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Dear Parents

Where does all the time go? We have entered the month of May hoping to leave the April showers behind us, expectant of **some** sunny weather and more playtimes and lessons on the Rec....so far so good! It's been another busy week in school. Some children from Y5 represented school at a tennis competition in Skipton where they played other local schools from the area. They loved the experience and improved their skills at the same time. Eight children have been to South Craven to take part in a maths challenge against other schools. The children took part in many fun activities, which focussed on applying their maths skills and developing teamwork. Class Four have been making and performing raps to help with their fractions work. I hope we can share these with you soon. Class One have met some very cute pet lambs this week. Someone even suggested that we should have a reading lamb instead of Winnie the reading dog. Pedal and Scoot has continued this week (in better weather conditions) and it was amazing to see the children progress from freewheeling to cycling in a very short space of time. Thanks to Ed from Pedal and Scoot - have a look at his website here <http://pedalandscoot.co.uk/>. Year Two and Year Six are building up to their national SATs tests in a couple of weeks. We are all proud of how hard they have worked! [Here](#) is a link from the DFE for you to read, I have also posted this on our school FB page and emailed it to you. I may see some of you out and about this weekend watching the Tour de Yorkshire.

Have a great weekend and May the force be with you!

Tim Whitehead

Headteacher



Half Term Diary dates

Friday 4th May – Class 1 Pedal & Scoot
Friday 4th May – Collective Worship in Church
Monday 7th May – May Bank Holiday
Week beginning Monday 14th May – Y6 SATs
Tuesday 15th May – Y 3 / 4 Tennis Competition
Friday 18th May – Christian Aid breakfast in school - 9am onwards
Friday 18th May – Royal Tea Party
Monday 21st May – Class photos
Friday 25th May – End of half term
Monday 4th June – New half term begins
Thursday 7th June – Forensic Murder Event at South Craven
Week beginning 18th June – Year 5 / 6 residential
Friday 22nd June – Collective Worship in Church
Wednesday 27th June – Class 3 assembly to parents. 2.45pm
Wednesday 4th July – Science Day (details to follow)
Friday 6th July – Class 1 assembly to parents – 2.45pm
Wednesday 11th July – KS2 Show – 6pm
Thursday 12th July – KS2 Show – 6pm.
Friday 13th July – Y6 trip to Light water Valley
Monday 16th July – Sports Day – 1-3pm (First Choice)
Tuesday 17th July – Sports Day – 1-3pm (Second Choice)
Monday 16th July – Reports out to parents
Thursday 19th July – Y 6 Leavers service in Church – 2.30pm
Friday 20th July – End of Term

Awards

Stars of the Week

Class 1 – **Chloe** – for being kind, hardworking and very lovely.
Class 2 – **Eliza** – a hardworking, happy and helpful lady (all the H's!).
Class 3 – **Stella** – fantastic attitude to work. Responsible and so kind to others.
Class 4 – **Zakariyah** – always wanting to improve his work.
Class 5 – **Erin** – consistent effort across the board.

Reader of the week

Class 1 – Molly
Class 2 – Zach
Class 3 – Lily
Class 4 – Oscar A
Class 5 – Ruby

Hand writer of the week

Class 1 – Harry
Class 2 – Emmie
Class 3 – Angus
Class 4 – Oliver D
Class 5 – Ibrahim

Birthdays:

A happy birthday to the following children:

Tennis Class 1 and 2



Lambs visit Class 1



Royal Cake ideas



Clubs Week Beginning 7th May 2018

Tuesday 8 th May	Football – KS1
Tuesday 9 th May	Running Club – 4/5/6
Wednesday 10 th May	KS2 Science Club
Wednesday 10 th May	Drama Club
Thursday 11 th May	Maths Club – Y6
Thursday 11 th May	KS1 Samba band
Thursday 11 th May	Gymnastics am
Thursday 11 th May	Mini Ringers – 4/5/6



Sports Day – The dates for Sports Day this year are as follows. First Choice – Monday 16th July (1-3pm), Second choice Tuesday 17th July (1-3pm)

Friday 18th May – Royal Garden Party

School will be holding a royal garden party during the afternoon of the 18th May to celebrate the wedding of Harry and Meghan. We are inviting children to come to school dressed in red, white and blue or with a royal theme.

As part of the celebration, we will also be holding a 'Kildwick Royal Bake Off'. You are warmly invited to prepare a cake with your child and bring it to school on the morning of Friday 18th May. This should have a royal theme. A winner for each class will be selected by a local dignitary and a prize awarded.

You can view the entries and winners after school in the school hall.

CO-OP

As you will be aware, our school has been chosen by the Co-op as one of the local charities it will support over the next six months. This means that 1% of what you spend on coop products goes to your selected charity.

The current total in our Co-op charity fund is **£774.82** I will update you with regular weekly totals. Let's keep this total rising. Please share with friends and family and ask them to support Kildwick School. This money will help improve our playground and outdoor facility. Thanks.



Christian Aid Breakfast / Coffee Morning – Friday 18th May

The Christian Aid Breakfast / coffee morning will be going ahead on the morning of the 18th May at 9.10am in the school hall. As we have done previously, this will be for parents only. Children will be invited into the hall to have a cake / bun at playtime. Please could you send in donations of cakes and buns on the Thursday / Friday morning. Thank you.



Food for Life Award

Herbie the Carrot Visited School on Tuesday, along with Ruth Stacey, the Food for Life Co-ordinator. They presented school with our Food for Life award.



Grow A Pound – Over the next week, the school council will be visiting each class to discuss our next fundraising initiative called 'Grow a Pound'. The PTA have kindly donated the money to start it off. The idea is that each child will bring home £1 and think of ways of making it grow. A letter detailing the initiative, along with ideas, will be sent out today. All money raised will be used to purchase reading books, new ICT equipment and improve our playground.



