

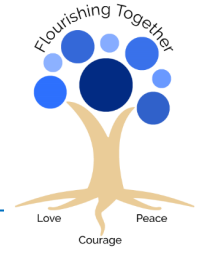
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Newsletter 21st October 2022

Flourishing Together, in the love of God, to live life in all its fullness.



Headteacher update

Well, that went very quickly, our first half term of the school year comes to an end and what a few weeks we have had!

From trips to Eden Camp to autumn walks, the children have not wavered in their ability to love learning and remain courageous in accepting learning challenges across the curriculum.

Blossom have been busy learning about the role of a school and 'being the teacher' in their role play area, Year 1 children have been focusing on comparing and ordering numbers in maths and have been planning a non fiction text about materials to support their understanding in science.

Willow class have worked on expanded noun phrases to apply in their letter writing. They have been working on problem solving and reasoning using subtraction of 2 and 3 digit numbers. Children have also been working across tens. It has been lovely seeing the children work independently on challenges that really demonstrate their mathematical understanding.

Birch class have all been writing letters to me that describe a portal, their enthusiasm towards this writing was fantastic and I am very excited to read each one to see where they take me! Year 5 have continued to work on place value and rounding to 100,000—they have challenged themselves with different investigations in order to apply their knowledge. Year 4 have mastered column addition and subtraction and have worked very hard on knowing their times tables. I am very proud of all the children—well done!

Oak class have had a wonderful first hand experience of what it was like during World War II during their visit to Eden Camp this week—it really did bring their WWII learning to life. They have also been busy working their way through long multiplication and division. This has really tested their knowledge and understanding of times tables and place value!

We have culminated our half term with a wonderful Harvest Service at St Thomas' Church on Wednesday morning. We would like to thank parents and carers for attending and for giving so generously towards our contribution to Skipton Food Bank. We would also like to thank Revd Helen for guiding a reflective service allowing us all time to think about the importance of Harvest and this time of thanksgiving and also to Sutton CE PTA for organising and running an Autumn Coffee Café after the service. Thank you to the children for their wonderful contributions of prayers, poems, drama and songs and also to the staff for supporting all the children to participate so actively. Thank you everyone.

I would like to take this opportunity to say have a wonderful, restful half term and hope that you all take time with family and friends. We look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 31st October.

With very best wishes,

Orla Gibbons

Headteacher



Reminders

PE Days

Blossom— Monday and Friday

Willow—Tuesday and Friday

Birch—Wednesday and Friday

Oak—Tuesday and Thursday

Children come in full PE kit on their PE day.



School Library Visits

Library Opening Times— Please come and visit our wonderfully stocked library, there is an adult on hand to support.

Monday— 3.20 to 3.35

Wednesday — 3.20 to 3.35

Thursday — 3.20 to 3.35



BOBBINS
W.B.31.10.22

Every night includes
snack, outdoor play and
other activities.
Book Now! on
school comms

WED
STEM CLUB



Bat Straw Rockets

MON
CRAFT CLUB



Witch Wreath

TUES
CRAFT CLUB



Wool Ghosts

THURS
GAMES CLUB

15 min screen
time



+ puzzles & board games

FRI
MOVIE NIGHT



Harvest Scavenger Hunt

Bobbins Notices

Calling all parents and carers that use this invaluable service—if you have any queries or questions in regards to Bobbins, please contact the team using the Bobbins email address directly.

bobbins@sutton-in-cravencofe.n-yorks.sch.uk



Parent and Carer Evenings

Tuesday 1st November and Thursday 3rd November from 3.45pm

You all now should have received your appointment slots via text. If you have not received this please get in touch with the school office as soon as possible so that we can share your appointment time with you.

We really hope to see you there. We are also offering telephone appointments, if this is more appropriate for you as a family.



Consents

If you have completed the consents forms sent from the school office— thank you very much.

If you have not yet done this, please do so as a matter of urgency.

We need to ensure that we have the most up to date information for ALL children as possible in order to safeguard each child effectively. Please use the links in the email to complete all consents. Please complete these even if your details have remained unchanged.

Thank you for your continued support with this.

What's happening next..... reminder of dates for your diary over the next two weeks

Monday 31st Oct	Deadline for Applying for a Secondary School Place Y6
Tuesday 1st Nov	Parent and carer evening from 15:45
Wednesday 2nd Nov	Times Table Rock Stars Launch Assembly Come to school dressed as a Rock Star
Thursday 3rd Nov	Parent and carer evening from 15:45 South Craven Basketball Tournament—invites have now been sent
Monday 7th Nov	Blossom Class Trip to Skipton
Wednesday 9th Nov	Times Table Rock Stars Parents session @ 2:30pm
Friday 11th Nov	Remembrance Day



**** Each time a newsletter is sent out there will also be the Whole School Parents Planner sent out with updates in yellow ****

Notices

Swimming, Class Trips and PARENT PAY

We will be adding swimming and any trips for the children on parentpay as soon as we have the final costs for them. We will notify you as soon as this happens. We know that it is currently an extremely difficult time for families financially. We would like to give parents and carers as much notice as possible. We hope this will help and support you to pay over time.

Swimming is statutory and our children in Key stage 2 must attend. All our trips are intrinsically linked to our curriculum therefore enriching the curriculum experience for all children.

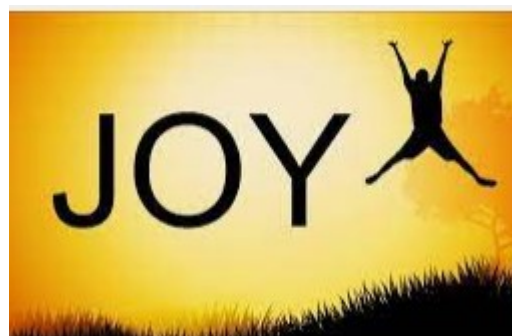
More details for trips and enrichment activities will be provided nearer the time.

Collective Worship for Autumn 2

The Christian Value that we will be exploring after half term is JOY. What joy is! A feeling of great pleasure and happiness- that feeling when you just can't stop smiling or jumping about.

Joy and happiness are wonderful feelings to experience, Joy is often understood to be an approach to life. We are surrounded by the joy of new things in the natural world, and we should take notice of our surroundings and appreciate them. Events can bring us joy, whether big or small and we can feel joy for another person. We can also make someone else feel joyful, often by doing something very small.

Coming from inside, it is about being at peace in your spirit and thankful for all that is good in the world. For Christians, the knowledge that they are loved unconditionally by God helps them to know joy in their lives.



48 Hour rule—Reminder

We would like to remind Parents and Carers of our strict 48 hour rule for absences linked to sickness and/or diarrhoea.

Your child must not be in school until they have had a full 48 hours clear of any symptoms to help us avoid passing on these germs.

Please support us in reducing the severity of these bugs by adhering to the 48 hour rule and keeping your child at home if they are showing symptoms or have episodes of sickness and/or diarrhoea.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

December

9th – Christmas gift shop
Children will 'shop' for a gift for family members. Details below.

14th – Non uniform day - £1 donation. Dress ready for Christmas. Xmas jumpers or party wear welcome!

16th – **Christmas Disco!!** - £3 per ticket. **Volunteers needed**

Can you help?

WE NEED NEW PTA MEMBERS!

If you can attend meetings, help at events, gain information from other parents at the school gates or even send an email with your ideas

PLEASE JOIN US!!!!!!

PTA

Sutton-in-Craven CofE Primary School

We have had an amazing start to the PTA! In a month we have raised **£129!!** This will be going towards the Christmas disco!

We have 3 big events coming up between now and Christmas and we really need more parent helpers. If you can help at any event that we advertise then please get in touch with us. You don't need to attend meetings to volunteer at events.

Without volunteers we cannot run events.

Christmas Disco!

Friday 16th December at the Baptist Church.

Tickets will be £3 and sold at planned times that will be announced after the half term.

We have decided to split the disco in to 2 so we can manage the safety of younger children.

Blossom & Willow – 5:30pm- 7pm

Birch & Oak – 7:15pm-8:45pm

PTA Meetings

The next PTA meeting will be on
16th November 2022 at 7pm.

This will be a chance to plan disco ticket sales and organise the Christmas shopping event.

Volunteers are needed for both events

Christmas shopping event

The PTA will be organising the Christmas shopping event this year.

Children will decorate bags in school and then on shopping day they will go in to the hall where there will be donated gifts. The children can then choose up to 2 gifts for family, friends or themselves at £1 per gift.

We ask parent to donate a gift and leave it at school before Friday 2nd December.

The Christmas Shopping event will take place on Friday 9th December.

FUNDRAISING UPDATE

THANKYOU!

SO FAR WE HAVE RAISED:

NON – UNIFORM DAY: £67

EASYFUNDRAISING APP: £49.50

DONATIONS: £12.50

TOTAL: £129 IN TWO MONTHS

If you have any ideas or want to get involved, please get in touch!

Easy Fundraising APP

You can help us fundraise **for free!**

If you shop through the Easy Fundraising App the PTA will be sent a free donation. This will be an amazing help especially as Christmas shopping will be starting very soon. It cost you nothing however, you have to shop through the fundraising app and not individual shopping apps.

Sign up on this link:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/cause/sutton-in-craven-c-of-e-pta/>



You spend online, brands donate.

JOIN US AT OUR NEXT MEETING
SCHOOL
Mon 16th NOV 2022

We are still looking for parent class representatives

If you are interested in helping us find out what parents want from the PTA please let us know

parentkind.org.uk

is brimming with articles for parents, to help you support your child's school life and learning, and it's open to everyone!



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PTA Sutton-In-Craven CofE



Co-Chairs – Denise McLean & Rebecca Sutcliffe

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