Summer Term 2024

Friday 26th April 2024

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Headteacher's Message

I'm regularly reminded of how lucky we are as a school to be located on a hill in the centre of Skipton. Besides the incredible views, it means we are able to walk to key venues around the town, enabling us to participate in the majority of local opportunities that arise, whether it be music festivals, sports events or curriculum visits such as Skipton Castle. Yesterday was the latest reminder, with Years 4 and 5 walking to Sandylands to participate in a tennis festival organised by Skipton Tennis Club. The children clearly had a brilliant time and represented Water Street brilliantly. Thank you and well done to Years 4 and 5. Next week it will be the turn of Years 1 and 2.

On Thursday, Year 4 also participated in a music workshop. Having spent the morning developing a greater understanding of the science of sound, they were able to create their own musical instruments in the afternoon. There was a buzz of excitement around the classroom and it was wonderful to see the children so engaged in their learning. I hope it hasn't been too noisy in Year 4 households since then!

It's always great to be able to welcome you into school, and with that in mind, you will see that we have started to add the class assembly dates to the calendar. These assemblies will be an opportunity to showcase all the amazing learning that your children have been doing throughout the year, which we are all very excited about.

I hope you all have a fantastic weekend.

Many thanks

Neil Gunstone



Stars of the Week...

Year R: Jacob & Hashim

Year 1: Ailsa & Bea

Year 2: Billy & Eva

Year 3: Pippa & Charlie

Year 4: Everyone

Year 6: Lucy E & Ruby

Well done everyone! Keep up the great work!

House Points...

Wensleydale = 168

Ribblesdale = 164

Swaledale =

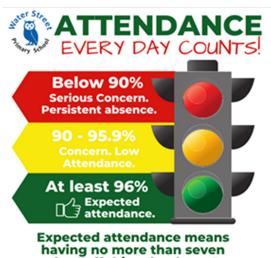
Nidderdale

Congratulations to Nídderdale

Attendance

This week 96.7%

Year to date 96.2%



days off this school year!

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Friday 3rd May Y1 Tennis Festval (Sandylands) - Morning

Y2 Tennis Festival (Sandylands) - Afternoon

Monday 6th May School Closed - May Day

Monday 13th May Year 6 SATS Week

Wednesday 22nd May

Reception Pedal & Scoot (All Day)

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Reception Pedal & Scoot (All Day)

Y3 Class Assembly (PM)

School Closes - Half Term Holiday

Monday 3rd June School Reopens

Friday 7th June Y5 Class Assembly (PM)

Monday 10th June Year 1 Phonics Screening Week

Wednesday 12th June School Disco

Friday 14th June Y4 Class Assembly (PM)

Monday 17th June Year 4 Multiplication Check Week

Monday 24th June YR visit to Thornton Hall Farm

Friday 28th June Y2 Class Assembly (PM)

Wednesday 3rd July KS2 Performance (Afternoon & Evening)

Monday 15th July Sports Day (PM)

Tuesday 16th July Sports Day Back-Up (PM)

Friday 19th July School Closes - Summer Holiday

Please Do Your Part To Reduce Water Street Traffic!

This is just a reminder to encourage you to use Coach Street Car Park.

The traffic wardens allow you to park for a short time in Coach Street Car Park whilst walking to and from school, without requiring a ticket.



Thank you for your support in keeping our children safe.

IMPORTANT

We have a number of children in school with serious nut allergies. Please remember there should be no food in lunch boxes or breaktime snacks that contain nuts. This includes Peanut Butter or Nutella Sandwiches. Thank you





The winners for April 2024 are:

1st Prize of £25 Sally Daguzan (No. 32)

2nd Prize of £15 Bibi Doyle (No. 9)

3rd Prize of £10.50 Sarah Warwick (No. 176)

Thank You and Congratulations!

If you have any questions or would like to join the club please email Emma Clarkson (emmaclarkson02@gmail.com) or speak to anyone in the Friends of Water St.



The winners for March 2024 are:

1st Prize of £25 Julie Horne (No. 36)

2nd Prize of £15 Kate Browne (No. 85)

3rd Prize of £10.50 Peter & Rosalind Rogers (No. 147)

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Keeping children safe online

A Parent's Guide to Cyberbullying









scan the QR code with your phone's camera for Parent Guides on how to help keep your children safe online

Many young people who are victims of cyberbullying suffer in silence.

They feel they can't turn to parents or a trusted adult for support as they fear they may get in trouble or have their devices taken away from them. It can carry on all day, all evening and all weekend for the world to see, causing a lot of emotional stress to the victim and their family.



It can very quickly lead to the victim feeling trapped, scared and vulnerable to grooming and blackmail.



Online safety is when young people know who they can tell if they feel upset by something that has happened online.

Parents please contact your school to enquire attending their next e-safety workshop or have any concerns.

Working with Home Office 'PREVENT', The Police and Crime Commissioner and Children's Safeguarding Partnerships to help keep children safe online.

Skips Educational Email: info@skipsed.com Tel: +44 121 227 1941

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SUNDAY 5TH MAY 2024 **10AM TO 3PM**

IOIN US FOR OUR 2024 SKIPTON SPORT & **COMMUNITY DAY**

SANDYLANDS SPORTS CENTRE, SKIPTON, BD23 2AZ

> **Sports Taster Sessions** Refreshments **Community Groups Bouncy Castles Local Charity Groups** Family Fun





















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SKIPTON CRICKET CLUB



Girls' Only Cricket

Learn new skills Have fun Make friends



Come and join us for 2 <u>free</u> taster sessions Available to girls of all abilities from school years 3 and above Softball and hardball cricket available



Annual Membership £45 Softball £70 Hardball



Outdoor Training Friday Evenings 5.30 pm Starting 12th April

Softball & Hardball Matches Usually held Sunday Mornings

Listen to what our players have to say....

"Winning's good, taking part's better, but it's the friends that are the best." Millie (Year 8) "I have made new friends, and I love being part of a team that supports each other."

Penny (Year 4)



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Girls only teams at U10 & U12 softball & U15 Hardball

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