

## FRIDAY NEWSLETTER



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### Lothersdale Legends

This week's Lothersdale Legends have been awarded to:

Reception - Ernie Ward

Year 1 - Alison Sykes

Year 2 - Phoebe Goddard

Year 3 - Dominica Taylor

Year 4 - Olivia Raper

Year 5 - Everyone in Year 5!

Year 6 - Everyone in Year 6!



#### Save the Date!

Please note there may be circumstances in which these dates are subject to change.

More information will follow at a later date about events listed below:

Fri 20 Jan 2017 - LSA Cinema Night ~ 3.15 to 5.30pm

#### Deadlines & Reminders for week commencing 21 November 2016

Mon 21 Nov - Deadline for the return of the LSA Christmas Fair Baking Reply Slip

- Return of the LSA Christmas Fair Year 6 & Parent Helper Request

Form (if possible)

Wed 23 Nov - Flu Jabs ~ Years 1, 2 & 3

Thu 24 Nov - Deadline for return of Christmas Fair Helper Request Reply Form

Fri 25 Nov - Class 3 Swimming Lesson

Sat 26 Nov - LSA Christmas Fair in school ~ 12 noon to 4.00pm

EXTENDED SCHOOL'S ACTIVITIES ~ W/c 21 NOVEMBER 2016					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Art Club	Wool Craft	Construction Club	First Aid	Chess Club	
3.15 - 4.00pm	3.15 - 4.15pm	3.15 - 4.00pm	3.15 - 4.00pm	12.45 - 1.15pm	
Gardening Club	Circuit Training	Drama KS1 & KS2	Supersports	Lego Club	
3.15 - 4.00pm	3.15 - 4.00pm	3.30 - 4.30pm	3.15 - 4.15pm	12.45 - 1.15pm	
Cheerleading				Football	
3.15 - 4.15pm				3.15 - 4.15pm	

#### What's Happening in the Classroom and Beyond?

Remembrance Service at Lothersdale Village War Memorial ~ Sunday 13 November



Members of the School Council, along with other pupils from Lothersdale Primary School, represented the school at the Remembrance Ceremony at the village war memorial on

Sunday 13 November 2016.

Sam (Year 6) and Ellis (Year 5), read out the fourth stanza of the Laurence Binyon poem, For the Fallen, on behalf of the School Council and did an amazing job ~ Mrs Robinson and Mrs Bateman were extremely proud of them.

Thank you to all our pupils and their parents who were able to come along and attend this extremely special service.

#### Class 1 Visit to Christ Church, Lothersdale ~ Wednesday 16 November 2016



On Wednesday 16 November children in Class 1 made their first trip to Christ Church, Lothersdale. The children were brilliant at walking all the way to the church and back in very wet and windy weather! At the church they were met by the Reverend Helen Collings who told them about how special the church is for Christians. The children enjoyed a treasure hunt and learnt about the altar, stained glass windows and candles. Thank you to Jonty's mum and Sam's dad and grandad who came along to support Mrs Bateman, Mrs Binns and Mrs Burgess.





#### Class 2 ~ Lego afternoon Monday 14 November 2016

WOW!! What an amazing afternoon Class 2 had on Monday. Keith from Bricks4Kidz came into school and together we created the ultimate drag racing cars using Lego. We worked together to follow instructions and held a Class 2 Drag Racing Championship to top off a fantastic afternoon.

#### Class 3 Visit to Jorvik Viking Museum ~ Wednesday 30 November 2016

Thank you for returning the consent form this week. We still have contributions outstanding - if you still wish to make a voluntary contribution towards your child's visit please ensure payment is made by return to enable us to administer the costs. No child will be excluded if his or her parents do not contribute however, if insufficient funds are received, the visit will not go ahead.

#### Class 4 Residential Visit to Marrick Priory

We welcomed back our Class 4 pupils this afternoon after their week's residential visit to Marrick Priory. The children have had a fantastic time and we would like to thank Mrs Robinson, Mrs Hill, Mrs Severs, Mrs Smith (our ex-governor and volunteer) and Mr Wheatstone, who have all given up their time to support the children on this educational visit. It has been an action packed week where the children have worked together as a team and achieved personal challenges - we're very proud of them all. There is a daily blog on the school website for parents/carers interested in finding out what went on.





#### Children in Need Friday 18 November

Well done to everyone who took part in this year's Children in Need today. The children looked 'spotacular' and so have raised far we £.88.77 towards this worthwhile cause. If you still wish to contribute, please bring your money into school on Monday.

#### School Office and Updates



#### Christmas Newsletter

Our Christmas Newsletter will be sent out via bookbags early next week. This newsletter details all our events taking place over the Christmas period and we would be grateful if parents/carers could ensure reply slips (where applicable) are returned by the stated deadlines to help us with administration over this busy period.

#### Primary School Admissions ~ September 2017

Online applications are currently being made via the Local Authority for reception places at Lothersdale Primary School for September 2017. The online common application form must be submitted by no later than 15 January 2017. If you are the parent/carer of a child, or know of a child, who is eligible to start primary school next September and whose name is not on the school's register of interest, please contact the school as soon as possible.

#### School Contact Information

Please remember that if you wish to contact a member of staff or have a general query, you can email us via <a href="liothersdale@ycatschools.co.uk">lothersdale@ycatschools.co.uk</a> and your message will be passed on to the appropriate member of staff or dealt with accordingly. You can also use the contact form available on the school website.

#### **Pupil Medical Information**

It is important that school is kept updated regarding any changes to your child's health. Please inform the school office as soon as possible if your child's medical details change to enable us to keep our records up-to-date.

#### Friday News Online

Please remember that if you do not receive a hard copy of the Friday News, or mislay the copy sent home every Friday, the newsletters can also be found on the school website for your information.

#### School Website

Remember to look on our School Website for further information on what is happening around school!

New Postings on our Website this week:

Friday News

#### Lothersdale School Association



#### Saturday 26 November 2016

The LSA are putting together the final touches for next week's Christmas Fair in school on Saturday 26 November 2016.

#### Christmas Raffle

Thank you to all those parents/carers who have contributed items for the Christmas raffle. Please continue to bring in your donations and place in the box in the main school entrance ~ we are asking parents/carers to make a small donation to the following themes, which we can put together to form big raffle prizes.

- Class 1 gift wrapping (ie paper, gift bags, ribbons, sellotape etc)
- · Class 2 chocolate
- · Class 3 festive food
- Class 4 relax and pamper (ie bubble bath, shower gel, candles, cheap DVDS etc)



Further information, along with an envelope containing raffle tickets, was sent home on Thursday via bookbags and we would be grateful if you could return the reply slips as soon as possible to indicate if you are able to provide baking for the LSA Cake Stall or provide support on the day. When returning raffle tickets and money, please ensure these are securely sealed in a clearly marked envelope for security. This year we are also asking Year 6 pupils to come along and help out in the Games' room and Craft room. If your child would like to take part, please complete the reply slip and return to school as soon as possible.

#### LSA Cinema Night ~ Friday 20 January 2017

The LSA will be holding a Cinema Night in school on Friday 20 January 2017 from 3.15 to 5.30pm. More details will follow in the New Year.

#### Community Noticeboard

We are delighted to be able to promote community events in our Friday
News that may be of interest to our families and friends. If you would like
us to promote a local event please pass the details to the school office by
Wednesday to be included in the Friday News of that week



#### Skipton Tennis Centre ~ Christmas Holiday Camps

Please find attached flyer regarding events taking place at Skipton Tennis Centre over the Christmas Holiday period for your information.

#### Skipton Food Bank



Please remember we are continuing to collect items, which is ongoing until further notice. Please feel free to place items in the box in the main reception area when you can.

#### Diary of Events

Please note there may be circumstances in which these dates are subject to change:

Sc	hool	Events:	

Sat 26 Nov 2016 - Christmas Fair in school between 12 noon and 4.00pm

Wed 30 Nov 2016 - Class 3 trip to Jorvik Viking Museum

Tue 6 Dec 2016 - Whole school Christmas Concert at South Craven School ~ 6pm

Tue 13 Dec 2016 - Christmas Lunch

Thu 15 Dec 2016 - Christmas Party Day ~ non-school uniform day

Fri 16 Dec 2016 - Schools breaks up at 3.15pm

Tue 2 Jan 2017 - School closed for Staff Training

Wed 3 Jan 2017 - School reopens

- Pantomime performance in school by West End in Schools

Sun 15 Jan 2017 - Deadline for the submission of application form for a primary school place for September 2017

Mon 16 Jan 2017 - Class 4 trip to Yorkshire Museum of Farming, York

Community Events:

Wed 23 Nov 2016 - Raygill Fisheries ~ Ladies Evening (Blue Ginger Boutique) Ladies

Evening at the Lodge at Raygill Fisheries on Wednesday 23 November 2016 from 7pm onwards. Everyone welcome to attend.

The bar will be open.

Sun 27 Nov 2016 - Rotary Club of Skipton Craven ~ The Great Skipton Santa Fun

Run and Walk. Enter online at www.skiptonsantafunrun.com

Thu 1 Dec to Sat - South Craven school presents Les Misérables School Edition on 1 to 3 December 2016 at 7.00pm. Everyone is welcome to come

along. To purchase tickets please log on to www.southcraven.org

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FOR A WEEK
OR £15
PER DAY

# TENNIS CAMPS CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS 2016

"Come along to Skipton Tennis Centre this Christmas to improve your tennis skills with our LTA qualified coaches. We've got Holiday Tennis Camps and Coaching Groups to suit all ages and abilities!"

Adam Cox, Head Coach

#### A FUN DAY FOR KIDS ... AND A DAY OFF FOR PARENTS!

This Christmas, Skipton Tennis Centre are offering 5 fun packed activity days over the holidays.

**9.00am - 1.00pm** We'll be in the Sandylands Sports Hall playing tennis, dodgeball, tiger-tig, tennis-rounders and more. If the weather permits, we'll also head outdoors for some fresh air. We'll have regular breaks throughout the morning for drinks and snacks (which we will provide).

1.00 - 3.00pm - A Christmas film and indoor picnic lunch (to be supplied by parents).

## 19th to 23rd December 2016

- 8.45am 3.00pm (activities start at 9am) 5 12 year olds
- £65 for the week, or £15 per day
- Films include; Elf, Home Alone, Miracle on 34<sup>th</sup> Street, the Polar Express and How the Grinch Stole Christmas, or bring your favourite film along to share!
- All sports equipment is supplied, along with drinks and refreshments, but please bring a packed lunch and clothing suitable for indoor and outdoor activities
- Limited to 20 places per day due to indoor activities so book now to avoid disappointment!

To book our Christmas Camp, contact the Centre (see details below) or go online for further details!









Book 3 or more days and get a half price tennis racket (£10) Perfect for a Christmas gift!

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Lothersdale Primary School ensuring all pupils achieve their full potential





