

Gargrave C of E Primary School Thursday 19th April 2018



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White Ribbons

Jake Wood (super effort in reading and amazing talking)
Hannah Pawson (great writing)
Eve Harrison (great measurement work)
Charlie Hall (super reading)
Phoenix Gautam (accuracy in maths and reading)
Henry Rimmer (working hard to get better at writing)
Victoria Taylor (working hard in maths)
Alfie Panter (outstanding mental maths and football skills)
Joshua Manning (outstanding performance during football lesson)
Finlay Greenway (thinking deeply at the Bible Expo visit)
Paige Flinn-Smith & Lewis Varey (for outstanding contributions at Crucial Crew)

Staffing news

We are delighted that we have appointed Mrs Cryer to the teaching team. She is an experienced teacher who has been working in other North Yorkshire schools. She is an LA moderator so comes with a wealth of experience. She will be teaching Sycamore class on a Thursday afternoon and a Friday. This will enable Mrs Peel to be released around school, to cover staff who are leading on English and Maths. Time to share best practise across the school will be given to staff.

Friendship Week

We are holding a friendship week next week. There will be dedicated lessons to this - even the French lessons. The Soroptimist Society have donated a bookmark to every child. These share their ideas what a good friend is and isn't and will be given out tomorrow.

The society have also arranged for a competition to create a poster to show what a good friend is. There will be a £5 book token awarded to each year group by the Soroptimist Society in worship next Friday, 27th April. Further details on the brain builder tomorrow.

Mindfulness Workshop

Next Thursday, 26th April PTA have funded a drama day where the theme is Mindfulness. The creative Mindfulness workshops use innovative drama techniques to provide children with the tools to practice mindfulness both at school and at home.

'Mindfulness' encourages children to talk about their feelings, and perhaps most importantly, puts in place tools to help manage stress. Together we look at how it might feel to suffer challenges, what triggers might look like and how we can help each other regulate our emotions and feelings.

The workshop explores creative mindfulness exercises and provides tips and tools for children and staff.

Tempest Photographer

The photographer was unable to take the group photographs today. A new date has been arranged for Monday 30th April.

PTA News

Our next PTA event will be the St Georges Day quiz night. This is to be held at The Old Swan Inn on 23rd April 8pm for 8.30pm. It is £1 per person to enter and there will be a raffle on the night. Please come along and support your PTA!

The next PTA meeting will be on the 8th May at The Old Swan Inn at 7.30pm. Please come along and share your ideas.

Next Newsletter Thursday 3rd May 2018.

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Every Child Counts: Every Child Contributes

Menu



This is the main choice—there is a vegetarian option, jacket potato and sandwiches available every day (as per menus sent at the start of term).

Monday 23rd April

Organic Meatballs
Summer Fruit Crumble

Tuesday 24th April

Margarita Pizza
Chocolate & Orange
Flapjack

Wednesday 25th April

Roast Chicken Dinner
Pear Conde

Thursday 26th April

Meatloaf
Chocolate Surprise Cake

Friday 27th April

Fish Fingers
Iced Pineapple Sponge

Monday 30th April

Macaroni Cheese with Bacon
Chocolate Crispie

Tuesday 1st May

Honey Glazed Chicken
Forest Fruit Squares

Wednesday 2nd May

Minced Beef Wraps
Strawberry/Fruit Shortcake

Thursday 3rd May

Turkey & Sweetcorn Pie
Peach Melba Squares

Friday 4th May

Battered Fish
Fresh Fruit Salad & Ice Cream

Swimming

We are currently reviewing swimming arrangements for next year and as part of this process, are looking at % of monies paid/not paid over the past year. Currently this stands at 61% of monies received for the Autumn Term and 76% for the Spring Term. As swimming has now ended for this academic year, please could you look at your school gateway account this week and ensure all #outstanding money is paid. Thank you.

After School Clubs

Attached is a list of clubs we will be running this term. Please check carefully the dates and times they start and end as they vary enormously. Please return the reply slip by next Thursday (26th April). A separate form for Kanga Multi-sports is attached.

Dates for Diaries

Please see below. Further details will follow later unless specified.

	Dates for Diaries	Details
23/4-27/4	Friendship week in School	
26/4	Mindfulness workshop all day	All Classes
10/5	Billy Bob Buttons—Author in School	KS2
10/5	Last Y6 SAT's Booster club	
11/5	Whole School Writing Day	
14/5-18/5	SAT's week	Y6
16/5	On-line safety talk for parents	5:30-6:30 in hall
22-25/5	Growing Up in NYCC survey Y1/2 5/6	
21/5-25/5	Walk to School week	
21/5	Salts Mill Trip—Willow Class	
21/5	Greatwood Cup Y6	
22/5	Y3/4 tennis (4 children)	
22/5	Pentecost/RE Day	
7/6	Cricket Y5/6 (10 children)	
12/6	Tag rugby	
13/6	Girls tag rugby at North Ribblesdale	
14-15/6	Y5 bikeability	
14/6	Cricket finals	
19/6	Sports Day	1.15pm-3.15pm
22/6	Richard Mason cup	
26/6	Y6 at High Adventure	
27/6	Y3/4 tag rugby	
28/6	Transition Day	
4/7	Physics afternoon Y6 SGHS	
5/7	Production 1.30 and 5.30	
10/7	Results out	
11/7	Settle College transfer day	
12/7	Reports out	
19/7	School disco	
20/7	1.30 leavers service	