

‘Learn, Inspire, Flourish, Engage’

14th July 2017

Dear Children, Parents and Staff,

A really big thank you to everyone for their help, support and time last Saturday in attending our whole school Sports Day and Summer Fair. It was wonderful to see so many families supporting our school and fantastic that the sunshine shone on us all! These events can only happen with lots of hard work and help from both the staff and our parents so thank you everyone for making the day very special. I have been told that the Friends have raised an amazing £1330.00 at the fair! Wow! Well done everyone and thank you!

Thank you to everyone who has returned their end of year report comments sheet. These have been very positive and helpful in reviewing the children’s year and considerations for next year.

Our Year 6 have canoed all day today down at the canal working with instructors from Bewerley Park. The children have had a really great day, learning new skills and developing teamwork. Thank you to Mrs Hall, Mrs Wood and Mrs Campbell for accompanying the children.



I can't quite believe that we start our last week of the school year next week. The last few weeks seem to have flown by and been really busy.

The Key Stage 2 children have their dress rehearsal performance on Monday morning at 10.00am, followed by the performance on Tuesday 18th July evening. The Year 6 children have worked really hard to learn their words and the Key Stage 2 children have learned a series of songs for the performance. Please can the Year 6 children return to school at 5.30pm and Classes 3 and 4 return to school for 5.45pm on Tuesday evening in preparation for the performance starting at 6.00pm.

On Wednesday 19th July Julie and Sandra in the kitchen are cooking the children a special Leaver's Lunch.

We will say a fond farewell to our Year 6 children next Friday. The Year 6 children's parents are invited to attend our Leaver's Assembly which will start at 9.15am on Friday in the school hall. I hope you will be able to attend and don't forget to bring your boxes of tissues!!

I look forward to a lovely last week of school term and wish you all a great weekend.

Kind regards
Barry

School News

School Dinner Prices from September 2017

School dinners have been £2.10 for over 5 years, so we have decided due to rising food costs to increase School dinners from September to £2.20 per day, £11.00 per week.

Clubs 2017/2018

I wanted to share with you our club schedule from September, we have organised some new and exciting clubs alongside our existing clubs we already run. I will send the Club Letter in the first week of term, as always you will be able to pay for some clubs via ParentPay and some clubs to the club provider directly. Not all clubs are available to all year groups and some clubs have a maximum number allowed to attend.

Monday

8.00 - 8.55am

Book Club (Library)

8.00 - 8.55am

Multisports (Hall)

3.30 - 4.30pm

Children's Yoga (Hall)

3.30 - 4.30pm

Clay Club (DT Room)

Tuesday

8.00 - 8.55am

Meditation & Relaxation (Hall)

3.30 - 4.30pm

Netball Club (Outside or Hall)

3.30 - 4.30pm

Art Club (DT Room)

Wednesday

8.00 - 8.55am

Arts & Crafts Club (DT Room)

3.30 - 4.30pm

KS2 Football (Outside or Hall)

3.30 - 4.30pm

KS1 Dance (Hall or Class 5)

Thursday

8.00 - 8.55am

Zumba (Hall)

3.30 - 4.30pm

Drama Club (Class 5)

3.30 - 4.30pm

Gym Club (Hall)

Friday

8.00 - 8.55am

Dodgeball (Hall)

8.00 - 8.55am

Lego Club (DT Room)

3.30 - 4.15pm

KS1 Football (Outside or Hall)

Year 6 Leavers Lunch - Wednesday 19th July

Julie and Sandra would like to invite any Year 6's or children who normally have a packed lunch to our special lunch for our Year 6's. The menu will be:

Sausages, chips, veggie bites and flapjack, fruit or yogurt for dessert.

If your child does not normally have a school lunch and would like to on this day, please let the school office know by 9.00am on Monday 17th July. Cost is £2.10.



Bradley Show

HELP NEEDED - The Family Day Committee need help manning the gates, if you can help for half an hour or longer please can you sign up on the list in the village shop. Thank you.

Bradley show is dedicating a new bench to Malcolm Mattock this year. Malcom was a great friend of Bradley school.

If anyone would like to make a contribution there is a collection box at the village shop.

Thanks very much.

Mrs Kirwins Requests

Can I kindly ask for the following if you haven't already returned them to the school office?

Sun Safety Form - Whole School, I am still outstanding so many forms, can I please, please kindly ask you to return your child's form if you haven't already done so.

Medical Appointments

If your child has a dentist, doctors, hospital appointment during school hours, can I kindly ask that we have as much notice as possible and also that you provide a copy of the appointment letter/card, I am happy to photocopy the original or be emailed a copy of the appointment letter/card.

Thank you.
Mrs Kirwin



Diary dates

Year 6 Leavers Performance 'Goodbye my Friend' will take place on:

Monday 17th 10.00am - Grandparents, younger siblings and our friends in the community are all very welcome.

- Tuesday 18th July - Key Stage 1 Teddy Bears Picnic

Tuesday 18th 6.00pm - Ticket only performance; please get your tickets from the school office.

- Wednesday 19th July - Whole School leavers lunch
- Wednesday 19th July - Year 6 Award Ceremony
- Wednesday 19th July - Bradley Film Club
- 20th July - Class 5 local walk and picnic



Friday 21st July 9.15am - Year 6 Leavers Assembly, we would like to invite all our Year 6 parents to share this really special assembly with the year 6 children and all the Bradley School team

- 21st July - School closes for summer!

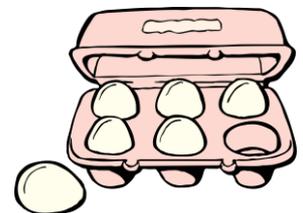
Netball Player of the week

Well done to Sophie B, from Grassington Class who was the Netball Player of the week. Well done.



Eggs

If anyone would like any eggs from our six feathered friends, then please contact the school office. They are £1.50 for six eggs.



Letters out this week

Governor School Visit Letter
Dinner Money Reminders

Whole School



Chicken Rota - Summer Holidays

The chicken rota for the summer holidays is now available; the rota is on the wall outside the school hall. As always we appreciate your support looking after our Bradley chickens. Thank you.

Community News

Bradley Film Club

With the Summer Holiday fast coming into view, what better way to get yourself in the mood than by watching Swallows & Amazons. Bradley Film Club will be sitting sail to Wild Cat Island (aka Bradley's Both School Hall) on Wednesday 19th July at 6pm. Lashings of ginger beer will be on sale and Mrs Jackson has said she'll make us a cake!

The films a PG so hope to see you all on the 19th and remember, " Better drowned than duffers, if not duffers won't drown". Swallows & Amazons Forever!!



Bradley Methodist Church

3.00-5.00pm 2017-2018

13th Aug, 8th Oct, 10th Dec, 14th Jan

All Children must be accompanied by an Adult
Contact Pat on 01535 637080



Beauty with Becca

Mobile Beauty and Massage Therapist, Skipton and Surrounding Areas.

Treatment room in Bradley

Contact Becca on 07525 063848

Facebook: Beauty with Becca

Instagram: @beautywithbecca



Classes

Airton Class

Well, we only have one more week left until the end of term. We can't believe how fast this week has gone! In maths, we have investigated missing number problems involving addition and subtraction. In literacy, we have planned and written a letter to our new teachers - detailing our

interests; our family members; what we enjoy doing at the weekend; our favourite lessons and what we would like to be when we grow up! Watch out Tooth Fairy...you may have competition. The weather has been glorious, so in P.E. we made the most of it by getting out the large bikes, tractors and scooters. What fun! We enjoyed a French afternoon on Tuesday. We were learning about when Barnaby Bear visited Brittany. We learnt how to say 'hello' and how to introduce ourselves to someone in French. French music played in the classroom whilst we packed Barnaby Bear's suitcase for a trip to France and made a French flag.

On Tuesday, we plan to join class 2 for an afternoon of fun and games in our KS1 Teddy Bear's Picnic. Please send your child with a named teddy (which can fit inside a book bag). In the morning, we will make a snack for afternoon break to enjoy with juice. We will also make teddy hats to wear.

Have a great weekend everyone!

Class 1 would like to say a big thank you for helping us during our swimming lessons for the last few weeks.

Pupil of the week: Eva, for a super letter to Miss Wright. Excellent use of language.

Maths Maestro: Lola, for a good grasp of missing number problems within 10.

Cracoe Class

These weeks are flying by - we can't believe we've only got one week left to go! We've reminded ourselves of letters this week in literacy and the Year 2 children have written to Mr. Mountain and the Year 1 children have written to Mrs Buckmaster. We included lots of information about ourselves, our families and what we enjoy in and outside of school; we even remembered to end our letter with a question! In numeracy we have continued to look at time. It's becoming very tricky at the moment as we're looking at time to the nearest 5 minutes - how this would appear on an analogue clock and a digital clock. We have to remember which side of the clock tells us a 'past' time and which tells us a 'to' time. Miss Wright tells us that lots more practice and it will become much easier - we're not so sure! We've finished our coat of arms this week - we enjoyed bringing them home to share with you. In science the Year 1 children went on a material hunt around school while Year 2 children discussed the importance of having the same object made from different materials e.g. spoons - wooden, plastic and metal. We all thought about materials and

their uses and talked about which material would be best for different things. We also looked at our sunflowers on Monday afternoon. They are growing really well and Miss Wright has now split them into separate pots. We looked carefully at the leaves and the direction in which they were facing (outside towards the sunlight). Miss Wright then turned them around so the leaves were facing into the classroom. We kept watching them through the week and they are now facing back outside towards the sunlight. This helped us to understand how important sunlight is to plants.

On Tuesday, we plan to join class 1 for an afternoon of fun and games in our KS1 Teddy Bear's Picnic. Please send your child with a named teddy (which can fit inside a book bag). In the morning, we will make a snack for afternoon break to enjoy with juice. We will also make teddy hats to wear.

Pupil of the week: Emily, as voted for by her peers. The children decided Emily deserved the medal this week for all her hard work throughout the year and for her kind and caring attitude towards others.

Maths Maestro: Seth, for a good understanding of reading time to the nearest 5 minutes from an analogue clock.

Farnhill Class

Oh my goodness, one week to go!

We have been letting our creative juices fly this week. Some of us have been baking scones, a traditional harvest time "drinkings" treat. They smelt fantastic and must have tasted good as I'm not sure many made it out of the school gate before being munched! Other groups have started to design their own meadow plants, using their scientific understanding to think about the shape and colour of its flower head and leaves. The third activity in our carousel has been using wool to create a meadow landscape in felt. The children have loved the feel of the wool and layered colours to create some beautiful pieces of fabric. We can't wait to see the finished articles next week.

To complete our topic work on haymeadows, we have been writing balanced arguments looking at the advantages and disadvantages of this method of growing winter food for animals. I have been really impressed with the children's knowledge and how they can use this to support their own opinions. In maths, we have continued our work on fractions, finding fractions of amounts and exploring equivalent fractions by creating card games in problem solving. Finally, we have been giving our vocal chords

a thorough work out to prepare for the Year 6's leavers performance on Tuesday evening which promises to have its fair share of laughter and a few glistening eyes...

As next week is our last before the summer break, please can I ask you all to have a search at home for any school reading books that haven't made it back to school. Team points will be awarded for each book returned.

Have a lovely weekend and see you for the final five!

Pupil of the Week: Jacob, for singing so enthusiastically in all our rehearsals.

Maths Maestro: Jaya, for working methodically to find non-unit fractions of amounts.

Linton Class

Time is racing on; I can't believe we have only one week left. It was lovely to see so many of you on Saturday at Sport's Day and The Summer Fair. Everyone enjoyed the disco this week; it was great fun although we were all a little weary on Thursday!

In maths this week we have been working on multiplication skills and strategies, revising long multiplication and problem solving on a theme of multiplication. Our recall of times tables to 12 are now very efficient- well done everyone.

Our science lesson was very exciting this week, in small groups we had to design insulating packaging to stop an ice lolly from melting. We had a variety of packaging to choose from, and then measured the length of the ice lolly over time. It was a competition to see which group's lasted the longest. Our designs were very creative, especially the one suspended to stop it touching the work surface! The winner had a clever viewing window, so they didn't have to open the packaging to check on progress. We were careful to make it a fair test and watch our variables.

We are still working on our history of Skipton project, learning more facts about the castle and life over time.

The weather was kind to us for our P.E. lessons, we enjoyed being outside and had a fun cricket lesson.

In music with Mr. Rogers, we continued to improve our skills on the ukulele and learned to play the melody of 'La Bamba'.

The end of year play is almost ready to perform and we look forward to seeing you next week.

Pupil of the week: Lynden, for creative science.

Maths Maestro: Daniel, for explaining his own problem and solution to the class.

Grassington Class

Another week nearer to the end of primary school! We have spent quite a lot of time putting the finishing touches to our end of year play and polishing up our acting skills ready for next week's performance.

On Monday we worked with Mrs Wolstenholme to create 'memory bags' to remind us of all our friends in Class 5 and have also enjoyed finding out about, and making, Mayan calendars. To extend our work on Mayan symbols, we have been playing a game called 'Loteria' using picture cards of glyphs and dried beans as counters; it was very much like bingo only trickier as many of the glyphs are almost identical.



As you can see from the photographs we have had a fantastic day canoeing on the canal. We all got wet but had lots of fun.

Pupil of the week: Sophie B, for careful presentation and art work.