



# Newsletter



24<sup>th</sup> March 2017

## Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to welcome our new member of staff, Miss Harland, to Class 1. Miss Harland will join Mrs Windsor and Mrs Nicholson to support children in nursery and reception.

With the end of term just around the corner, we have several events to look forward to and we hope to see you in school to share our various celebrations. This year's Easter Bunny Drive will take place on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> April and will feature an Easter Bonnet Competition. There will be a raffle and refreshments too so please add this date to your diary.



On April 6<sup>th</sup> we will be raising awareness of a rare condition called Beckwith Wiedemann Syndrome. We are joining the campaign to 'wear something yellow' and we hope that we can encourage families to make a small donation in aid of the BWS Support Network. The group gives support and advice to families in the UK who are affected by the condition.

Helen Isaac, Headteacher



## Wedding Bells



Class 1 had a lovely afternoon with Mrs Scholey, taking part in their very own wedding celebration. Their RE topic this term has been looking at different types of celebrations and learning all about sharing happy times with friends and family.

Don't they look fantastic?

## Sport Updates



Our netball team put in a valiant effort at the Whitby Finals last week. Although they were knocked out on this occasion, we are thrilled that they made it to the finals.



Our swimmers also put in a sterling performance at the Whitby Swimming Gala. Well done all swimmers and special congratulations to Maisie, who came first in her heat.

Class 3 children had fun at the WPSA Multi-skills event too.

Next week our teams will be competing in the QuadKids events. We wish them all the very best of luck.

# 'Read Write Inc' Parents' Meeting



It was great to see our families join us for the 'ReadWriteInc' information meeting this week. If you weren't able to make the meeting this time and would like to find out more about our new approach to the teaching of reading, please pop in to school and see Mrs Carvell or Mrs Isaac. The ReadWriteInc website contains a parents' section with information on how you can support your child's reading at home.

Access the site at:

<http://www.ruthmiskin.com/en/parents/>



Don't forget

## DIARY DATES:

Mothers' Day Lunch	Monday, 27 <sup>th</sup> March
Parents' evening	Wednesday, 29 <sup>th</sup> March
Class 3 parents' assembly	(9.10am) Friday, 31 <sup>st</sup> March
Friends of Seton Easter Bunny Drive	5.30pm, Monday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> April
Easter egg competition	Wednesday, 5 <sup>th</sup> April
Wear Something Yellow Day (BWS)	Thursday, 6 <sup>th</sup> April
Last day of spring term	Friday, 7 <sup>th</sup> April

## Easter Egg Competition

Our Easter egg decorating competition will take place on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> April. Children are asked to bring in hard boiled eggs and any resources they will need. Eggs will be decorated in school. We will provide cards, paints, sequins, etc. There will be prizes for the most original creations in each class.

There will also be a parents' class. Please bring in your decorated egg by 3.15pm on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> April.



## DANGER!

Please ensure children using scooters and bikes are using them responsibly in the village. We have had reports



that some children have had 'near misses' with traffic, after riding scooters on the roads near school.



## NURSERY UPDATE

Following our recent communications regarding the extended nursery provision, we are now able to confirm the availability of funded afternoon nursery sessions for the Summer Term. We will also be offering paid sessions for those parents who do not qualify for funded sessions and lunchtime sessions. Please see Mrs Nicholson or Mrs Windsor if you would like to request a place or if you need more information.

To facilitate the extra sessions, we will need to bring forward the time of the morning session. Sessions will run as follows:

Morning session: 8.45am to 11.45am.

Lunchtime session: 11.45am to 12.15pm.

Afternoon session: 12.15pm to 3.15pm.