

GOLD SCHOOL GAMES AWARD

We are delighted to announce that we have been awarded the *GOLD SCHOOL GAMES AWARD*. This available to view in the front entrance hall and on the website. **WELL DONE EVERYONE.**

There is a list of sporting events attached to this letter. We will continue to offer a wide range of sports, extending this offer to include lunchtimes and differentiated activities for those new to a particular sport. We want as many as possible to enjoy the benefits of a healthy lifestyle and the social opportunities of playing and exercising together.

BOBBINS BREAKFAST and AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

We respectfully ask that when you want to cancel your bookings for pre and after school care, you give 24 hours notice. This enables other parents to access any unused places, as we are full most days. Thank you.

LINKS with the CHURCH 150 YEARS TO CELEBRATE

St Thomas's Church was consecrated in 1869. Prior to this date the church took place in our school. We have been asked to provide, before Christmas, a time capsule, reflecting our own society, to commemorate the date. On Sunday 8th December at the 4.00pm service there will also be a Festival of Christmas Trees, provided by local businesses. Our tree in the Church will be adorned with 150 decorations, made by the children. The outdoor nativity and walk around the village, culminating with 'Carols in the Park', will take place in December. Date to be confirmed.

We continue to work with the Church to develop our community and support others.

For the Harvest this year Reverend Helen has asked for non-perishable foods, toiletries and items to be donated. (The items are also shown in the attached list from the church). These items can be put into shoe boxes for the following charities: Keighley Woman's Refuge, The Salvation Army, POPI (pass on pre-loved items). There are boxes at the church if you need one.

Can we remind parents that the 'Rise and Shine' services are on the 2nd Sunday of every month, at 9.00 am, everyone welcome.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Clubs this half term are:

TUESDAY: Y1-Y3 Football

THURSDAY: Y3-Y6 Football



NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER 2019

Hello everyone. Included in this edition of the newsletter are the dates we have so far, for this academic year. We are trialing an extended open evening to enable you to have a better quality interaction with your child's teacher. If you can come to school to discuss your child's progress during the day this would be appreciated. The day will run from 9.30 am to 6 pm on Wednesday October 2nd. Where possible we will place sibling appointments closely together. Although we have extended the appointments to ten minutes, we respectfully ask that you vacate the room when your time has finished. You are most welcome to stay in school after that time; your child's work will be available for you to view and discuss with them, if you wish. If through your feedback, you tell us that this format works it will continue throughout the year.

DATES

- Thursday 19th September Phonics meeting for parents 9-9.30am
- Thursday 19th September Meet and greet for new parents to Blossom Class 3.15 pm.
- Friday 20th September 2pm. Parent Council Meeting, in the school. Newcomers welcome, even if you only want to support one event, we would appreciate it.
- Wednesday 25th September Cluster Schools Cross Country event after school.
- Thursday 26th September Full governors meeting
- Saturday 28th September Fallfest Cross Country
- Wednesday 2nd October PARENT OPEN DAY 9.30am -6 pm.
- Thursday 3rd October Meet and greet with the new headteacher 9.00-9.30 am.
- Tuesday 8th October Individual photographs.
- Sunday 13th October Harvest Festival 9.00 am. Please see separate information about the Shoe Box Appeal'
- Friday 18th October Rise and Shine 9.00 am
- Tuesday 22nd October 22nd **CHARITY DAY** : Wear it pink. Come dressed in pink or blue and pay a £1
- Friday 25th October Flu vaccinations; all pupils
- Monday 4th November **END OF TERM**
- Wednesday 6th November **SCHOOL REOPENS**
- Friday 8th November Open Morning - New Parents for Reception intake 2020.
- Saturday 9th November Pupil Parent Council meeting in school at 9am
- Monday 11th November Open Morning - Reception intake 2020 along with Macmillan Coffee Morning.
- Friday 29th November **CHARITY EVENT.** 10am-12.00 in the school
- Saturday 30th November Armistice Day/Poppy celebration on the park at 11.00 am
- Wednesday 4th December Non-Uniform day in lieu of donations for Christmas Fair.
- Saturday 7th December St Thomas' Christmas Fayre and School choir carol singing
- Week ending 8th December Decorating the tree ceremony in school
- Tuesday December 10th School Christmas Fair
- Wednesday 11th December Christmas in the Park.
- Tuesday 17th December School Nativity in Church 2.15pm
- Wednesday 18th December School Nativity in Church 6.00 pm. We would appreciate all the children involved in the event, returning to school in the evening please.
- Friday 20th December School Carol Service in Church. 9.15 am. Parents welcome.
- Tuesday 7th January 2020 Christmas parties and Christmas lunch
- Thursday 19th March **END of TERM**
- Friday 3rd April **RETURN TO SCHOOL**
- Tuesday 21st April **PARENTS OPEN DAY**
- 11TH -14TH MAY 2010 **END of TERM**
- Friday 22nd May **RETURN TO SCHOOL**
- Monday 1st June National statutory tests. Please ensure your child is in school this week.
- Monday 29th & Tuesday 30th June **HALF TERM HOLIDAY**
- Wednesday 8th July **RETURN TO SCHOOL**
- Thursday 9th July Transitions Days, whole school.
- Tuesday 14th July Sports Day (Option 1)
- Wednesday 15th July Sports Day (Option 2)
- Friday 17th July Pinnacle walk
- Open afternoon Yr6. PARENT OPEN DAY
- END OF SCHOOL. Leavers Act of Worship 2.30pm