

Gargrave C of E Primary School

Thursday 6th February 2020



White Ribbons

Lenny & Isla (super friendly co-operative play)
 Phoebe (using new vocabulary in play)
 Thea (super play—sharing and taking turns)
 James (super reasoning)
 Hannah (well presented work)
 Ralph (great perseverance in maths)
 Jessica (brilliant vocabulary)
 Leah (working hard in all areas)
 Isabelle (fabulous work in maths)
 Elliot (enthusiastic science work)
 Harrison (great maths calculations)
 Oliver (letting everyone have a turn)
 George (politeness all day on trip)
 Nathaniel (a detailed and entertaining recount)
 Samuel (fantastic graph work)
 Oscar (& William (effort in presentation)
 James (effort in spellings)
 Kaitlin (for amazing decimal work in maths)
 Grace (for a great double page spread about our chocolate trip)
 Cara (super contribution in RE)
 Oliver (for being a Y6 superstar)

Head Boy/Head Girl Nominations

William (super running in athletics)
 Thomas (always joining in with the prayer)
 Kaitlin (always trying her best)
 Betsy (for trying to join in with the songs)

Parents Evening

You should all have received your parents evening slips for next week. Your support for your child's education is crucial to their progress. Please tell us if there are any adjustments we need to make to help you support your child, for example: letters in large font; letters in different languages; wheelchair access; explaining things over the phone; a discussion with a school colleague of the same gender.

If you need extra time, or a follow up meeting please speak to the class teacher. Last year we offered a drop-in for parents on an evening in the summer term, we plan to do the same again this year.

Please let us know if you are unable to attend or would like to change your appointment.

Snacks at breaktime

Pupils in Apple and Ash (EYFS, year 1 and year 2) are offered a choice of fruit every playtime. Pupils may bring in a snack for breaktime, this should be a healthy snack, not chocolate or sweets. We have noticed an increase in snacks which aren't 'healthy' being brought to school. Thank you.

Wear Red for SELFA—14th February

Please wear something red with normal school uniform (or all red) - £1 donation.

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Tel: 01756 749433
Email: admin@gargrave.n-yorks.sch.uk
Website: www.gargrave.n-yorks.sch.uk

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 10th February

Pasta Bolognaise
Chocolate Cake & Custard

Tuesday 11th February

Pork & Apple Plait
Abbey Biscuit

Wednesday 12th February

Fish & Wedges
Chocolate Cookie

Thursday 13th February

Honey Glazed Chicken
Apple Strudel

Friday 14th February

Pizza & Chips
Lemon Drizzle Buns

Monday 17th February

Macaroni Cheese
Treatle Bites

Tuesday 18th February

Meatloaf
Chocolate Crispie

Wednesday 19th February

Minced Beef Wrap
Rice Pudding

Thursday 20th February

Chicken & Vegetable Fried
Rice
Raspberry Buns

Friday 21st February

Fish Portion & Chips
Swiss Buns

Safeguarding

Gargrave CE (VC) Primary School is committed to ensuring the welfare and safety of all children in school. All North Yorkshire schools, including our School, follow the North Yorkshire Safeguarding Children Partnership procedures. The school will, in most circumstances, endeavour to discuss all concerns with parents about their child/ren. However, there may be exceptional circumstances when the school will discuss concerns with Social Care and/or the Police without parental knowledge (in accordance with Child Protection procedures). The school will, of course, always aim to maintain a positive relationship with all parents. The school's child protection policy is available publicly on our website - under the policies tab.

Carers' Resource

Carers' resource is a charity which supports anyone in an unpaid caring role. The team supports children from 8-18 who either have a hands-on caring role or are impacted on in a caring role at home. This charity supports pupils here. Please speak to us if you feel that it would apply to your situation. See poster attached for more information.

Uniform

Please can you ensure your child's uniform and PE kit is clearly labelled with their name preferably using a permanent marker pen—even a biro is better than nothing at all. Thank you.

Class Worship

A reminder that Ash and Apple class worships will be held next month, at 9.00am to which you are all invited:-

Ash Class—10th March
Apple Class—12th March

Coronavirus—Advice for parents/guardians from the Department of Education

A UK wide campaign has been launched to provide clear advice on how to slow the spread of Coronavirus. Please help to support the campaign which promotes basic hygiene practices, such as regularly washing hands and always sneezing into a tissue, to stem the spread of viruses.

You should not be unduly worried about the possibility of your children catching the Coronavirus. There is no reason why your children should not continue to attend school as normal.

PTA Update

Gargrave School will support Luke Mortimer on 14th February. We shall be selling cakes in the playground after school. Any donations of cakes and buns would be most welcome.

Easter Bingo—26th March in the hall after school—Details to follow.

This year's summer Duck race will be on Sunday 5th July—all welcome for a fun pack family day out—please let a member of the PTA know if you are able to help.

Raving Readers

Well done to all pupils who are reading 5 times a week at home. Congratulations to Oak class who have the highest percentage of children achieving this target.

Oak—84%

Sycamore—77%

Willow—61%

Ash—73%

Apple—46%

Reading is a life skill and is essential in all areas of the curriculum. Stamina for reading is vital and is developed through regular practice. By the time a child reaches year 6, they are expected to be able to read over 2000 words and answer 36 comprehension questions in 1 hour.

Free School Meals

According to the latest figures, the proportion of pupils eligible for and claiming free school meals across the country continues to decline. Possibly your child is one of those who are eligible? It is easy to apply for assistance and, due to the School's cashless catering system, easy and discrete to administer. For those pupils in receipt of free school meals, the School also receives additional funding via the pupil premium to support the pupils' education. Therefore, I thought it might be helpful to remind everyone of the eligibility criteria and how they can apply.

What are the eligibility criteria for free school meals?

Children are entitled to receive free school meals if they or their parents or guardians receive any of the benefits below.

- Universal Credit, provided parents or guardians have an annual net earned income not exceeding £7,400 (equivalent to £616.67 per month)
- Income Support or Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit, provided parents or guardians are not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190, as assessed by HMRC
- Working Tax Credit run-on – paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

I believe I'm eligible but don't currently claim free school meals. How do I apply for free school meals?

If you think you might be eligible for free school meals, submit a claim to your local authority. Forms can be accessed via the local authority website (<http://bit.ly/2ZOw6Wx>). If you are eligible, the school will be notified and your child will receive free school meals.

I am currently claiming free school meals – what does this mean for me?

If you're currently claiming free school meals, your child will continue to receive free school meals until the end of the Universal Credit rollout period. This will apply even if your earnings rise above the new threshold or if you stop being entitled to Universal Credit. The rollout period is currently scheduled to end in March 2022. Once Universal Credit is fully rolled out, your child will keep their free school meal until the end of their current phase of education, i.e. until they leave secondary.

Where can I get more information?

If you need any further information, please speak to either Mrs Peel or Mrs Aldous, or the local authority directly. The School plays no part in the decision-making but we would be happy to answer your questions if we can. You can also visit the free school meal website (<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>).

Sumdog—Y3-Y6

It is the last day today. We currently have a winner from our school –James in Y4. Gracie-Mae, Y6 (in 17th place) and William, Y5 (35th place). Each class has been a daily winner—Sunday was Sycamore, Monday was Oak and Tuesday was Willow.

Out of 116 classes in North Yorkshire, we have had fabulous results—well done everybody for taking part.

Swimming

Congratulations to 4 of our pupils who have been chosen to represent Skipton at the Craven area gala on Wednesday 12th February:-

James W-B
Ethan
Holly E
Alex

Holidays - 2019/2020

	SCHOOL CLOSSES	SCHOOL RE-OPENS
HALF TERM (Spring)	Fri. 14.2.2020	Mon. 24.2.2020
EASTER	Fri. 3.4.2020	Tues. 21.4.2020
MAY DAY	Fri. 8.5.2020	Mon. 11.5.2020
HALF TERM (Summer)	Fri. 22.5.2020	Mon. 1.6.2020
SUMMER	Fri. 17.7.2020	-----

Training Days 2019/2020

Monday 2nd September 2019
Friday 25th October 2019
Monday 6th January 2020
Monday 20th April 2020
Monday 20th July 2020



WEAR RED FOR SELFA

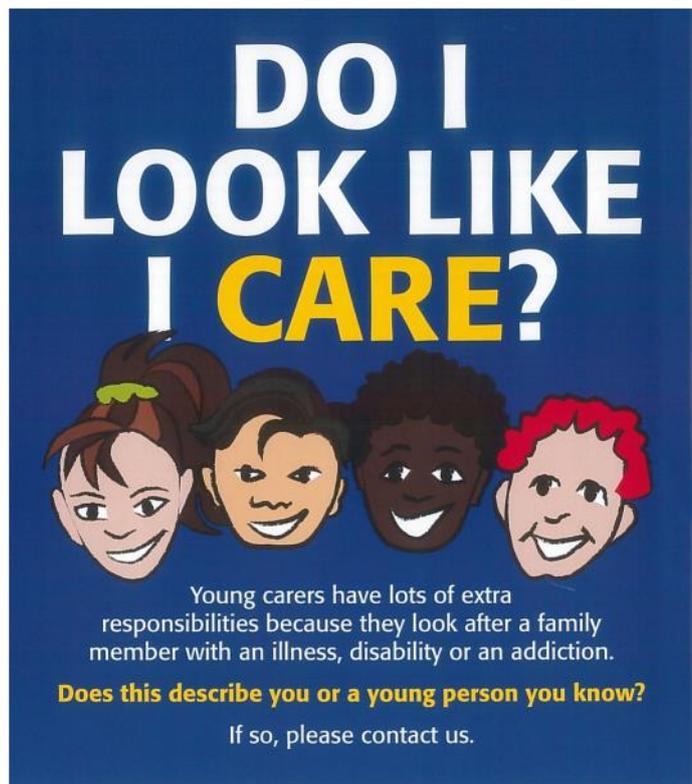
Friday 14th February

Schools, businesses and organisations are wearing red to raise money for SELFA

WEAR RED & DONATE £1

www.selfa.org.uk
@selfachildrenscharity

SELFA
YOUR LOCAL CHILDREN'S CHARITY



DO I LOOK LIKE I CARE?

Young carers have lots of extra responsibilities because they look after a family member with an illness, disability or an addiction.

Does this describe you or a young person you know?

If so, please contact us.

carers' resource
Young Carers

Craven District
Tel: 01756 700888
info@carersresource.org
www.youngcarersresource.org

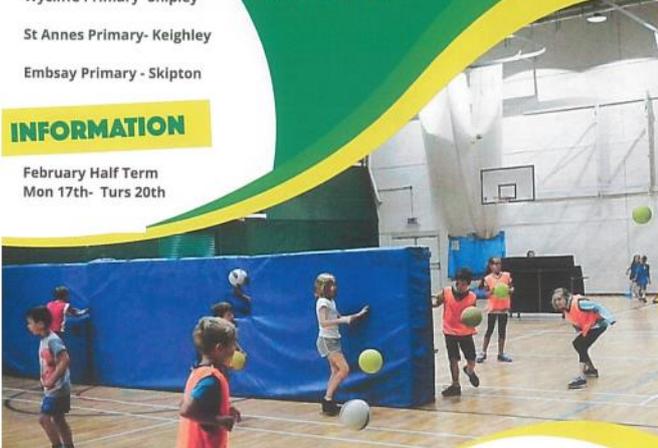


VENUES

Wycliffe Primary- Shipley
St Annes Primary- Keighley
Embsay Primary - Skipton

INFORMATION

February Half Term
Mon 17th- Tues 20th



Ofsted
Registered

Here at Kanga Sports we provide award winning multi-activity holiday clubs for children aged 3-12yrs, perfect for children of all abilities who would like to try a bit of everything! With numerous sports, games and prizes to be won, it's a great place to meet new friends in a fun environment. You would be hopping mad not to give us a try!

BOOK ONLINE @
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07526600793



AGE
4 - 12
YEARS

COOL DOWN CLUB!



While we provide the fun activities, please note that children will need a packed lunch, drinks and appropriate clothing.

PRICING

Have fun at one of our Clubs
for just - £12.50
8.30am-3.30pm

Join our Cool Down Club- £5
3.30pm-5pm
Embsay and St Annes only

3.30pm - 5pm extra £5.00
Wind down and relax by watching a movie or get involved in low impact games such as table tennis.
Limited places available on a first come first serve basis.



Our award-winning clubs develop leadership, teamwork, confidence and sportsmanship. Activities include: Capture the Flag, Football, Kanga Olympics, Ultimate Frisbee, Dodgeball, Storm the Castle and many more...

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Gargrave and Malhamdale Community Library

Film Night

The Peanut Butter Falcon

starring Shia Labeouf and Dakota Johnson

This humorous and inspirational film tells the story of Zak, a young man with Down's Syndrome, who escapes from his residential home to pursue his dream of becoming a professional wrestler. Zak meets up with a small time outlaw and together they set off on an adventure.

Friday 7th February

Gargrave Village Hall

Café style seating -

please bring your own refreshments

Doors open **7.00pm**, Film starts **7.30pm**

Tickets **£5.00** on the door, under 16's Free

Sorry, Guide Dogs only

Gargrave Pantomime Group Proudly Presents

Dick Whittington

Thursday 20th February 7:15 pm

Friday 21st February 7:15 pm

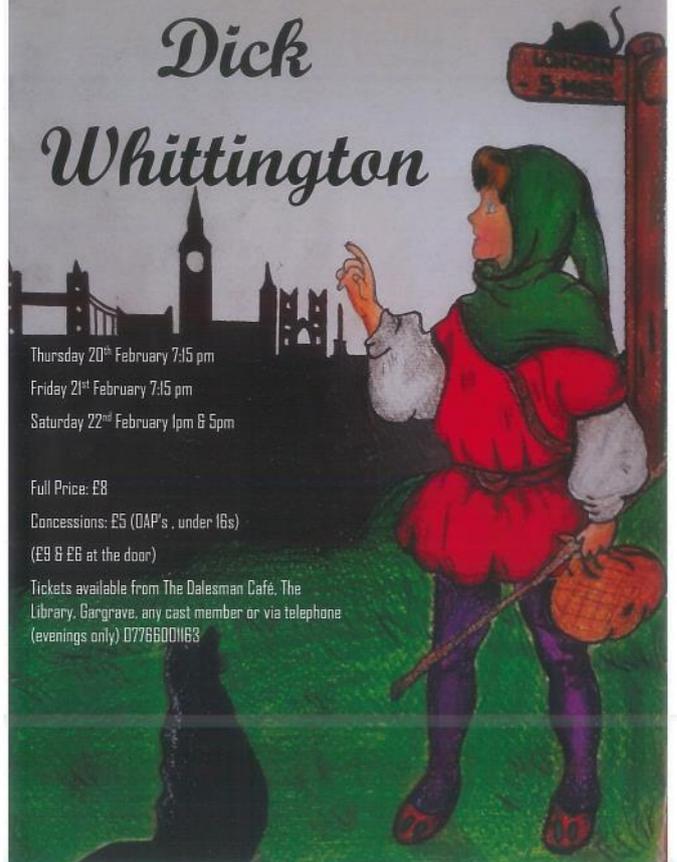
Saturday 22nd February 1pm & 5pm

Full Price: £8

Concessions: £5 (OAP's, under 16s)

(£8 & £6 at the door)

Tickets available from The Dalesman Cafe, The Library, Gargrave, any cast member or via telephone (evenings only) 07766001163



FEBRUARY HOLIDAY CLUBS

ALL SAINTS PRIMARY SCHOOL, CLAYTON LE MOORS, BB5 5HT

Option 1 9:00am – 3:30pm
 £12 per day or £50 for the full week
Option 2 8:30am – 4:30pm
 £17 per day or £75 for the full week

Multi Sports
 17/02/20 – 21/02/20

BECKFOOT OAKBANK SCHOOL, KEIGHLEY, BD22 7DU

Option 1 10:00am – 3:30pm
 £12 per day or £50 for the full week
Option 2 9:00am – 3:30pm
 £15 per day or £65 for the full week

Multi Sports
 17/02/20 – 21/02/20

BROADWAY PRIMARY SCHOOL, HASLINGDEN, BB4 4EH

Option 1 9:00am – 3:30pm
 £12 per day or £50 for the full week
Option 2 8:30am – 4:30pm
 £17 per day or £75 for the full week

Multi Sports
 17/02/20 – 21/02/20

OAKHILL LEISURE, WHALLEY, BB7 9AF

Option 1 8:30am – 3:30pm
 £15 per day or £70 for the full week
Option 2 8:30am – 4:30pm
 £17 per day or £75 for the full week

Multi Sports
 17/02/20 – 21/02/20

NERF ZONE

All Saints - 19/02/20
 Beckfoot Oakbank - 20/02/20
 Broadway - 19/02/20
 Oakhill - 18/02/20
 South Craven - 20/02/20
 St Joseph's - 17/02/20
 St Paul's - 17/02/20
 St Stephens - 21/02/20



FUN INFLATABLE TIMETABLE

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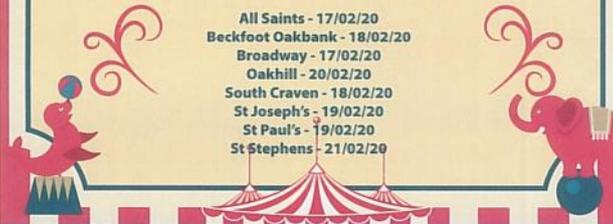


SHOWSCOOL

OUR BRAND NEW, AMAZING AND FUN THEMED DAY!

A carnival atmosphere will be created with our sound system playing the best songs alongside playing all of your children's favourite circus/carnival themed games. We will also create our very own show with a fun dance routine that is aimed at both boys and girls of all ages.

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FEBRUARY HOLIDAY CLUBS

ST JOSEPH'S R.C PRIMARY SCHOOL, LIMES AVENUE, DARWEN, BB3 2SG

Option 1 9:00am – 3:30pm
 £12 per day or £50 for the full week
Option 2 8:30am – 4:30pm
 £17 per day or £75 for the full week

Multi Sports
 17/02/20 – 21/02/20

ST PAUL'S R.C PRIMARY SCHOOL, PRESTON OLD ROAD, BLACKBURN, BB2 5EP

Option 1 9:00am – 3:30pm
 £12 per day or £50 for the full week
Option 2 8:30am – 4:30pm
 £17 per day or £75 for the full week

Multi Sports
 17/02/20 – 21/02/20

ST STEPHEN'S PRIMARY SCHOOL, SKIPTON, BD23 1PJ

Option 1 9:00am – 3:30pm
 £12 per day or £50 for the full week
Option 2 8:30am – 4:30pm
 £17 per day or £75 for the full week

Multi Sports
 17/02/20 – 21/02/20

SOUTH CRAVEN SCHOOL, CROSS HILLS, BD20 7RL

Option 1 9:00am – 3:30pm
 £12 per day or £50 for the full week
Option 2 8:30am – 4:30pm
 £17 per day or £75 for the full week

Multi Sports
 17/02/20 – 21/02/20

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Please Note: SportsCool is responsible for the safety and care of your child and is insured accordingly. However, SportsCool does NOT accept responsibility for loss or damage to your child's property.

DON'T FORGET!

- Suitable footwear
- Appropriate indoor and outdoor clothing
- Packed lunch and drinks



Book at:
www.sportscool.org
 or book via text:
 State your child's:
 Name, age, school,
 medical conditions,
 contact number,
 venue, times and
 days attending to:
Andy Preston
 07921 522175
 or **Matt Parker**
 07764 501092

IF YOU DO NOT WISH TO BE CONTACTED WITH REGARDS TO FUTURE SPORTSCOOL HOLIDAY CLUBS ADD "STOP" TO THE BOTTOM OF YOUR TEXT OR ONLINE BOOKING