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This week's

Lothersdale Legends

have been awarded to:

Reception ~ Jude Dacre
Year 1 ~ Maxi Harper
Year 2 ~ Chloe Dixon
Year 3 ~ Evie Sedgewick
Year 4 ~ Alfie Burgess
Year 5 ~ Libby Pierson
Year 6 ~ Richard Pickles

* YEAR 6 AWARD *

This week's Year 6 Award goes to
LAYLA KIRKLEY

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EXTENDED SCHOOL'S ACTIVITIES ~ w/c 11 February 2019				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Soccer Tots 3.15 - 4.15pm	Dodgeball 3.15 - 4.00pm	Drama KS1 & KS2 3.30 - 4.30pm	Art Club 3.15 - 4.15pm	Football 3.15 - 4.15pm
			Supersports 3.15 - 4.15pm	

**Deadlines &
Reminders for w/c
18 February 2019**

It would be really helpful if requested reply slips/payments etc. could be returned by the stated deadlines to enable us to process the paperwork effectively this week.

- Mon** - Reading Plus at 8.30am
Tue - Spelling Plus at 8.30am
- Class 1 & Class 2 Netball sessions
- Class 3 and Class 4 Tag Rugby session
Wed - Reading Plus at 8.30am
Thu - Numeracy Plus at 8.30am
- NSPCC Workshop for Class 4
Fri - Reading Plus at 8.30am
- Class 3 swimming lesson

**General
School
Updates**

Please find detailed below general updates for your information. If you have any queries regarding any of the content below, please contact the school office.

Girl Guiding/Scouting 'Thinking day' - Friday 22 February 2019

World Thinking Day was established in 1926 and is celebrated by scout and guide associations around the world on February 22.

The groups are encouraged to think about scouts and guides in different countries and consider the meaning of Guiding and its global impact. To celebrate this day children who attend Brownies, Rainbows, Cubs or Beavers are welcome to come to school in their special uniform on Friday 22 February so that they can join their friends in different countries.

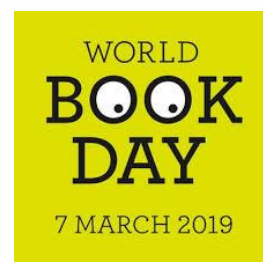


Extended Schools

The extended schools list has been sent home today in book bags with our offer of activities for after half term. Please make payment online for the paying clubs and return slips by Wednesday 20 February. We aim to have club lists up in the entrance hall by the end of school on Thursday 21 February

World Book Day - Thursday 7 March

We will be celebrating World Book Day in school on Thursday 7 March by thinking about the joy of reading at home before bedtime. We would like children to come to school for the day in their pyjamas (with usual school footwear - not slippers!) and also bring a favourite bedtime story. During the day we will spend time celebrating our books whilst relaxing drinking Fairtrade hot chocolate and Fairtrade biscuits.



Fairtrade Fortnight 25th February - 10th March 2019

At school, we will be joining in with a number of events to mark Fairtrade Fortnight. Here is some more information.



A Village Coffee Morning ~ Friday 8th March

On Friday 8th March, the school council's Fairtrade Friends group and some children from Class 3 will be helping to run a coffee morning at Lothersdale Village Hall at 10.00 - 11.30am. Please see the flier attached at the end of the Friday News. Everyone in the village and the wider school community is invited to attend.

Money raised will be shared between Nyakabungo and Triadcraft (a Fairtrade charity).

Any baking contributions on a chocolate theme will be greatly appreciated. Please could you let Mrs Kingham know if you are able to provide any cakes or buns.

Half-term Holiday Treasure Hunt

Children will also be able to take part in a Fairtrade treasure hunt in the holidays. Please see the booklet that has been sent out with the Friday New today. There will be prizes for the children who find the most items. You do not need to buy anything, just spot products.

Fairtrade Activities in School

Children will be learning about Cocoa Farmers around the world, and how Fairtrade helps them to have a better life and have a "living income". Many farmers struggle to afford healthcare, school place and basic water facilities without the help of Fairtrade cooperatives.

Fairtrade Mountain

We are collecting empty Fairtrade packaging to make a packing mountain as part of a competition run by Liz Roodhouse from Craven Development in Education. Please see the flier at the end of the newsletter.

Many thanks from

Lothersdale School Fairtrade Friends and Mrs Kingham

Parent Consultations ~ Tuesday 26 March & Wednesday 27 March 2019

Many thanks for returning your parent consultation slips. Places have now been allocated and a letter confirming your appointment time has been sent home tonight.

Class 1 Updates from Mrs Bateman

Please find detailed below Class 1 updates from Mrs Bateman. If you have any queries, please contact the school office in the first instance.

Gymnastics with Coach Leah

This week everyone in Class 1 got a headteachers sticker for their fantastic work in their gymnastics lesson. Coach Leah taught the children how to do a forward roll and said it was the best 'forward roll' lesson that she had ever taught because the children all listened carefully and had a go! Class 1 learnt to make frog's legs and then look between their legs, tuck their heads in and roll forwards quickly!

Well done Class 1 we're all really proud of you!

Class 3 Updates from Mrs Kingham & Mrs King

Please find detailed below Class 3 updates from Mrs Kingham & Mrs King. If you have any queries, please contact the school office in the first instance.



For anyone who is interested in seeing a steam train stop at a station, the Bahamas train (which is currently housed in Haworth) will be making its second special trip from Oxenhope to Carlisle on Saturday 16th February. Mrs Kingham went to Skipton station last Saturday at 6.30pm with her children and watched the train pull into the station and it was a lovely experience. Here are the times that it will be stopping at the local stations. No tickets are

available to travel on it but you can watch for free.

OXENHOPE - CARLISLE - TOUR 2 DETAILS

Date: Saturday 16th February 2019. Please see timetable below:

Oxenhope dep. 0815. Haworth dep. 0820. Keighley dep. 0850. Skipton dep. 0925. Appleby arr. 1152. Appleby dep. 1211. Carlisle arr. 1255.

Carlisle dep. 1530. Appleby arr. 1620. Appleby dep. 1640. Skipton arr. 1905. Keighley arr. 1945. Haworth arr. 2015. Oxenhope arr. 2025.

Further information is available on - <https://kwvr.co.uk/bahamas-railtour-part-2/>

Class 3 are looking forward to their trip after half term. Following a pre-visit last week, Mrs Kingham wanted to let you all know that the engine sheds are cool, especially at this time of the year, so children should bring hats, scarves and gloves to wear during the day. There are warmer areas though, such as the "learning coach". The train where we eat lunch (it is stationary as it is in the engine shed) and the train ride to Oxenhope and back will be warm too.

Class 4 Updates
from
Mrs Fawcett

Please find detailed below Class 4 updates from Mrs Fawcett. If you have any queries, please contact the school office in the first instance.

We've been very busy in Class 4 this week. Following safer internet day, we have spent time discussing different on-line scenarios, thinking carefully about how we would respond to different situations and what advice we would give to others too. The ThinkUKnow website has supported us in this process.

The lunchtime netball session with Leah went very well this week and a team has now been selected to represent the school in the cluster competition at South Craven. We are looking forward to the session next week when court positions will be allocated. Likewise, many of us are having increased success each week in our tag rugby sessions with Hedley.

Representatives from the NSPCC joined us in school again today, delivering a workshop which built on the assembly they delivered last week. Our class discussions were thought provoking, the leaders complementing the children on their mature responses and their excellent listening skills.

Brown spelling books have been collected in so that the lists for spring 2 can be stuck in before we break up for the half term holiday next Friday. Children have been asked to write the patterns for the last two tests of this half term in their diary and to use this whilst their brown book is in school.

School Office
Information

If you have any queries regarding any of content below, please contact the school office.



SCHOLASTIC

Scholastic Book Fair ~ Parent Helpers

So far we have had 3 offers of help for our book fair

and would really appreciate some more parent helpers to support us at our event, which takes place this year during the week beginning 26 February 2017 as follows:

- Two volunteers ~ Monday 4 March - 8.30 to 9.00am
- Two volunteers ~ Tuesday 5 March - 8.30 to 9.00am
- Two volunteers ~ Wednesday 6 March - 8.30 to 9.00am
- Two volunteers ~ Wednesday 6 March - 3.00 to 3.45pm

This will involve taking money and recording purchases made at the above sessions. If you are able to help out at any of the above dates/times, please contact Mrs Ellison in the School Office or by email as soon as possible so that the rota can be prepared.

Sporting Events

Please find detailed below information regarding sporting events taking place out of school. If you have any queries, please contact the school office.



Many congratulations to Logan, Layla and Millie who competed in the Keighley and Craven cross country event at Cliff Castle, Keighley on Tuesday this week. All three tried really hard in their respective races and we are very proud of their achievements. Here they are in action!

- Logan MacNamara - 47th boy
- Layla Kirkley - 3rd girl
- Millie Smith - 5th girl.

School Website Updates

Remember to look on our School Website for further information on what is happening around school! New postings on our website this week are listed below:

Friday News

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.

Lothersdale Holiday Club ~ Easter Holidays

Please remember that the Out Of School Club is currently taking bookings for their Easter holiday club.

Christ Church Lothersdale Café Church ~ Sunday 24 February 2019



Christ Church Lothersdale welcomes you to their Café Church Service on Sunday 24 February 2019 at Christ Church, Lothersdale. Breakfast is served at 9.00am followed by church worship at 9.30am. Everyone is very welcome to come along and take part in this relaxed atmosphere.

Glusburn Youth Theatre

Please see the attached flier the Glusburn Youth Theatre's next production ~ Sleeping Beauty which falls in the half term holiday.



Keighley Women's Refuge (Bradford Women's Aid)

Please remember we are linked up with Christchurch Lothersdale to support Keighley Women's Refuge and a box is available in the main reception area for any donations you may wish to bring in towards this charity ~ this collection will be ongoing until further notice. Please feel free to place items in the box in the main reception area when you can.

The Women's Refuge provide home starter packs when the families are rehoused, which comprise the following (new) items: *Toiletries, cleaning products, cleaning equipment, kitchen equipment (eg pans, plates, mugs), food items (long life food items are ideal, eg tins and packets of food)*. If you are able to donate any of the above, they will be gratefully received. Many thanks.

Diary of Events

If you wish to promote a community event in our diary below, please contact the school office. Please note there may be circumstances in which these dates are subject to change:

School Events:

- Fri 22 Feb 2019** - School breaks up at 3.15pm for February half-term
- Mon 4 Mar 2019** - School re-opens at 9.00am
- Mon 4 Mar 2019** - Scholastic Book Fair ~ 8.30 to 9.00am
- Tue 5 Mar 2019** - LSA Pancake Tea
- Tue 5 Mar 2019** - Scholastic Book Fair ~ 8.30 to 9.00am
- Wed 6 Mar 2019** - Scholastic Book Fair ~ 8.30 to 9.00am and 3.00 to 3.45pm
- Wed 6 Mar 2019** - Y5/6 Netball Festival at South Craven (selected pupils)
- Thu 7 Mar 2019** - World Book Day
- Fri 9 Mar 2019** - Fairtrade Coffee Morning at Lothersdale Village Hall - 10am
- Mon 11 Mar 2019** - Class 1 & Class 2 ~ Parent Forum at 9.00am
- Tue 12 Mar 2019** - Class 3 & Class 4 ~ Parent Forum at 9.00am
- Tue 12 Mar 2019** - Come Dine With Me ~ Year 1
- Wed 13 Mar 2019** - Class 3 visit to Ingrow Education Centre, KWVR
- Thu 21 Mar 2019** - KS2 High Adventure Climbing Competition (selected pupils)
- Tue 26 Mar 2019** - Parent Consultations ~ 2.30pm to 8.00pm
- Wed 27 Mar 2019** - Parent Consultations ~ 2.00 to 5.30pm
- Thu 28 Mar 2019** - Crucial Crew for Year 6
- Thu 4 Apr 2019** - Y6 Parents/Carers ~ South Craven School Information Evening
- Wed 10 Apr 2019** - Y5/6 Tag Rugby Tournament at SCS (selected pupil)
- Thu 11 Apr 2019** - Easter Lunch
- Fri 12 Apr 2019** - School breaks up at 3.15pm for the Easter break
- Tue 7 May 2019** - LSA Bag2School collection at 9.30am
- 5-7 Jun 2019** - Year 4 visit to Eshton Grange
- Fri 21 Jun 2019** - Class 4 visit to Murton Park near York ~ Roman Day

Community Events:

- Sat 6 Apr 2019** - 'Tidy Lothersdale Day' ~ please contact Simon Ward (simon@bethelchapellothersdsale.co.uk) for more details.