



Barley Mow Primary School



Putting Children First

Issue No 17

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QUESTIONNAIRE

Thank you to everyone who has taken time to complete the questionnaire, which came home last Thursday, regarding school.

It has been really useful to read parents' comments and once all the results are in we will send you the results.

Don't worry if you haven't completed your questionnaire yet there is still time to do so and then either give it to your child to bring in or hand in at the school office.



Thank you.

SCHOOL DISCO

The children had a great time at the disco yesterday and fun was had by all.

A huge thank you to staff and to our Parent Group for their help and support to make it an enjoyable experience for the children.



CAR PARK

Can I please remind parents that the staff car park should not be used for dropping off or collecting children from school unless the child or parent is designated as disabled.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

KINGSWOOD ADVENTURE

Some of our Year 5 and Year 6 children have been out last week at Dukeshouse Wood, Hexham on an outward bound residential.

From talking to the children and seeing the hundreds of photographs taken, fun was had by everyone. The children had the opportunity to try out a range of activities. Check out our website to see the photos!

The staff at Dukeshouse Wood were very impressed with the team work and manners of our children and were sorry to see the children go.

I must thank Mrs Thornton, Mrs Noble and Mrs Raine for accompanying the children on this trip.



NSPCC

Children in Year 5 and Year 6 have taken part in a NSPCC assembly this week and will take part in some workshops run by the NSPCC next week.

This is a national project being run by NSPCC to raise awareness of children's safety and how to keep yourself safe.

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Year 2 assembly- Wednesday 1st July at 9.15am.

Week beginning 29.6.15 Health week

KS2 Sport's Day—Thursday 2nd July pm

Reception/ KS1 Sport's Day- Friday 3rd July pm

Friday 10th July- School reports will be sent home.

Wednesday 15th July at 9.15am -Year 6 Leaver's assembly for Year 6 parents only.

Summer fair will take place on the last day of the summer term, Thursday 16th July from 1.30pm.

School will close on Thursday 16th July for summer holiday.



YEAR 3 AND YEAR 4 - MATHS WIZARDS

The children in Year 3 and Year 4 have been busy learning their times tables in readiness for our school competition run by Pauline Braviner, Maths consultant for the Local Authority, which took place on Wednesday 10th June.

The children worked in mixed year group teams and the competition was fierce. The children worked incredibly hard and the pace of the morning was non stop.

The children were an absolute credit to the school and we were terribly proud of them.

Thanks must go to our Year 3 and Year 4 staff for organising the morning.



CLASS ORGANISATION 2015-2016

Staffing for 2015-2016 is as follows:

Nursery: Mrs Thornton
Miss Donkin

Reception: Miss Haley (New class teacher)
Mrs Mounsey

Year 1: Mrs Raine
Miss Taylor

Year 2: Mrs Noakes
Mrs Wilson

Year 3: Mrs Gaukrodger/ Mrs Docherty
Mrs Noble

Year 4: Mrs Chapman
Mrs Choudhury

Year 5: Miss Love
Mrs Watson

Year 6: Mrs Oram (New Deputy Head Teacher)
Mrs Pick

From Monday 6th July, there will be set times for transition, for children to spend time in their new class with their new teacher.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations go to Katie Fuller and Josh McCourt for achieving their 50 stamp award.

And to Amelia Jackson, Abi Railton, Jayden Skeoch, Cole Kennedy, Ola Goralczyk, Eros Pantazis and Michael Hutchinson for achieving their 75 stamp award.

We are terribly proud of how many children have received their 50 and 75 Achievement award.

Well done!



WEBSITE

Remember to keep checking out our website for more information on what the children have been learning at school and dates for the diary.

Watch out for the Reception class Chick Watch!