

NEWSLETTER

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Stars of the Week

Class 1 : Eric Gornall, Poppy Drinkall, Billy Hartley and Ellie Slater

Class 2 : Freddie Hartley, Alice Saville and Jacob Seed



Our End of Term trophies were awarded to:-

Thomas Halstead and Harry Slater for Progress

Holly Gornall and Guy Jenkinson for Sport

Numbers Club Winners

August 1st Prize **Beverley Nicholson** 2nd Prize **Mr J Helm** September 1st Prize **Mr S Thompson** 2nd Prize **Mr L Darbyshire**

Welcome Back

We hope that you all have had a great holiday and you have managed to find a little sun during the six weeks. It is lovely to see all the children happy and smiling, returning to school with such enthusiasm. Our new reception children, Eric, Poppy, Billy and Ellie have all settled really well, especially seeing it's been a full week of learning for them. The change round of classrooms doesn't seem to have phased anyone and Class 2 children have been very excited about having their own locker. It has been a tad chilly in school this week due to the new boiler not yet being functional but hopefully it won't be long before the grand switch on and then hopefully we will all be warm and toasty.

During the Summer we were successful in obtaining a little funding (not a lot!) from the lottery awards for all grant, this is to be spent on the early years area and we are at present deciding how to spend this effectively. The early years shed is looking fantastic, thanks to Mr Headon and his band of little helpers over the holidays, we really appreciate your help thank you.

Also a massive thank you to everyone for sending all relevant paperwork back to school, I know it's onerous but it certainly makes life easier when it's all back in the first week.

After School Clubs

Football, Multi-skills and Netball Clubs start next week and will run on Tuesday's and Thursday's this term.

School Applications

www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools is the address required for Year 6 parents/carers to make their secondary school applications for September 2018. Closing date for secondary applications is 31.10.17. The same address is used if you have a child whose 4th birthday is between 01.09.17 and 31.08.17 as it is now time to apply for a primary school place. Closing date for primary applications is 15.01.18.

Helpers

We are always so grateful for all the help people give to our school as we couldn't manage without you. If you or someone you know would like to volunteer to help listen to readers or maybe drive the school minibus, please let school know.

Shopping Bags

We still have a lot of hessian shopping bags with the School Name and Logo on for a very reasonable prize of £5.00. We haven't quite broken even with this venture yet, so if you need a bag please ask at school. Excellent advertising for us whilst your out shopping too.

W/C 11th September 2017

Mon 11th

Tues 12th

1.30-3.30

Pre-School Sessions in School

3.30-4.30

After-school clubs (Football)

Weds 13th

10.30

Whole School Swimming starts again today

Thurs 14th

3.30-4.30

After School clubs (Multi-Skills and Netball)

Fri 15th

Future Diary Dates

Mon 25th Sept 9.00

Start of Term Mass in church (meet at church at 8.50am) all welcome.

Tues 3rd Oct 3.30

Friends AGM in School please try to attend your contributions are valuable

Weds 11th Oct 9.00

Harvest Assembly and produce stall in School all welcome. Donations to Cafod

Fri 20th All Day

Life Education Bus at School



Cloughton St Mary's

