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Year 5/6 Girls' Football Team Crowned Champions at the Craven Girls' Football Tournament



LOTHERSDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL
Y5-6 GIRLS FOOTBALL TEAM
CRAVEN GIRLS' FOOTBALL COMPETITION
WINNERS ~ 25 OCTOBER 2018

Huge congratulations to our Y5/6 Girls' football team ~ Megan, Matilda, Layla K, Libby, Olivia, Layla S, Millie S and Georgia ~ who came first place in the Craven Girls' Football competition against other local schools at South Craven School yesterday.

After a triumphant victory at the mixed football tournament last week, the pressure was on the girls to see if they could repeat the success at the all-girls competition.

With a lot of teams competing, the schools were split into three groups, with the winners from each group playing for overall victory.

After winning their first two games, it came to the

final group game to decide who would progress to the final. The girls played fantastically, and won the game 2-0, meaning they were through to the next stage without conceding a goal; huge credit to all our defenders.

In the final, Lothersdale were up against the two other group winners. Two very hard games were played but the Lothersdale girls gained two well-deserved victories (again no goals were conceded!) The girls were crowned overall winners of the tournament and now progress to the next round in January. Every girl played fantastically, and all together they demonstrated great team spirit and determination - we are very proud of them all! Many thanks to Mr Craven, who has been fantastic with all our football teams this term.

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This week's

Lothersdale Legends

have been awarded to:

Reception ~ Fabi Ficu
 Year 1 ~ Natty Grey
 Year 2 ~ Oliver Rodgers
 Year 3 ~ Charlotte Stirling
 Year 4 ~ Joe Greenwood
 Year 5 ~ George Bateman
 Year 6 ~ Will Lund

* YEAR 6 AWARD *

This week's Year 6 Award goes to
 JOE MULHERON

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We wish you all a very relaxing
 half-term holiday and
 look forward to seeing
 you again on
Monday 5 November 2018



EXTENDED SCHOOL'S ACTIVITIES ~ w/c 5 November 2018				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Book Club 3.15 - 4.00pm	Art Attack! 3.15 - 4.00pm	Drama KS1 & KS2 3.30 - 4.30pm	No Art Club due to Parent Consultations	Mindful Club 12.30 - 1.00pm
Soccer Tots 3.15 - 4.15pm	Netball 3.15 - 4.15pm	No Running Club due to Parent Consultations	No Emergency Squad due to Parent Consultations	Rugby Tots 3.15 - 4.00pm
	Woolcraft 3.15 - 4.15pm		Supersports 3.15 - 4.15pm	Football 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:*

Fri 9 Nov 2018 - Class 1 visit to Christ Church, Lothersdale

Deadlines & Reminders for w/c 5 November 2018

- Mon** - Deadline for payment of Class 3 autumn term swimming lesson contribution
- Bonfire Lunch
- Tue** - Spelling Plus at 8.30am (selected pupils)
- Deadline for the return of the LSA Christmas Card Order & Payment
- Wed** - Reading Plus at 8.30am (selected pupils)
- Parent Consultations ~ 2.00pm to 5.30pm
- No Running Club due to Parent Consultations
- Thu** - Numeracy Plus at 8.30am (selected pupils)
- Parent Consultations ~ 2.30pm to 8.00pm
- No Art Club or Emergency Squad due to Parent Consultations
- Fri** - Reading Plus at 8.30am (selected pupils)
- Class 4 ~ to bring in donations for the Children in Need 'wear something yellow or spotty' at Marrick Priory on Friday 16 November
- Class 1 visit to Christ Church Lothersdale
- Class 4 Tea Dance at Lothersdale Village Hall from 1.30pm to 3.00pm
- Class 3 swimming lesson at Craven Pool

What's Happening in the Classroom and Beyond?



Stay Safe on Bonfire Night Assembly

This week all the children have been learning about staying safe on bonfire night and we have enclosed a Bonfire Night Safety Information Sheet with this newsletter, to support what they learnt in the assembly.

Class 1 ~ Visit to Christ Church Lothersdale ~ Friday 9 November 2018

Children in Class 1 will be making their first trip to Christ Church, Lothersdale on Friday 9 November 2018 following morning registration. Please ensure your child has outerwear appropriate for the weather conditions on the day.

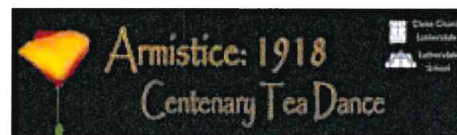


Class 1 ~ The Book Trust: Time to Read

Children in Class 1 have brought home a book pack today from The Book Trust, which contains a free book to enjoy and share through its 'Time to Read' initiative. There are lots more interesting articles about encouraging your child to read on its website ~ take a look at <http://www.booktrust.org.uk>.

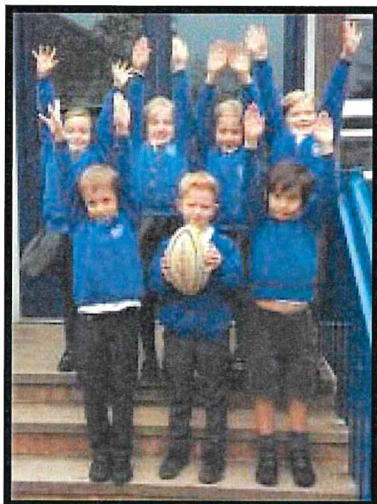
Class 4 ~ Armistice: 1918 Centenary Tea Dance on Friday 9 November 2018

Class 4 will be taking part in the Armistice 1918 Centenary Tea Dance on Friday 9 November 2018 from 1.30 to 3.00pm in collaboration with Christ Church Lothersdale.



The children will walk down to Lothersdale Village Hall in time for the 1.30pm where they will perform songs, read poems and take part in the dancing. The Year 5s will walk back to school at about 2pm whilst the Year 6s will stay and help serve refreshments ~ walking back to school in time for the 3.15pm pick up. If you wish to come along and support the children, FREE tickets must be booked in advance from Jane Carr (01535 637502) or Colin Price (01535 630097).

School House Tournaments



Class 2

With a half term of rugby nearly over, it was time for Class 2 to have their house competition. Competing in their four houses, the children set out to win the first trophy of the year. It was a fantastic competition with all children involved and demonstrating lots of the skills they had been learning.

There was lots of good teamwork to get other team's tags and some individual moments of brilliance to evade them. The scores were very close in all three games but when all the scores were totalled up, the Lions were victorious by one point.

Class 3

Class 3 have worked really hard to improve their running this half term.

Leah was impressed with the efforts of all of the houses during the cross country event on 16 October 2018. The results for Year 3 and 4 were:

1st place ~ Leopards

2nd place ~ Tigers

3rd place ~ Panthers

4th place ~ Lions

Well done to all the children.



Class 4



After a half-term of running training with Leah, Class 4 took part in the house teams' cross-country competition in the park last week. The children ran for their houses and were individually awarded points for the position in which they finished.

These points were totalled and the team with the lowest number of points was declared the winner.

There were excellent individual, as well as team performances, with Layla K finishing in first place,

Freddie W in second place and Millie S in third place. Having totalled each team's points, the overall results were:

1st place ~ Leopards - 109 points

2nd place ~ Tigers - 145 points

3rd place ~ Lions - 180 points

4th place ~ Panthers - 196 points

Congratulations to all runners, who demonstrated great determination and team spirit throughout the race. We were very proud of you all.

Extended Schools Activities ~ Autumn Term Second Half

Please note that the activity lists have now been finalised and passed on to the appropriate parties and are also available to view in the main reception area. *Please ensure you check the lists prior to the activities taking place to avoid any confusion over the times you need to collect your child from school. All children must be collected promptly at the end of each session.*

Please note that children will use their PE kit for all indoor clubs, including dance, and **no** other clothing should be brought into school. Providers will ensure the children are changed back into their school uniform at the end of the session so that PE kit remains in school.

Children taking part in outdoor clubs ~ Running, Rugby Tots, Football ~ can bring in additional sports clothing for these sessions only to ensure they are warm outside.

Please remember:

Wednesday 7 November 2018 ~ there will be no Running Club due to Parent Consultations but the Drama Sessions will continue as normal.

Thursday 8 November 2018 ~ there will be no Emergency Squad or Art Club due to the Parent Consultations but Supersports will continue as normal.

Tuesday 11 December 2018 ~ there will be no extended schools activities due to the Christmas Concert taking place at South Craven School.

Parent Forums

Thank you to all the parents who came along to our Parent Forums this week. Mrs Robinson enjoyed meeting with you all and hearing your views about school life. There was lots of good discussion and debate about lots of topics including reading, homework and parking. Your thoughts will now be shared with the school Governors and minutes of the meetings will be available on the school website in due course.

Parent Consultations ~ 7 & 8 November 2018

Our Parent Consultations Evenings will be taking place after half-term on Wednesday 7 November and Thursday 8 November. Please remember that appointments are limited to 15 minutes and we would be grateful if parents/carers could arrive on time for their allocated appointment to enable the teachers to keep to their tight schedules.

Summer Reading Challenge 2018

Well done to all those children who completed the Summer Reading Challenge over the holidays. Certificates were presented in assembly to the following children:



Class 1 : Joanie

Class 2 : Robyn

Class 3 : Jason, Millie G, Isaac, Martha

Class 4 : Poppy, Bethan, Finlay, Nancy

Children in Need ~ Friday 16 November 2018



BBC
Children
in Need

This year the school will be supporting Children in Need on Friday 16 November 2018 and the School Council have organised the following activities to raise money for this great cause:

Colouring competition: pictures to colour at home will be available from Wednesday 7 November from the School Council and it will cost 50p to enter.

Non-uniform day: dress up in yellow or something spotty on Friday 16 November 2018. All the children will be decorating a spotty bun or biscuit in school for a donation of at least £1.00. *Please note that children in Class 4 can take a small item of yellow or spotty clothing to wear at Marrick Priory on Friday 16 November. Please can we ask that you bring your donation into school on Friday 9 November to avoid having a collection at Marrick.*

Lothersdale Out of School Club ~ Homework Help

If your child attends the Out of School Club until late and you're struggling to find time for them to complete homework tasks at home (including reading) then the OOSC staff would be more than happy to help support the children during their time at the club. Please mention to the staff at OOSC if you'd like them to hear your child read or supervise them doing some of their homework activities.

Sporting Achievements

We are very grateful to those parents who have emailed in the achievements below and are delighted to be able to celebrate our pupils' sporting achievements out of school with our school community.

Charlotte ~ Fell Walking



Congratulations to Charlotte in Year 3, who successfully climbed Ben Nevis at the end of the summer holidays to complete her national three peaks challenge. She has now climbed Scafell Pike, Snowdon and Ben Nevis as well as the

three Yorkshire peaks and various other Wainwright peaks! Well done, Charlotte.

Keighley & Craven Cross Country Event



Well done to Millie O, Millie S, Dominica, Logan & Layla K who took part in the Keighley & Craven Cross Country event at Cliffe Castle on Wednesday 17 October 2018. All the children did brilliantly with Layla coming in 2nd and Millie S placing 4th in the Y5/6 Girls event.

School Office and Updates

Class 3 Swimming Lessons ~ Autumn Term

The deadline for payment of contributions towards Class 3's weekly swimming lessons this term is Monday 5 November 2018. We have currently received 38% of contributions towards these lessons and need at least 85% to make it financially viable. Please note that, although these lessons are 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. If you have not yet made a contribution and still wish to do so, please ensure payment is made by 5 November 2018 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.



Year 6 Application Form for a Secondary School Place ~ September 2019

Please remember that the deadline for the submission of application for a secondary school place in September 2019 is on Wednesday 31 October 2018. If you have not already completed the online application form, please do so as soon as possible.

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 ~ Spellings for Autumn Term Second Half

Class 1 Induction Questionnaire on Parents ~ Parent and Pupil Views

Bonfire Safety clip on Children ~ Keeping Safe

Lothersdale School Association

LSA Cinema Night ~ Thursday 25 October 2018

Thank you to all those children who came along to our Cinema Night after school today and we hope you had an enjoyable time. You helped raise approximately £150 towards school funds. Well done!



LSA Christmas Card Project ~ Tuesday 6 November 2018

Please remember that the deadline for the return of your order form and payment is Tuesday 6 November 2018. Many thanks.

LSA Christmas Fair ~ Saturday 24 November 2018

This year's Christmas Fair will be held on Saturday 24 November 2018 in school from 12pm to 3.00pm as per the attached flyer.

We have also sent out information via bookbags today and would be grateful if you could help us make this event a huge success by supporting us in either helping out on the day, baking or providing items for the tombola. Please can you send in the forms by the deadlines stated to give us plenty of time to finalise preparations.



LOTHERSDALE
CHRISTMAS FAIR
at

Lothersdale Primary School
Saturday 24 November 2018
12pm to 3pm

In the meantime, please can you help us by filling an empty jar for the Christmas Jam Jar Tombola? All the money raised will go towards helping the school pay for the new woodland area and new equipment for school. We have sent out a jam jar flyer via your child's bookbag today and would be grateful if you could return filled jam jars to school by Monday 19 November 2018. You can bring in more than one filled jar if you have a few more at home. Thank you for your continued 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



Christ Church Lothersdale Café Church Services ~ Sunday 4 November & Sunday 18 November 2018



Christ Church Lothersdale welcomes you to their Café Church Services on Sunday 4 November 2018 and Sunday 18 November 2018 at Christ Church, Lothersdale. Breakfast (bacon butties, croissants, cereal, juice, tea, coffee) 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.



The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

This year's Poppy Appeal is now underway ahead of Remembrance Day on Sunday 11 November 2018. Poppies are available in the main reception area outside the school office window. Please feel free to make a contribution for this worthwhile charity.

Following last year's successful campaign we will, once again, be selling child-friendly 'poppy' related items in school and we list the suggested prices so that you can ensure your child has enough money in school to make the contribution.

If your child wishes to buy any of these items, our Year 6 children will be selling them over breaktime until Friday 9 November, or until stocks run out!

Looking after Lothersdale ~ Saturday 24 November 2018 in the Village Hall

Are you interested in how the village looks, how well it is kept? Do you have an interest in the Recreation Ground or the woodland area? What are your thoughts about the future of the environment in the village? Then join us in the Village Hall on Saturday 24 November at 10.00am. Everyone is welcome. Tea, coffee and bacon butties will be available.

Lothersdale World War One Centenary Events



Lothersdale will be hosting various events at the beginning of November as part of the commemoration of the signing of the Armistice one hundred years ago. There will be an exhibition of the main events of the war, which will include a brief profile of those people from the village and members of families now living in Lothersdale, who served in the armed forces. As well as a simple outline of the main battles, accounts include among other things, trench warfare, the treatment of conscientious objectors, a personal account of the 1914 Christmas truce and the importance of animals.

- The exhibition will be held from 1.30pm on Thursday 1 November to Thursday 8 November in the Village Hall.

- Friday 9 November 2018 ~ Exhibition and Armistice Tea Dance (free ticket only event) in the Village Hall.
- 10 November to 30 November 2018 ~ the exhibition will be available to view in the Christ Church Meeting room (to the left of the pulpit).

Sunday 11 November 2018:

10.00am ~ Service at Christ Church

10.45am ~ Ceremony at the War Memorial

6.50pm ~ Lighting of the Armistice Beacon at Pinhaw Beacon - The National Tribute will be read at 6.50pm and the Beacon will be lit at 7.00pm (bring the whole family and torches!)

Yorkshire Attractions

Booklets have been sent out via bookbags today with information about activities taking place over the winter months along with discount vouchers for the attractions.

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. Many thanks.



Diary of Events

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

School Events:

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| Fri 26 Oct 2018 | - School breaks up for half-term |
| Wed 31 Oct 2018 | - Deadline for online submission of application for a secondary school place in September 2019 |
| Mon 5 Nov 2018 | - School re-opens |
| Mon 5 Nov 2018 | - Bonfire Lunch |
| Wed 7 Nov 2018 | - Parent Consultations ~ 2.00pm to 5.30pm |
| Thu 8 Nov 2018 | - Parent Consultations ~ 2.30pm to 8.00pm |
| Fri 9 Nov 2018 | - Class 4 ~ Armistice: 1918 Centenary Tea Dance at Lothersdale Village Hall |
| w/c 12 Nov 2018 | - Class 4 residential visit to Marrick Priory, near Reeth |
| Sat 24 Nov 2018 | - LSA Christmas Fayre in school from 12 noon to 3.00pm |
| Tue 11 Dec 2018 | - Whole School Christmas Concert at South Craven School ~ 6pm |
| Tue 15 Jan 2019 | - Deadline for online submission of application for a primary school place in September 2019 |
| 5-7 Jun 2019 | - Year 4 visit to Eshton Grange |

Community Events:

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| Fri 28 Dec 2018 | - Pantomime (Dick Whittington) in Lothersdale Village Hall from 7.30pm. £9 adults & £7 under 12. Tel 01535 632790 for tickets. |
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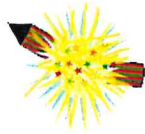
Stay Safe on Bonfire Night



Never touch fireworks.



Stand well back from the bonfire.



Never go near a firework after it has been lit.



Only hold one sparkler at a time.



Wear gloves when holding a sparkler.



Keep pets indoors.



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achieve their
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