

Spring Term
Friday 26th
January 2018



BURNSALL VA PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday News

A Note from Mrs. Morton Lee

The snow drops on the four sites are reminding me that spring will soon be here hopefully, and that the daylight hours are increasing. The children have all settled back into school after the Christmas holidays, and the short term is flying by! Please do keep checking your child's book bags for letters etc, as the diaries are booking up again for trips, sporting events that are coming up through the spring and summer terms. Cracoe Friends have a coffee morning at Church House in Grassington this Saturday morning. Do pop along and support them if you can. Have a lovely weekend and hope the weather is kind to us.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast club - open to Burnsall children from 8 am until the start of the school day. Please contact school if interested. Please don't forget to send your money to pay for Breakfast club. This can be done weekly or half termly. As from September 2017 the cost for each session will be £3.50 to cover costs. Please can you let me know if your child/ren will be attending. Thank you

News From Class 2

This week in English the children started the week by finishing off their final draft of their biographies on their chosen artist. They found out lots of interesting facts about their lives, which they were then able to organise in to some great pieces of writing. We have now moved on to looking at stories from other cultures. The children have read the opening of Mufaro's beautiful daughters and have been predicting through freeze-frames what they think might happen in the rest of the story. In maths our fraction work this week has moved on to the addition and subtraction of fractions along with some problem solving and reasoning questions. The children have been using lots of their maths knowledge and the maths equipment to help them work out some tricky questions. In science the children have been investigating magnets, In their groups, the children thought of a question that they wanted to investigate and then made a prediction about what would happen before carrying out their experiment. In our art around the world topic, the children have continued to work on their African inspired pictures .

News From Class 1

It has been another busy week in class one with the children continuing to investigate our new topic. We have been looking at Antarctica and what it is like there. We watched a programme called 'Teachers in the freezer' to find information about the Antarctic, its weather and what it is like to stay there. The children then used the internet and non fiction books to find out more. We will be using all of this information to create our own information books on Antarctica. In maths Y2 have been looking at addition using the column method and Y1 have been working on mental maths strategies and problem solving. In reception we have been working on recognising and using numbers to 10. Mrs Sandoe has continued with work based on the story Lost and Found and also did some fantastic art work inspired by our special places.

NSPCC PANTS CAMPAIGN

We came together this week to look at the NSPCC PANTS campaign which is all about keeping our private parts private and empowering our young people to say no and stay safe. The NSPCC website has lots of really good information for both parents and children if you would like to look at this further.

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Diary Dates

30.01.18—Class 2 Swimming Gala 9.30-11.30am

30.01.18—Kanga Sports club after school

31.01.18—Cober Hill Payment due—£75.00

01.02.18—Yr5 Trip to Bewerley Park

09.02.18—Break up

19.02.18—Return to School

Dinner Money/PE Money—9.01.18-09.02.18 (5 weeks)

Dinner Money— £52.80

PE—£18.00

Woosh Club

From January Woosh club has a new home in Grassington Primary School. It runs every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 3-6pm. The cost is £15.00 per child for up to 3 hours which include collection after school (£14.00 for siblings). For more details contact Carly on 07590004975. or wooshclub@outlook.co

After School club—starting 30.01.18

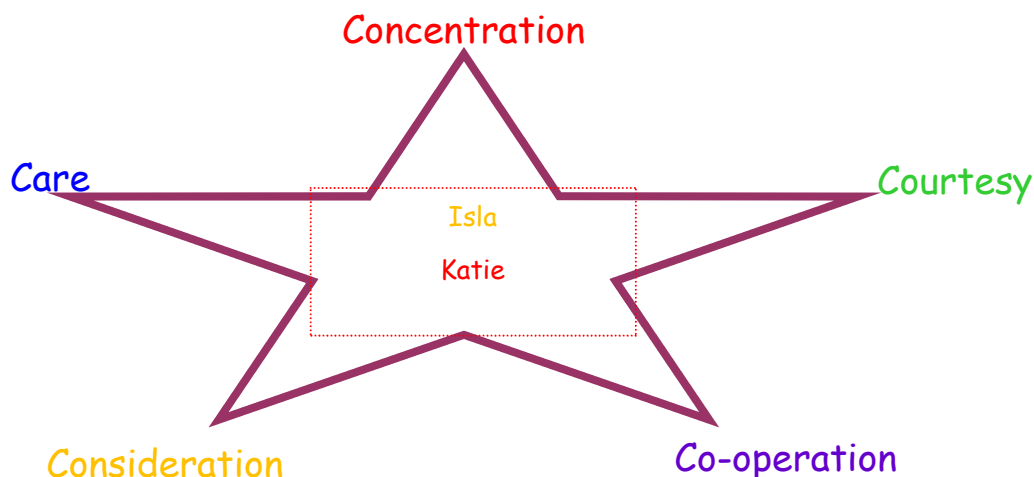
Kanga Sports will be running another after school club starting on 30th January. Mr Bode is going to let me know what sporting activity they intend on running, so I will let you all know next week.

Cober Hill—Residential—Year 6

The next instalment is due on 31st January—£75.00 and the final payment of £75.00 is due by 29th March. Thank you

Poppy Appeal

The collection in November raised £111.35. Thank you to everyone for your support.



A Plea for Junk!



Next week the children in class 2 will be begin to transform plastic bottles and containers into fantastic African Trophies. They will be using the inspiration from an African art project that was set up to give job

opportunities for women living in South Africa and to give new life to plastic waste. If you could send in any empty plastic containers, bottles (bottles with handles, work really well for the heads) and any other plastic waste that you may have, we would be really grateful.

Thank you
Miss Thompson



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Year 5 & 6

On Monday 29th January, Year 5 and 6 have been invited along with the other cluster schools to watch a dress rehearsal of 'Oliver' at UWS. They will leave school after lunch and return for normal home time arrangements. Miss Thompson will accompany the children.

Swimming Gala—Tuesday 30th Jan 2018

Tuesday 30th January is the cluster swimming gala. If your child has been selected to take part in this event, please do not forget to send their swimming kit (plus an extra towel) with them on that day. Thank you.