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Week ending 6th January 2017

I hope you all had a fantastic Christmas break and you got to spend some time doing the things you love with the people you love.

As we start a new year we often set ourselves a target, goal or New Year's resolution. We have been thinking about this in school this week and I have encouraged the children to think of an area they would like to improve in or an ambition they would like to achieve. From little acorns mighty oak trees grow. Think big and believe in yourself were all suggestions that they came up with. I even asked each class to set me a goal for the year. Class 3 have challenged me to teach them some PE lessons. Something I will certainly look forward to doing. I'll let you know what the other classes challenge me to.

We welcome Miss Laura Paxford into our school community and wish her well as she begins her new journey here with us. Do introduce yourself and say hello on the playground.

Bridget Hall, although not poorly, will not be returning to work for the foreseeable future. Angela McLaughlin (formerly teaching in Class 4) will be teaching in Class 2 on a Thursday and Friday and Gill Manthorp will be teaching on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

School Council

Miss Akrigg will be handing the school council over to Miss Paxford this term to allow her to focus on her Special Educational Needs role in school. I know that Miss Akrigg has thoroughly enjoyed re-launching the school council, and is very proud of what all of the children have achieved so far.

Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator (SENCo)

This year Miss Akrigg has taken on the role of SENCo in school and has already started to work closely with some children and families to ensure that we address any barriers to learning. Miss Akrigg is available the first Monday afternoon of each month to see parents who may have any SEN concerns (please book a time through your child's class teacher or Mrs Chapman). As always, your initial contact point is your child's class teacher.

Tim Lee, from the charity Jigsaw Kids Ministry, will be visiting school on Friday 10th March. He will be taking a Collective Worship, talking to the school council and will also deliver a short presentation at the Friday Collective Worship in church. I anticipate that this will be a productive day.






A special thanks needs to go the PTA for all their hard work in fundraising for the school over the last term. You are all AMAZING! The next PTA planning meeting is Tuesday 10th January at 3.40pm in the school hall. Important decisions will be made about what funds will be spent on so if you have any suggestions or contributions to make then please make sure you are there.

The school's new website is nearing completion and I will let you know when it goes live. Attached to the end of the newsletter is a further copy of the 2017 – 2018 Holiday Planner for your information.

I wish you all a happy and prosperous New Year and I look forward to working collaboratively with you over the forthcoming months.

Tim Whitehead
Headteacher

Calendar

Spring 1 st Half-term	
03.01.17	Training Day
04.01.17	School term begins for children
05.01.17	Final Zumba 3.30-4.30pm
10.01.17	15:45 PTA Meeting
12.01.17	KS1 Dodgeball – 3.30-4.30pm
	Collective Worship
13.01.17	
19.01.17	KS1 Dodgeball – 3.30-4.30pm
25.01.17	Swimming starts- Year 4
26.01.17	KS1 Dodgeball – 3.30-4.30pm
	Class 3 assembly to parents
27.01.16	
02.02.17	KS1 Dodgeball – 3.30-4.30pm
03.02.17	Wear Red Day – for children's heart surgery fund
WB	E- Safety week
06.02.16	
07.02.17	Safer Internet Day
09.02.17	New Age Kurling Taster session – year 3 / 4 9 -12am
09.02.17	KS1 Dodgeball – 3.30-4.30pm
09.02.17	Young Voices (Choir)
	Collective Worship
10.02.17	
15.02.17	Class 1 assembly to parents & EYFS stay and Play. 2pm assembly
16.02.17	KS1 Dodgeball – 3.30-4.30pm
16.02.17	PTA – Valentine Disco
17.02.17	End of half term
Spring 2 nd Half-term (6 weeks)	
02.03.17	World Book Day
02.03.17	New Age Kurling 3.30-4.30pm year 3 / 4
09.03.17	New Age Kurling 3.30-4.30pm year 3 / 4
	Collective Worship
10.03.17	
10 – 19.03.17	British Science week
14.03.17	15:45 PTA Meeting
16.03.17	New Age Kurling 3.30-4.30pm year 3 / 4
23.03.17	New Age Kurling 3.30-4.30pm year 3 / 4
	Class 2 assembly to parents. (2:45pm) Red Nose Day
24.03.17	
29.03.17	Parents Evening 1
30.03.17	Parents Evening 2
30.03.17	New Age Kurling 3.30-4.30pm year 3 / 4
06.04.17	PTA – Kildwick's got Talent
06.04.17	New Age Kurling 3.30-4.30pm year 3 / 4
07.04.16	Collective Worship 2.45
07.04.17	End of Spring Term, break up for Easter.

Clubs commencing 9th January 2017

Day	Diary
Monday 9 th Jan pm	Writing Club
Monday 9 th Jan pm	Lego Club
Tuesday 10 th Jan pm	KS2 Art Club
Thurs 12 th Jan pm	KS1 Dodgeball
Thurs 12 th Jan am	Gymnastics – year 1 / 2
Thurs 12 th Jan pm	Mini Ringers Bell Club
Thurs 12 th Jan pm	Choir – KS2
Friday 13 th Jan am	Gymnastics – year 3 / 4

Stars of the Week

Class 1 – Louie Kellett – for fantastic writing progress and super listening.

Class 2 – Dawud Shendi – for giving 110%. Always working hard and for always being kind, thoughtful and helpful. Superstar!

Class 3 – Oliver Derry – for starting the year with a positive attitude.

Class 4 – Erin Dearden – for gorgeous winter artwork.

Class 5 – Eleanor Bradley – for honesty and hard work.

A very Happy Birthday to the following children

Emily Gostling – 19th Dec 2016

Lewis Bean – 20th Dec 2016

Charlotte Tole – 20th Dec 2016

Jude Cooper – 22nd Dec 2016

Willow Haston – 23rd Dec 2016

Anna Calvert – 24th Dec 2016

Jack Hugo – 24th Dec 2016

Harry Hardisty-Wilkinson – 29th Dec 2016

Ellie Pickles – 4th Jan 2017

Wear Red Day – Friday 3rd February 2017

We are asking children to wear red on Friday 3rd of Feb in support of the **children's heart surgery fund**. Something which is close to the Jackson family's heart (pardon the pun!). Katie Jackson will also be organising a bun sale which will take place in the school hall after school on this day. We are asking for a voluntary donation to come to school wearing red.

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HOLIDAYS 2017-2018 - KILDWICK

	SEPTEMBER							OCTOBER							NOVEMBER							DECEMBER								
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Denotes School Holidays

Denotes School Training Days - Staff Only

Get Reddy for Wear Red Day



This year's Wear Red Day will be as important as ever, with all proceeds going to **Keeping The Beat**, our campaign to raise £500,000 for a state of the art hybrid theatre by 2018. Look out for more information on our website, social media and mailouts - we've got some exciting musical endorsements to share with you!



What is it? It's our flagship fundraiser where people wear red to show their support for awareness of congenital heart disease.

When? Next year's event falls on Friday, February 3rd.

How? You can sign up your business or school online and find out more at chsf.org.uk/events or give us a call on 0113 3925742 for a fundraising pack.

Please note: Don't get confused with other heart charities who are running a similar event on the same day, we invented Wear Red Day and are a completely independent charity. Your support is more crucial than ever!

