



Dear Parents,

News from Classrooms:

Class 1: This week Class 1 have looked at making healthy choices and how our bodies work. They also went on their Gruffalo adventure to Beaumanor and made work for the class display.

Class 2: This week Class 2 have been completing work on feelings and helpful medicines, following their visit to the Life Education bus. After the talk from our faith visitors they also looked at Buddhism. In maths they worked on different shapes and lines.

Class 3: In Class 3 this week the children have been continuing their work on the Olympics, learning about Buddhism and studying the themes started on the Life Education bus.

Maths Next Week:

Class 1: Time, creating pictograms and measuring length

Class 2: Maths investigation week

Class 3: Problem solving

Stroke Association Assembly

We were joined in special assembly today by Louise from The Stroke Association, the 2016 nominated Viking Challenge charity. The charity are very grateful of our support and wanted to attend to tell you in person. All children will receive a balloon and wrist band and I believe there are special diaries for you too; these should arrive next week.

School Production

Please could you encourage your child/ren to learn any lines they have for the upcoming school production. It will soon be upon us! With trips and children out on secondary school visits, we are limited with rehearsal slots and of course we have to keep all the other lessons going too! Thank you.

Canine Visitors

This week we enjoyed a visit from our friends at Canine Partners which the children thoroughly enjoyed. The charity train dogs to assist disabled people. We were treated to Blyth and May demonstrating how they help take their owners jumper off, turn on light switches and put rubbish in the bin. We saw them filling a shopping basket with tins and were amazed when May took off her purple jacket and hung it up on a coat peg! We all certainly learnt a lot.

Vale Sports

A great day was had by all yesterday at Vale Sports Day. Special thanks go to Mr Wing who organised the event, to staff and parents who helped/encouraged and to our children who were praised for their behaviour and politeness on the day.

Sports Day Reminder

School sports day takes place next Friday, 1st July, starting at 9.15am; all welcome. Please ensure children come to school in their TEAM COLOURS and have a drink and hat/sun cream applied if the weather is warm. We look forward to seeing you there. We anticipate it finishing around 11:30am.

Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who supported us with the book fair this year. We sold a massive £644.84 of books and so have chosen £644.00 of free books for our school library! Special thanks to the staff and children who helped run the event. Amazing; this must be a record.

School Photographs

The school photo proofs went home this week. Please return any orders to school by next Thursday, 30th June. Any late orders will have to be sent straight to the photographers.

Head Lice

We have again had reports of head lice. Please could you check your child/ren's hair this weekend and treat accordingly. Thank you.

Viking Challenge News

Viking Challenge Cycling shirt and T-shirts:

Thank you to parents who have already returned their order forms. Please could any outstanding orders be returned by Wednesday 6th July please. If you require another form please email nicky.m.murray@gmail.com or contact the school office.

Promoting the Viking Challenge online:

Please can you help publicise the Viking Challenge by liking the Viking Challenge Facebook page and sharing our Facebook posts on cycling shirts and t-shirts available for sale. To ensure cycling shirts are printed in time for the event we need cyclists to order them by 27th July - so we need to promote them now. Registration is also open now if you could share that post also.

Viking Challenge Charity Nominations:

7.30-9pm, Tue 28th June at school. Presentations from the charities wishing to be our partner for the Viking Challenge 2017. All parents/members of the community are very welcome to attend and have a deciding vote.

Letters going home this week:

Y4 hockey team County finals letter
Viking Challenge charity selection meeting
Rainbow Horses trip (named letters to those children involved)
School photo proofs

Reminders for Next Week:

Tuesday

- Y2-5 trip to Belvoir Estate
- Viking Challenge charity selection 7.30pm

Wednesday

- Anti-bullying group visiting National Space Centre
- 3rd induction session for new pupils 1pm & parents meeting at 12.30pm

Thursday

- Y4 hockey team to County finals

Friday

- Sports Day 9.15am start

Yours sincerely,

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