

# Gargrave C of E Primary School Thursday 19th January 2017



## White Ribbons

Isabelle Parry & Elsie Auckland (great number work using Numicon)  
 Emily Claxton (great attitude and very helpful)  
 Wyatt Robinson (having a positive attitude)  
 Lars Keyworth (working hard to speed up)  
 David Barker (super attitude for learning)  
 Boudica Slinger (for consistent outstanding handwriting and presentation)  
 Finlay Greenway (for an excellent attitude to work, always enthusiastic)  
 Joey Driscoll (excellent character writing)  
 George Butteree (effort with writing presentation)

### Timetable and Curriculum Overview

Attached is the timetable and curriculum overview for each class for this term/half term. Please ask class teachers if you have any further questions.

### Illness/Appointments

If your child is poorly or will not be in school for another reason, please telephone school to give the reason why. There will be somebody here from 7.30am each day to take your call, or alternatively leave a message. Please let us know before 9.15am when registers close.

### Bags to School

Thank you to everyone who has returned their full bags—keep them coming—we need more!! Please return by the end of day tomorrow (or early Monday morning as they are collecting at some point on Monday).

### Grounds

The grounds are quite muddy at the moment. Whilst we ask children to stay on the hard surfaces, they sometimes stray off the path onto the field, or get hit with the football and are getting muddy. Please also try and encourage them to stay on the hard surfaces.

### Aqua Splash

On Monday 16th January we went to Craven Swimming Pool to take part in Aqua Splash. Ella, Jenny, Lucas, Lewis, Spike, Ellie, Gracie Mae, Corey, Chloe, Joshua, Kit, Ellie and Chloe.

The first race was a relay race with 4 people where we had to hold a float and swim across to the other side of the pool, and pass to the next person—we came 1st! We did another relay race, this time with a ball, we did star floats and mushroom floats, a noodle race and a taxi race where we had to hold onto a foam surf board and had to swim across. We liked the taxi race best because the boys pulled us along! Carleton, Cracoe, Embsay, Greatwod and Gargrave all took part— we had a great time.

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# Lisa's Kitchen



This is the main choice—there is a vegetarian option available every day (as per menus sent at the start of term)

## Monday 23rd January

Sausage & Tomato Pasta  
Chocolate & Pear Fudge  
Pudding

## Tuesday 24th January

Cottage Pie  
Fruit Muffin

## Wednesday 25th January

Chicken Korma  
Jam Roly Poly & Custard

## Thursday 26th January

Beef Tortilla Wraps  
Apple Crumble & Custard

## Friday 27th January

Battered Fish  
Chocolate Crisp

## Monday 30th January

Pizza Margherita  
Arctic Roll & Mandarins

## Tuesday 31st January

Roast Chicken, Stuffing &  
Gravy  
Rice Pudding & Jam

## Wednesday 1st February

Lasagne  
Chocolate Surprise Cake

## Thursday 2nd February

Pork & Apple Plait & Gravy  
Sticky Date & Apple Bar &  
Custard

## Friday 3rd February

Breaded Salmon Fillet  
Fruit Salad

## PTA

Thank you to all who came along to the PTA meeting yesterday, it was very productive! We have a few dates for your diaries.

On Friday 3rd February we will be having a book sale at 3.15pm in the school hall. If you have any books that you no longer need or want please consider donating them! We will also be serving buns, cakes and biscuits!

Maria Barrick has managed to get the Town Hall Cafe for ourselves and pre school to use on February 11th! If you have an hour (or maybe two!) to spare between 9am and 5pm that day please let us know! It's a great way to fundraise for school and pre school. Even if you are unable to help on the day, if you can bake then you can help! Any donations of cakes, biscuits, buns etc will be appreciated.

We are organising a Mothers Day pamper evening (for all Mums/Grandmas/Carers) on Saturday 18th March in the school hall. It will be from 6.30pm until 9pm. There will be a chance to get a treatment from Yvette Greenway (Feel Good Therapy) and purchase some lovely products. (Booking for treatment to be done in advance, more information to follow) We are also trying to get more stall holders to attend. If you know of anyone who may be suitable please let us know (Candles, beauty products or jewellery etc). Stalls will be charged £5 and asked to donate a raffle prize.

Easter Egg Bingo will be held on 6th April, 3.15pm in the school hall! As before, donations of Easter eggs leading up to the event will be greatly appreciated. We like to ensure that all children get an egg.

Looking ahead further, we thought it was only fair that Dads/Grandads/Carers have a bit of fun on fathers day too! So we are organising a BBQ and fun afternoon at school on 17th June 3pm til 6pm. More details will follow.

More fun things will be organised as we go along, thank you for your support everyone!

## Dates for Diaries

Please see over the page for dates for diaries.

## Brownies & Rainbows

Malhamdale Rainbows and Brownies meet at Gargrave School on a Tuesday evening in term time. Rainbows do crafts, games and group badges with occasional days out. Brownies do similar things but with interest badges, trips out, sleepovers and at least one pack holiday per year. For more information see <http://www.girlguiding.org.uk>.

Both units currently have places; Rainbows can start at 5 and Brownies at 7. For further details please contact Debbie Gomersall for Rainbows on 01729 830589 or [rainbows@dalecroft.fsnet.co.uk](mailto:rainbows@dalecroft.fsnet.co.uk) or Rose Turner for Brownies on 01729 825886 or [roseturner.home@virgin.net](mailto:roseturner.home@virgin.net).

# DATES FOR DIARIES

Date	Event	Info
20.1.17	Return Bags to School ready for collection	
27.1.17	Reception & Y6 Height & Weight Check	
31.1.17	Travelling Book Fair arrives in school	Details to follow
3.2.17	PTA Book Sale	3.15 in school hall
10.2.17	Wear red for SELFA (£1.00)	Details to follow
13.2.17	Anti Bullying Workshop—all KS2 (PTA funded)	
14.2.17	Anti Bullying Workshop—all KS1 (PTA funded)	
15.2.17	Roman Day in School	
17.2.17	Apple Class Assembly—parents welcome	9am
17.2.17	Community Day in Wildlife Area (clearing) - all welcome	10am-2pm
17.2.17	School Closes for half term—returns Monday 27th Feb	
18.2.17	2nd Community Day (clearing) - all welcome	10am-2pm
2.3.17	World Book Day	
3.3.17	3rd Community day for wildlife area—all welcome	10am-2pm
4.3.17	4th Community day for wildlife area—all welcome	10am-2pm
6.3.17	Parents Evening 3.30-7.30pm	Details to follow
7.3.17	Parents Evening 3.30-6.00pm	Details to follow
9.3.17	Sycamore Class Assembly—parents welcome	
11.3.17	PTA—Town Hall Café	Volunteers required
16.3.17	Ash Class Assembly—parents welcome	9am
18.3.17	PTA Pamper Night	6.30pm-9.00pm
24.3.17	Mothers Day Service—9.30am in Church	
29.3.17	Oak Class Assembly—parents welcome	9am
30.3.17	Crucial Crew—Y6	Details to follow
31.3.17	Achievement Assembly	
5.4.17	RE Theme Day—Footsteps of Jesus	
6.4.17	Willow Class Assembly—parents welcome	9am
7.4.17	School Closes—returns Tuesday 25th April	
27.4.17— 28.4.17	Y5 walk to Malham	Details to follow
8.5.17-11.5.17	Y6 Tests	
15.5.17— 19.5.17	Y6 residential trip to Bewerley Park	
24.5.17	Stephen Garnett Photography Day—Y6	