Parker Road, between the two gates. In addition, we would ask that parents do not park within the Elphinstone Avenue car park either and either walk or use the surrounding area for parking. Thank