

FRIDAY NEWSLETTER



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EXTENDED SCHOOL'S ACTIVITIES ~ w/c 10 June 2019								
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday				
Birdwatching	Lego Club	Drama KS1 & KS2	Art Club	Mindful Club				
3.15 - 4.00pm	12.30 - 1.00pm	3.30 - 4.30pm	3.15 - 4.15pm	12.30 - 1.00pm				
Get Groovy	Gardening Club	Advanced Running Club	Supersports	Mini Olympics				
3.15 - 4.15pm	3.15 - 4.00pm	3.15 - 4.15pm	3.15 - 4.15pm	3.15 - 4.15pm				
Multisports	Rounders			NO FOOTBALL				
3.15 - 4.15pm	3.15 - 4.15pm			THIS WEEK				
	Woolcraft							
	3.15 - 4.15pm							

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:

Mon 10 Jun

- LSA meeting in school at 7.30pm ~ everyone welcome

Deadlines & Reminders for w/c 10 June 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

- Deadline for the return of the Class 4 Murton Park visit consent form & outstanding contributions
- Deadline for the return of outstanding Year 4 Languages Fair reply slips
- Class 1 & Class 2 tennis sessions
- Class photo packs and Year 6 Leavers' photo packs will be sent out via bookbags
- LSA Sunflower raffle in the playground after school

Tue - Class 3 & Class 4 Rounders

- September 2019 Reception pupils ~ transition (1.00 to 3.00pm)
- Y5/6 Rounders Festival at South Craven School (selected pupils)

Wed - Reading Plus at 8.30am

Thu - Deadline for the return of the Class 3 Cliffe Castle reply slip & contribution

Fri - Reading Plus at 8.30am

- Deadline for the return of the LSA 'Grow a £1' Project consent form (see LSA letter sent out today)
- Class 2 swimming sessions
- NO FOOTBALL SESSION

Health & Safety Update!

Access to the Woodland Area

Please note that, following a Health and Safety meeting, we have updated our signage to the woodland area. At break time and lunchtime the area is supervised by two members of staff to meet our health and safety/insurance requirements.

Unfortunately we are unable to allow access to the woodland area outside normal school hours (before 9am and after 3.15pm) and would therefore be grateful if parents/carers could supervise children accordingly to ensure they <u>do not</u> enter the woodland area before and/or after school. Many thanks for your support.

Severe Nut Allergy

FOOD ALLERGY WARNING NUT FREE ZONE

Please do not bring any nuts or products containing nuts into school.

Thank you for keeping our children safe!

We currently have children in school with nut allergies (one of whom has a severe nut allergy) and therefore it is important that we try and ensure the school is as 'nut free' as possible.

We would be grateful if you could refrain from bringing any nuts, or products containing nuts, onto the school premises and we thank you for your support in helping to keep all our

children safe in school.

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.

Extended Schools ~ Summer 2019 Second Half Woolcraft

The Woolcraft group would like to make some blue and white bunting for Sports Day.



They have got some blue and white wool and the children are going to knit some triangles. We could do with quite a few triangles and therefore would like to open it up to any of the children at school

who can knit, along with parents/carers or grandparents. Woolcraft club is happy to supply the wool - please ask Mrs Ellison in the school office.

The pattern is as follows:

Cast on 3 stitches, then increase one stitch at the beginning of each row until the triangle is 12cm long then cast off.

Dates to Remember:

- There will be no Football session on Friday 14 June 2019.
- There will be no clubs on Wednesday 3 July 2019 due to Sports Day.
- There will be no Get Groovy club on Monday 8 July 2019.

Let's Celebrate ~ Eid

This week Muslims around the world have been celebrating Eid. The festival of Eid marks the end of Ramadam, a holy month of fasting. We have learnt about this festival in our assemblies this week and children in Class 1 enjoyed eating some of the special foods that Muslims prepare in their Eid feasts in their classroom.

LSA Newsletter

The LSA Newsletter has been sent out via bookbags today with all the current news and event dates for your information.

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.

Transition ~ New Reception Children

On Tuesday afternoon we were delighted to welcome our new reception children for their first visit to 'big' school. We have 15 new children starting in September and Mrs Bateman was really pleased with how they all settled and started to make new friends. A special mention must be made to our Year 5 pupils who gave our new children and their families such a warm welcome to Lothersdale Primary School.

Eid Celebrations



This week Class 1 have been learning all about Eid. They remembered that Ramadan is a holy month for Muslims and that Eid is the celebration at the end of Ramadan. The children made the link between Ramadan and Christmas as, in both celebrations, families eat special meals together and

exchange presents. At the end of Ramadan Muslims break their fast with a special meal and the children tasted naan bread and made a mint and yoghurt dip to try. Class 1 have learnt about so many celebrations this year including Christmas, Holi, Diwali and Easter and over the next few weeks the children will be making an information book to take to church to share with Reverend Collings.

Class 2 Updates from Mr Craven

Please find detailed below Class 2 updates from Mr Craven. If you have any queries, please contact the school office in the first instance.

Class 2 ~ Swimming Contributions

The deadline for payment of contributions towards Class 2's weekly swimming lessons this term was Monday 3 June 2019. If you have not yet made a contribution and still wish to do so, please ensure payment is made as soon as possible to enable us to administer the costs effectively. No child will be excluded if his or her parents/carers do not contribute, but if insufficient voluntary contributions are received then regrettably, this activity will not continue.

Class 3 Updates from Mrs King & Miss Gallagher

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

Class 3 September 2019 ~ Current Year 2 Transition

The Year 2 children have had a lovely few days in Class 3 getting ready for being Year 3s in September. On Wednesday, they had a fun day working in team point groups with the Year 3 children. In the afternoon, they had a competition to see who could build the strongest bridge using straws, lollipop sticks and masking tape.

On Thursday, all the children enjoyed a special science lesson together with Mrs Woolley from South Craven. Everyone really enjoyed looking like a real scientist, wearing safety glasses to protect their eyes. They were fascinated and amazed at how the universal indicator changed the colour of different liquids and that then helped them to work out if it was an acid or an alkali. It was like we were in Hogwarts making potions! The children know how to make their own colour indicator by boiling red cabbage and using the water to test out different liquids at home, although they will need help from an adult to do that. Have a look at some of our photos. Miss Gallagher is very proud of how hard the Year 3's have worked to help the Year 2's feel comfortable and enjoy their transition days. In addition, all the Year 2's have worked really hard and have thoroughly enjoyed themselves being part of Class 3. Well done everyone!

Year 4 ~ Eshton Grange Residential Visit

















Our Year 4 children have had an amazing few days at Eshton Grange and the weather has been perfect, enabling them to use the swimming pool as much as possible!

On Thursday they had a funpacked day at Ingleton exploring the Waterfall Trail where, three quarters of the way round, they were treated to ice creams and ice lollies. They then walked across the stepping stones to White Scar Caves.

After lunch, they were kitted out with helmets and headed into the cave for an excellent history tour of the cave.

Happy and tired, they travelled back to Eshton Grange for another welcome dip in the pool.



Many thanks to Mr Craven, Mrs Hill and Miss Laycock who all gave up their time to look after

the children superbly during the three day trip. Thank you also to Jenny Smith who supported the staff on Thursday by helping out with meals at Eshton Grange and the trip to Ingleton.

Last, but not least, we must thank Mark and his team at Eshton Grange for their wonderful hospitality.



Class 3 Visit to Cliffe Castle Museum ~ Thursday 20 June 2019

Class 3 will be visiting Cliffe Castle on Thursday 20 June 2019 (this is a change of date from last week's Friday News) as part of their history topic this term and a letter and consent form has been sent out today with full

details. Please ensure the completed consent form is returned to school, and contribution made via ParentPay towards this trip, by <u>Thursday 13 June 2019</u>.

Year 4 Languages Fair at South Craven School ~ Tuesday 18 June 2019

Please remember to return outstanding reply slips to school on <u>Monday 10 June 2019</u> to enable us to meet the South Craven School deadline.

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.

Y5/6 'Harry Potter' Science Event at SCS ~ Thursday 6 June 2019

Well done to our team of 'scientists' from Year 5 ~ Alice, George, Jacob, Finn, Millie O, Daisy, Layla S, Millie S, Georgia and Annie ~ who took part in the Science Event at South Craven School yesterday. They had a fabulous time and, linked to the theme of Harry Potter, they made their own magic slime and mixed potions in Professor Snape's lab! Mrs Bateman was proud of their behaviour and contribution. Well done!

Class 4 visit to Murton Park (York) ~ Friday 21 June 2019

Letters were sent out yesterday regarding the Roman Day at Murton Park near York on Friday 21 June 2019. Please ensure the completed consent form is returned to school on Monday 10 June 2019. We still have a number of outstanding contributions towards this visit. If you have not yet paid and still wish to do so, please ensure payment is made by Monday 10 June. Please note that if the payment is not showing up on your ParentPay account, then payment has already been received for this visit.

Year 6 ~ PHSE ~ Thursday 4 July 2019

Letters have been sent out today regarding the puberty talk for Year 6 children on Thursday 4 July 2019.

Year 5 ~ Skipton Girls' High School Open Evening for Sept 2020 entry

Letters have been sent out today to parents/carers of girls currently in Year 5 regarding the Open Evening taking place at Skipton Girls' High School on Wednesday 10 July 2019. The letter also details the admissions process if you are considering putting your daughter forward for the selection test. <u>Please note that Lothersdale Primary School is outside the catchment area.</u>

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.

Class 4 ~ Brownlee Triathlon ~ Friday 24 May 2019
We had a great time at the Brownlee triathlon at

Bradford Grammar School on Friday 24 May. Everyone completed all disciplines with absolute focus and determination and were very proud of their achievements.





Firstly, we all completed a 50m swim in the pool, quickly dressed into our shorts and 'Triathlon' t-shirts and ran out of the swimming pool as quickly as



we could. We headed towards the bikes, jumped on and completed an 800m cycle ride, carefully negotiating the course.



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Finally, we dismounted our bikes and completed the final leg of the challenge, running 300m around the marked track.

All children were incredibly supportive of each other, those who had completed the course cheering on and running alongside their team mates as they made their way to the finish line. Without exception. all children had a brilliant time and were grateful to be given such a brilliant opportunity, many saying they would like to compete in a triathlon again soon.

What a fabulous way to end the half-term!

Y5/6 Rounders Festival at SCS ~ Tuesday 11 June 2019

Good luck to Megan, Matilda, Alex, Oliver H, Layla K, Lily, Will L, Jack S and Millie S, who will be playing rounders against local primary schools next Tuesday at South Craven School.

School Office Information

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

Class Photographs and Year 6 Leavers' Photographs

All class and Year 6 Leavers' photo packs will issued via bookbags on Monday. If you wish to purchase your child's class photograph, please ensure the <u>sealed</u> named envelope containing payment and completed order form is returned to school by <u>Monday 17 June 2019</u>. The orders will then be collected by courier for processing. Please note that the actual class photographs have been placed in the main reception area for you to view prior to purchase.

School Deadlines

May we remind parents/carers of the importance of returning reply slips and/or making payments by the requested deadlines. Despite text reminders, returned paperwork is still not making it back into the school office and it is becoming increasing difficult for the administrator to maintain deadlines set by other providers. We would be grateful if you could support the school in this matter. Many thanks.

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

Class 3 Page ~ Year 2/Year 3 transition photographs

Class 3 Page ~ Eshton Grange updates

Class 4 Page ~ Brownlee Triathlon photographs

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.

Christ Church Lothersdale Café Church ~ Sunday 16 June 2019



Christ Church Lothersdale welcomes you to their Café Church Services on Sunday 16 June 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.

Stone Gappe Hall Garden Party ~ Saturday 29 June 2019

Please see attached a flyer regarding the Garden Party taking place at Stone Gappe Hall, Lothersdale on Saturday 29 June 2019, for your information.

Lothersdale Holiday Club

Please find attached a flyer regarding places at Lothersdale Holiday Club over the summer holidays, for your information.

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:

w/c 10 Jun 2019 - Year 1 Phonics Screening Week

Tue 11 Jun 2019 - New Reception transition visit (week 2)

Tue 11 Jun 2019 - Y5/6 Rounders Festival at SCS (selected pupils)

Tue 18 Jun 2019 - New Reception transition visit (week 3)

Tue 18 Jun 2019 - Y5/6 Languages Festival at SCS (selected pupils)

Wed 19 Jun 2019 - Class 1 & Class 2 Parent Forum at 9.00am

Thu 20 Jun 2019 - Class 3 & Class 4 Parent Forum at 9.00am

Fri 21 Jun 2019 - Class 4 Roman Day at Yorkshire Farming Museum, Murton Park

Tue 25 Jun 2019 - New Reception transition visit (week 4)

Tue 25 Jun 2019 - New Reception Parents' Welcome Evening at 7.00pm

Wed 26 Jun 2019 - Y1/2 Mini Olympics at South Craven School (selected children)

Thu 27 Jun 2019 - Year 6 Transition Day at Ermysted's Grammar School

Thu 27 Jun 2019 - Year 6 Transition Day at Skipton Girls' High School

Mon 1 Jul 2019 - Year 6 Induction Day at South Craven School (Day 1)

Tue 2 Jul 2019 - Year 6 Induction Day at South Craven School (Day 2)

Tue 2 Jul 2019 - New Reception transition visit (week 5)

Tue 2 Jul 2019 - Internet Safety Evening for parents/carers (more details to follow)

Tue 2 Jul 2019 - Year 5 Ermysted's Open Evening (for entry in Sept 2020)

Wed 3 July 2019 - Sports Day ~ 1.30pm

Thu 4 Jul 2019 - Wimbledon Lunch

Thu 4 Jul 2019 Year 5 Day at South Craven School Tue 9 Tue 2019 New Reception transition visit (week 6) and parents' school lunch Wed 10 Jul 2019 Y5 South Craven Open Evening ~ Sept 2020 intake ~ 6.00pm Thu 11 Jul 2019 Reserve Sports Day at 1.30pm Fri 12 Jul 2019 Last Class 2 swimming lesson Fri 12 Jul 2019 Extended schools activities finish Wed 17 Jul 2019 Year 6 Leavers' Lunch Wed 17 Jul 2019 Year 6 Leavers' Concert Dress Rehearsal at 2.00pm Wed 17 Jul 2019 Year 6 Leavers' Concert and Presentation at 7.00pm Thu 18 Jul 2019 Class 1 & Class 2 Leavers' Disco ~ 6.00pm to 7.15pm (with Year 6) Thu 18 Jul 2019 Class 3 & Class 4 Leavers' Disco ~ 7.30pm to 8.45pm Fri 19 Jul 2019 School breaks up for the summer break at 3.15pm

Community Events:

Sat 8 Jun 2019 - Lothersdale Summer Safari Supper Sat 13 Jul 2019 - Lothersdale 85^{th} Young Farmers' Show

STONE GAPPE HALL, LOTHERSDALE



Mr and Mrs Richard McAlpine, who reside at Stone Gappe Hall, Lothersdale, hold a Garden Party each year in aid of local charities and invite everybody from the village to attend, enjoy the gardens and take afternoon tea. This year they are hoping to have entertainment from the Pendle Hippodrome (who are currently showing 'Shrek The Musical'), ensuring it will be a fun event for all ages.

The invitation has kindly been extended to all the children of Lothersdale Primary School and their families.

The event will be held on

Saturday 29th June 2019 from 2 to 4pm

Tickets are charged at £5 per adult, children are free entry.

Tickets can be purchased from Ed and Chris Mitchell at 3 North View, Lothersdale or telephone 01535 631837

All funds raised from the event are donated to local charities which include the Lothersdale Village Hall and this year, the Pendle Hippodrome Theatre





















Lothersdale Holiday Club Ltd

Open for the first four weeks of the summer holidays on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays

 1^{st} week open - 23^{rd} , 24^{th} & 25^{th} July 2^{nd} week open - 30^{th} & 31^{st} July & 1^{st} August 3^{rd} week open - 6^{th} , 7^{th} & 8^{th} August 4^{th} week open - 13^{th} , 14^{th} & 15^{th} August

Booking cut off dates, 1st week - 5th July, 2nd week - 12th July, 3rd week - 19th July & 4th week - 26th July

Childcare for 4-14 years olds £25 per session 8-6pm, £15 per half session 8-1 or 1-6pm

> 01535 634863 07508241441

outofschoolclub@googlemail.com

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ACTIVITIES TO FOLLOW

Lothersdale Annual Sunflower Competition ~ 2nd year ~



Flowers will be raffled off in the School playground

Monday 10th June

After school.

£2.50 a flower.

Prizegiving will be on Sunday 8th September at Raygill Fisheries

And announced at assembly when you return to school.

Prize for Tallest grown by 'villagers'

and

Prize for tallest grown by 'school'

and

Prize for Champion of Champion (tallest overall)

All money raised will be split 50/50 between Lothersdale Primary School

The Brain Tumour Research Charity in Memory of Peter Paeglis



'GROW A £1' PROJECT



Lothersdale School Association would like to introduce their 'Grow a £1' Project to encourage children to engage in learning that promotes entrepreneurial skills, whilst also raising money towards their end of school disco!!

The idea is that the LSA will give children, who want to take part in the project, £1. They will then be challenged to do something with the £1 to generate more money, which will then be donated to the LSA. All the monies raised will go towards paying for the end of year school disco and other items that they fundraise for school.

This type of fundraising scheme has been successfully completed in other local primary schools and here are some of the ideas of how other children have 'grown their £1':

- 1 Making cakes/biscuits some children chose to work in a group and pool their £1 coins together to buy ingredients to make cakes to sell to their family/friends.
- 2 Guess how many sweets in a jar one child spent £1 on sweets and then filled a jar with them. People then had to pay to guess how many sweets there were and the winner won the sweets!
- 3 Car washing service some children worked collaboratively to set up a car washing service, using their £1 coins to buy the equipment.
- 4 Making book marks children bought materials to make book marks and sold them.
- 5 Teddy Bear raffle one child bought raffle tickets with the £1 coin and donated some of her own teddies and raised money by running a raffle.
- 6 Selling ice lollies a few could club together as a team and sell ice lollies on sunny days after school!

As you can see there are lots of enterprising ideas!

Anybody with a 'product' to sell will be given the opportunity to sell the 'product' on Friday 21 June, Friday 28 June, Wednesday 3 July (Sports Day) or the Young Farmers have agreed to let us have some tables at their annual show on Saturday 13 July 2019.

We are sure that your children will come up with some fabulous ideas on how to grow their £1. Your child might like to keep a simple diary and take photos of their project too, which will be displayed in the school hall and could be used to update everyone on how the project is progressing.

We would like to encourage as many children as possible in our school to take part in this project however it is certainly not compulsory. It is open to all pupils. If your child would like to take part in this exciting project, please complete the attached consent form and return to school in an envelope addressed to the LSA by <u>Friday 14 June 2019</u>. The £1 will then be issued via bookbags on Monday 17 June 2019.

The children will have until Friday 19 July 2019 to run their businesses, with the aim of making as much money as possible to return to the LSA. If you have any questions please contact Laura Sykes.

There will be a prize for the child/group who raises the most money. Good luck everyone!

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LSA 'GROW A f1' PROJECT

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I consent to (name of child) Lothersdale School Association 'Grow a £1' Project.		taking	part	in	the			
Signed (parent/carer):								
Date:	Please return this reply slip b	v Fridav	14 Ju	ne 2	2019			



Lothersdale Primary School ensuring all pupils achieve their full potential



