

## Lothersdale Legends

This week's Lothersdale Legends  
have been awarded to:

Reception - **Woody Smith**

Year 1 - **Isla Platt**

Year 2 - **Margot Cranham**

Year 3 - **Annie Woodhead**

Year 4 - **All Year 4 Pupils**

Year 5 - **Jessica Smith**

Year 6 - **Gracie Newiss**

**\* YEAR 6 AWARD \***

This week's Year 6 Award goes to  
**NYIMA SMITH**

## Deadlines & Reminders for w/c 12 June 2017

- Mon** - Deadline for the return of the Y1-2 Mini Olympics reply slip (selected pupils)
- Tue** - September 2017 Reception pupils ~ transition (1.00 to 3.15pm)
- School Health ~ Reception Class Vision Tests at 1.30pm
- LSA Meeting in school at 7.30pm ~ everyone welcome to attend
- Wed** - Y5/6 Rounders Festival at SCS ~ 4pm start (selected pupils)
- Thu** - Class Photographs & Year 6 Leavers' Photographs at 9.30am
- Fri** - Class 2 swimming lesson

### EXTENDED SCHOOLS' ACTIVITIES ~ w/c 12 June 2017

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
French Club 12.25 - 1.00pm	Ukulele Club 10.25 to 10.55am	Board Games & Jigsaws 8.20 - 8.50am	Netball 12.25 - 1.00pm	Dodgeball 8.15 - 9.00am
Gymnastics: Club 1 3.15 - 4.15pm	Glee Club 12.25 - 12.55pm	Rounders 3.15 - 4.15pm	Supersports 3.15 - 4.15pm	Jewellery & Puppet Making 12.25 - 12.55pm
Gymnastics: Club 2 4.20 - 5.20pm	Gardening Club 3.15 - 4.00pm	Drama KS1 & KS2 3.30 - 4.30pm		Rugby Tots 3.15 - 4.15pm
Lego & Construction 3.15 - 4.00pm	Jump Rope 3.15 - 4.00pm			Football 3.15 - 4.15pm
Running 3.15 - 4.15pm	Get Groovy 3.15 - 4.15pm			
	Woolcraft 3.15 - 4.15pm			



### **Class 3 ~ Wear Purple on Friday 9 June 2017 for J.I.A**

Thank you to everyone who wore purple in support of the JIA charity today and contributed towards this worthwhile cause. Everyone looked brilliant in their purple/pink outfits. The bun sale was held after the newsletter was written so I will let you know how much you helped raise in next week's Friday News.

*Thank you, Katie Lyell in Class 3*

### **Class 4 ~ Bottle Top request**

Thank you to those who have already sent bottle tops into school. Please remember to continue saving them for us for our next art project. We need to collect lots more coloured bottle tops for our recycled mosaic project that we're going to be doing. We need washed bottle tops of all sizes and colours; it doesn't matter if they have writing on them, and the more the better! There is a small box in the main reception area for you to place the bottle tops in.



*Thank you from Class 4*

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

### **Class Photographs and Year 6 Leavers' Photographs ~ Thursday 15 June 2017**

The class photographs and Year 6 leavers' photographs will take place on Thursday 15 June 2017 at 9.30am.

### **Class 1 Conservation Project ~ Tuesday 6 June 2017**

Our Conservation Project was put on hold this week due to the weather conditions, but Class 1 still managed to get out to the woods, where they experienced lots of sounds ~ the gushing of the stream, the wind and rain through the trees and the bird sounds etc.

### **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 4 pupils who stood in for our Year 5 pupils and gave our new children and their families such a warm welcome to Lothersdale Primary School.

## Year 4 ~ Eshton Grange Residential Visit



Year 4 have had a fantastic time at Eshton Grange ~ their first ever school residential visit. Despite the terrible weather conditions on Thursday the children were able to do part of the Waterfalls Walk, but the stepping stones over to White Scar Caves were impassable and the group had to return via the same route back to the Waterfalls car park to meet the minibus. They had lunch at White Scar Caves and visited the shop, but

unfortunately the cave tour was cancelled due to high water levels in the cave system. The cave tour organiser, however, was able to take them a short way in to enable them to view the first waterfall, which was very impressive after heavy rainfall. Thank you to Miss Gallagher, Mrs Severs and Miss Duncan for giving up their time to support the children on this visit and also to Jenny Smith for spending the day with them on Thursday to get to know the children ready for their week's residential in the autumn term.

## Class 4 trip to Yorkshire Museum of Farming (Roman Day) ~ Tuesday 6 June 2017

Class 4 had an amazing time at Murton Park on Tuesday when we took on the role of Roman soldiers. Complete with authentic tunics, helmets, shields and weapons, we completed training with spears and daggers. In the 'Fabrica' (workshop), we learnt how to make oil lamps from clay, in the 'Principia' (headquarters) we wrote using Roman script, and caught up with our fellow comrades in the 'Lavatorium' (toilet block). We were thankful that we had learnt the 'Testudo' (tortoise formation) as we were attacked by a stray warrior from the Celtic settlement. Thankfully, down to our excellent skills, communication and planning, we fought off the intruder and arrived back safely in Lothersdale as planned!

## Judo sessions

Today we have welcomed British Judo into school who have delivered 30 minute taster sessions to all the children in school. British Judo have targeted the Craven area as a region for investment and we were very pleased that we were able to access the coaching today. A flyer has been sent out in bookbags today for more information on local classes if your child expresses an interest in taking up the sport.



## Campfire Lunch ~ Thursday 29 June 2017

Thank you for returning the reply slips for our special Campfire Lunch on Thursday 29 June 2017. The deadline has now passed and we are unable to accept any late reply slips as Mrs Varley has already placed her food order.

## Lothersdale Woodland Discovery Day ~ Saturday 10 June 2017

The Lothersdale Recreational & Woodland Management Team is holding a Discovery Day in Lothersdale Park on Saturday 10 June and we attach a poster to this newsletter with full details for your information and flyers (designed by pupils) have also been sent out via bookbags. A lot of our younger children in school have been busy painting bird boxes, which will be installed in the woodland area of the park. Danielle Brown, an ex-Lothersdale pupil and Paralympic Gold Medallist (Beijing 2008 and London 2012), will be judging the bird box competition. It is hoped as many children from school can be there with their families on the day, which starts at 12 noon.

## Lothersdale Out of School Club / Holiday Club Update

### Holiday Clubs

Summer Holidays - we are now planning for Holiday Club in the summer holidays. We will be open for the first four weeks on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Please book as soon as possible if you would like your child(ren) to attend.

### Lothersdale Out of School Club

For clarification for those children who are booked into the Out of School Club on a permanent basis, fees must be paid in full before the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month, regardless of whether your child attends or not.

## School Office and Updates

### Class 2 ~ Swimming Contributions

The deadline for payment of contributions towards Class 2's weekly swimming lessons this term has now passed and we have currently received 77% of contributions towards these lessons, but need at least 85% to make it financially viable. Please note that, although teaching swimming is part of the school curriculum, the school receives no extra funding for swimming and relies on parental contributions to enable the children to take part in this activity. Therefore if you have not yet made a contribution and still wish to do so, we would be very grateful.

### Kids Factor 50+ Suncream for sale in school

We still have plenty of stocks of suncream remaining. If you wish to purchase supplies of this suncream (even for family and friends), please see Mrs Ellison in the school office. Many thanks.



### 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 increasingly 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 Contact Information

Please remember that if you wish to contact a member of staff or have a general query, you can email us via [lothersdale@ycatschools.co.uk](mailto:lothersdale@ycatschools.co.uk) 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.

Please ensure school is informed if your child has a head bump out of school. This information is vital if your child suffers a secondary head bump in school, as it enables the school to take extra precautions and allow for closer monitoring in this situation.

### 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
- Class 4 Roman Day and Celtic Roundhouse photographs on the Class 4 page

## Lothersdale School Association

### Next LSA Meeting ~ Tuesday 13 June 2017

The next LSA meeting will take place in school on Tuesday 13 June 2017 at 7.30pm. Everyone is very welcome to come along to this informal evening, which is a perfect opportunity for parents/carers to get to know one another socially and to contribute any ideas towards school events.

**LSA TOWN**  
SATURDAY 1 JULY 2017  
**HALL FAYRE**

Flyers have been sent out via bookbags today regarding class donations for the LSA tombola stall and the jam jar tombola.

We would be grateful if parents/carers could possibly donate one item for the tombola and a filled jam jar ~ boxes are located in the main reception area for you to

place your items. The LSA meeting will take place on Tuesday 13 June and it would be great if as many parents as possible could attend to help with the organisation for this very busy day in the LSA/school calendar.

The LSA year group representatives should have approached you to ask you to spare an hour or two to help out on the day and we are very grateful if you are able to offer your support. If you are unable to help out on the day, there are other ways you can support our fundraiser:

- ❖ By baking a cake or buns for the LSA Cake Stall
- ❖ By asking family and friends to come along and have a cup of tea and a cake or lunch in the café
- ❖ By bringing your children along on the day as they love to have a go on the tombolas or being served by a member of the school staff working in the kitchen!

Please remember that we need your help as a parent/carer to ensure this event is successful and to help raise funds to enhance your child's education at Lothersdale Primary School.

Thank you for your support.

### 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*



#### **Praise in the Park ~ Sunday 9 July 2017**

Please find attached flyer regarding the Crosshills & District Fellowship of Churches 'Praise in the Park' event, which takes place on Sunday 9 July 2017 at 3.00pm in Sutton Park.



#### **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

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

### School Events:

- w/c 12 Jun 2017 - Year 1 Phonics Screening Week
- Wed 14 Jun 2017 - Y5/6 Rounders Festival at SCS (selected pupils)
- Thu 15 Jun 2017 - Y5/6 Workshop in school ~ 'How the human heart works'
- Thu 15 Jun 2017 - Class Photographs and Year 6 Leavers' Photographs
- Mon 19 Jun 2017 - Parent Forum ~ Class 3 & Class 4 ~ 9.00am
- Tue 20 Jun 2017 - New Reception Parents' Welcome Evening
- Thu 22 Jun 2017 - Parent Forum ~ Class 1 & Class 2 ~ 9.00am
- w/c 26 Jun 2017 - Arts Week (Woodland Theme)
- Tue 27 Jun 2017 - Class 3 Assembly ~ 9.10am
- Tue 27 Jun 2017 - Y1/2 Mini Olympics at South Craven School ~ 4.00 to 6.00pm
- Wed 28 Jun 2017 - Year 5 Day at SCS
- Thu 29 Jun 2017 - Campfire Lunch
- Thu 29 Jun 2017 - Year 6 Transition Day at Skipton Girls' High School
- Thu 29 Jun 2017 - Year 6 Transition Day at Ermysteds Grammar School
- Thu 29 Jun 2017 - Cultural Awareness Day in school
- Sat 1 Jul 2017 - LSA Town Hall Fayre, Skipton
- Mon 3 Jul 2017 - Year 6 Induction Day at SCS (Day 1)
- Tue 4 Jul 2017 - Year 6 Induction Day at SCS (Day 2)
- Tue 4 Jul 2017 - Class 4 (Year 5) Assembly at 9.10am
- Wed 5 July 2017 - South Craven School Open Evening ~ Sept 2018 Intake ~ 6.00pm
- Thu 6 Jul 2017 - Sports Day ~ 1.30pm
- Mon 10 Jul 2017 - Year 6 ~ Bikeability Training
- Tue 11 Jul 2017 - Year 6 ~ Bikeability Training
- Tue 11 Jul 2017 - Class 2 Assembly at 9.10 am
- Tue 11 Jul 2017 - New Reception Transition/Parents' School Lunch at 12 noon
- Thu 13 Jul 2017 - Reserve Sports Day ~ 1.30pm
- Fri 14 Jul 2017 - All Extended Schools Clubs finish
- Fri 14 Jul 2017 - Last Class 2 Swimming Lesson
- Tue 18 Jul 2017 - Class 1 Assembly ~ 9.10am
- Wed 19 Jul 2017 - Year 6 Leavers' Lunch
- Wed 19 Jul 2017 - Year 6 Leavers' Concert (*dress rehearsal*) ~ 2.00pm
- Wed 19 Jul 2017 - Year 6 Leavers' Concert ~ 7.00pm
- Thu 20 Jul 2017 - Class 1 & Class 2 Leavers' Disco ~ 6.00 to 7.15pm
- Thu 20 Jul 2017 - Class 3 & Class 4 Leavers' Disco ~ 7.30 to 8.45pm
- Fri 21 Jul 2017 - School breaks up at 3.15pm

### Community Events:

- Sunday 2 Jul 2017 - Family Treasure Hunt (by car) ~ 2.00 to 2.30pm start from the Village Club House.

# Woodland Open day

Please come to our woodland day at  
Lothsdale park. On Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Do you wonder what activities they is?

- archery
- bird spotting
- bird box competition
- gold medalist coming
- face painting
- stalls
- bbq

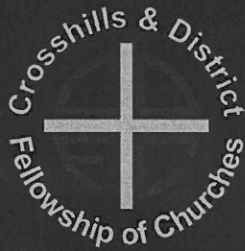
AS fun as a bouncy  
castle for children but  
they isn't one!

You might have heard Lothsdale School have  
done a bird box making competition so please  
come! Danielle Brown gold medal  
ist is the JUDGE!



BY Alice v. B





Crosshills & District Fellowship of Churches  
present

# Praise in the Park

Sunday 9th July, 3.00pm

in Sutton Park

Featuring:

Your favourite hymns\*

Sutton's Got Brass

Chris Waddington

Local Schools' Choir

& Friends Band



\*Vote for your favourite hymn at:

local churches, Crosshills Library, Sutton Convenience Store,  
or online at: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/HS8JF66>.

**Come and take part in  
A Musical Theatre Workshop of**

# **GREASE**



**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> - Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> August 2017 10am-3pm**

**Keighley Rugby Union Club, Utley, Keighley**

**With performance ON STAGE at Keighley Playhouse 2pm on the Thursday**

**Age 6-18 Come and make new friends**

**All abilities welcome, gain confidence, large and small roles available**

**Sing, dance, act and have your chance to shine**

**BOOK NOW! Contact Laura Judge 07738588308 [laurajanejudge@gmail.com](mailto:laurajanejudge@gmail.com)**

**£75 - £20 deposit to secure your place**



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