



Dear parents and friends,
Thank you so much to all for your continued support during the last few weeks of a busy year...

Y1 Phonics Screening

Most of you will be aware that we are required to carry out a phonics screening test on our Y1 children (and also on those in Y2 who didn't pass last year). Thank you so much to Miss Richardson and Mrs Harrison for carrying this out, and to our children who have (as always) made us very proud.



Archaeology Project

Thank you so much to the National Parks for organising the wonderful archaeology project that is taking place over the next few weeks. The children have had a great time this week finding out about how archaeology works and are looking forward to their own dig on Thursday/Friday next week. Please make sure that your child comes to school in appropriate clothing for the event (Y3/4 on Thursday, Y5/6 on Friday):

- Outdoor clothing (not uniform)
- Sturdy footwear
- Waterproofs
- Gardening gloves (only if you have them)



Local Authority Moderation /

Inspection

My thanks and congratulations to:

- Miss Collins, whose teacher assessment judgements were moderated by the local authority this week and the outcome was that her judgements, robustly supported by evidence in the pupils' books, were all upheld. Thank you and well done – this involves a great deal of work, not just in preparation for the event but throughout the year to gather evidence. It is nice to have our judgments validated externally.
- Mrs Harrison, who managed an unannounced phonics screening inspection by the local authority this week in my absence. The 'inspector' gave us the highest grading available and praised the effectiveness of the systems we have in place. Thank you very much Mrs Harrison.

Balance Bike Sessions

The first of our balance bike sessions went really well on Monday and the children thoroughly enjoyed it. Please can I ask that all children taking part wear trousers rather than skirts/dresses as these can get caught in the wheels and be quite hazardous. Thank you.



Mrs Johnston

It was lovely for me to meet with Mrs Johnston this week and she is rested and recovering really well. Unfortunately she is not going to be able to be back this term but will certainly be back with us in September. Meanwhile, we will endeavour to keep things as consistent as possible for our children – Mrs Loughlin and Mrs Williams will be with us until the end of

term. Thank you also to Mrs Iveson and Mrs Baldwin for their support.

Rounders

Well done to our children for their success and team spirit at this week's rounders competition. I have fed-back some frustrations about inconsistency in umpiring and thank our children for their excellent attitude!

Cook Vacancy at Bainbridge

We are sorry to inform you that that Mrs Madley will be leaving us at the end of this term which leaves us with a vacancy for a school cook at Bainbridge from September.

Please click [here](#) to visit the advert or Google 'NYCC Jobs'; click or navigate to 'Jobs and Careers – North Yorkshire County Council'; click 'search and apply for a job', then search under *Property: Catering, Cleaning and Maintenance*. The deadline for applications is Monday 30th June and we would be happy to offer MSA hours (Midday Supervisory Assistant) to supplement the role too. Feel free to contact school for more details.



2017-18 Term Dates

The term dates for 2017 – 18 academic year are available on our schools' websites.

Multi-skills – BAWB Reception

On Tuesday 20th June the BAWB reception children are attending a multi-skills morning at Hawes Primary School with Mrs Iveson. Please can reception children to come to school in their PE kits (and bring their uniform) as we will be setting off when they arrive at school. Can they also bring their water bottle and layers to keep warm and dry /sun cream and hats depending on the weather!

Weekly Class Attendance	
Class 2 @ Bainbridge – Mrs Harrison	98.8%
Class 3 @ Askrigg – Mr Billingham	95.8%
Class 4 @ Askrigg – Miss Collins	96.3%
Class 1 @ West Burton – Miss Richardson	100%
Class 2 @ West Burton – Mrs Robinson	93.3%

This Week's Awards from the Headteacher:	
Headteacher's Award, Bainbridge	William Sunter
Headteacher's Award, Askrigg	Fred Norman
Headteacher's Award, West Burton	Mary Cooper
Best Class Attendance	Miss Richardson's class
Tidiest Classroom Award	Miss Collins' Class

I hope you enjoy a lovely weekend.

Charlotte Harper



From the Log Books

School log books are held in our schools and they are a marvellous record of social, and educational, history. We will reproduce extracts in this section. This week's is from Bainbridge's log book.

June 16th 1987 – Rumilajta, a Bolivian folk – group visited the school and played their music for the children who, in return, played for the group and sang. It was most enjoyable. Afterwards, the group played football with most of the school.



West Burton's Newsflash

On Tuesday KS2 of the BAWB Federation went to the rounders tournament at Askrigg. The only team that went through was BAWB A and they lost in the semi-finals. Yesterday Class 2 had an archaeologist in to tell us all about what they do.

HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

By Ryan Hewitson-Wheeler and Luke Dent



We've had another busy week in Early Years. It has been so wonderful to see the children coming into the classroom so sensibly every day and busying themselves with a chosen activity. We've been looking at mermaids and these have appeared in many forms during the week. We've had play dough mermaids, sand models and even real live ones outside as part of role play.

It has been so impressive to see how the reception children have tackled writing their own story books about a journey they have been on or imagined. If you get chance, please come and see the beautiful illustrations, exciting story lines and neatly formed letters. Even our nursery children have been busy in the mark making area. They've made their own books, found and written their names and created lovely pictures.

Our seaside theme continues next week; what will we explore and discover?



Askrigg's Junior Reporters' Column...

Rounders tournament

On Tuesday most local schools came to a rounders tournament here at Askrigg. We all took part in the rounders and everyone enjoyed it. We were put into teams A, B and C. Team A got into the semi-finals but they lost so didn't get into the finals. They came 3rd so they still did very well.

When team A were trying to get to the final the other teams were cheering for them. They were really happy that they came 3rd but they were a bit upset they didn't get to the final. The winners were Leyburn B team. Although it was Leyburn B VS Leyburn A in the final so basically Leyburn would win!



by Jack Dalton and Rosalyn Civil



Community News

Kings' Club

Mike Hirst writes: 'Please remember King's Club this year is Monday to Friday, 7th -11th August. The programme for the 6-10's is at Askrigg School and the programme for the 11-16's year olds is run at Low Mill Outdoor Centre. Please get your application in as soon as possible. (Application forms have been sent out from school or can be obtained from mikehirst3@gmail.com . The family BBQ is 6pm on Friday 11th August at Askrigg School. All are welcome.'

Interested in becoming a Teacher?

There will be an Initial Teacher Training (ITT) information Session at Richmond Methodist School on Tuesday 27th June from 5-6pm. For more information please visit <http://www.swaledalealliance.org/> or Tel: 01748 828126 or email info@swaledalealliance.org

Hawes Gala – Picture Competition

The Gala committee are holding a competition this year to celebrate 50 years and the competition is open to all local school children. The theme is 'my favourite gala day activity'. Any materials can be used to create the picture. There will be prize for each age group.

Entry forms were sent home before the holidays and need to be returned to school by the 19th June 2017 please.

All the pictures will be displayed at Hawes Gala and the mum of the first gala queen has been invited to judge the competition.

Penhill Children's Church: Takes place every 4th Sunday of the month. The next date will be 25 June at Wensley Village Hall from 09:30-11am. Parents welcome to stay – refreshments and newspapers will be available.

Lego Show – Mowbray School – 17th and 18th June 2017

This is Yorkshire's largest Lego Show! It will be held at Mowbray School, Masham Road, Bedale DL8 2SD on Saturday and Sunday this weekend. Entry is £2 for adults and £1 for children and the event is open from 10am – 4pm. Over 25 adult fans of Lego will be exhibiting and there will be a Lego tombola and sales.

The Dales Community Pop Choir

Debbie Allenby writes: 'Would you like to sing with a new Youth Pop Choir? We are holding a FREE taster session for on Thursday 13th July for singers to come along to and try out. We will sing a huge range of songs from artists such as Justin Bieber, Ed Sheeran, Katy Perry, Adele, One Republic and many more! Open to singers aged 8 to 14, 6 till 7pm, at the Leyburn Arts and Community Centre. Please get in touch with Debbie from the Dales Community Pop Choir on 07789 071425 for more information. Please get in touch if you would like any more information about the sessions.'

Hawes District Gala-50th Anniversary-Saturday 24th June

Hawes Community Field across from Hawes Industrial Estate. Fancy dress parade from 12:30pm outside The Board Inn Hawes Market Place. Great family day out with lots of entertainment for all ages including Inch Perfect Trials display. Admission by programme £3 in advance (Available from Masons paper shop, Dales countryside museum, Hawes community office) £4 on the gate Children under 16 go free

BAINBRIDGE NEWS

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ASKRIGG NEWS

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After School Cycling – Payment for This Half Term

For children who cycled last half term i.e. since Easter; the payment of £10 also covers this half term. If your child has recently joined the club please visit Parentpay to pay for the sessions.

Richmondshire Youth Theatre ...

...are performing *Olivia* on Saturday 17th June at 2pm and 7pm at Richmond School. Charlotte and Phoebe are appearing in this performance and would be delighted to spot you in the audience. For more info please visit richmondshireyouththeatre.wordpress.com.

WEST BURTON NEWS

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50's Club: The winners of the May draw are: 1st prize – Mrs Betty Simmons, 2nd Prize – Ms C Cooper, 3rd Prize – Mr M Page. Apologies for the lateness of the draw. Information will be circulated next week regarding membership of the 50's Club for the next school year.

Dates For Your Diary Please note that purple shading indicates collaborative events.

Regular Clubs – All clubs are open to all children (until fully subscribed e.g. Askrigg cookery club is full) and are shown under the school where they take place

	Bainbridge	Askrigg	West Burton
Monday		Cycling – Ms Pollard – 3:30pm -4:30pm	
Tuesday		Cross Country – Mr Bullock – lunchtime After School Sports – Mr Bullock 3.30pm to 4.30pm	
Wednesday	Sports Club - Lunchtime		
Thursday		Modelling Club (Y4-6) - 3:30pm – 4:30pm	After School Sports – Mr Bullock 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Friday			
Date	Bainbridge	Askrigg	West Burton
22.6.17	Archaeology dig at Bainbridge – Y3 and Y4 children		
23.6.17	Archaeology dig at Bainbridge – Y5 and Y6 children		
26.6.17 and 27.6.17	'Moving up days' –Y6 children transferring to TWS will have their transition days and all our children will be spending the days in their new classes (and new nursery children to join)		
28.6.17	BAWB Parents' Forum – 7pm – Askrigg School		
6.7.17	Visit to Hodgson's farm (KS2)		
7.7.17	Y6 Summer Fair (and PTFA raffle draw)		
13.7.17	BAWB Sports Day at Askrigg		
18.7.17	1pm and 6pm – Summer Production at Askrigg – The Adventures of Robinson Crusoe		
19.7.17	BAWB Trip to Saltburn (more details to follow).		

Forest School Dates

Please ensure your child has suitable clothing and footwear for these sessions

16 th June	Bainbridge
30 th June	Askrigg
7 th July	West Burton