

Spring Term  
Friday 29th  
March 2018



BURNSALL VA PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Friday News

## A Note from Mrs. Morton Lee

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This Spring term has gone so quickly with such exciting learning happening in and out of school. As part of our balanced and broad curriculum for the four years pupils are in Key Stage 2, we have one term where the topic lead subject is Art. Yesterday's Art Gallery illustrated what fantastic artists we have in our Federation. The talents of this group of children is inspirational in itself. The money raised from the sale of their work will go to their School Council. On Monday Grassington's Easter Church service at Linton was slightly different this year. The story of Easter week was told and acted by the children whilst walking towards the Church. The children spoke clearly and showed due respect for their environment, a true credit to the school. Their singing both inside and outside the Church, as usual was lovely but this year we also had drumming accompanying the story. On Wednesday Cracoe and Burnsall had their more traditional Church Service where they told the Easter story and sang some beautiful hymns. Thank you to all the parents who joined the congregation and those from each Church who provided us all with refreshments.

I'm looking forward to joining in the Easter festivities at Kettlewell, where I am led to believe there will be egg rolling and Egg hunts.

I wish you all a very happy and restful Easter and remind you that school for the pupils starts on Tuesday 17th April.

## Breakfast Club

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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

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Thank you to all the parents and members of the community that attended the Federation Art Exhibition on Tuesday. It was a great success and was wonderful to see the children's work altogether. In total the art work raised by Burnsall school was around £75, which will be given to the school council for the children to decide on how they would like to spend it.

This week the children have been finishing off their topic work in preparation for the new term ahead. On Monday they wrote an Art Evaluation, evaluating their art work over this term. Yesterday the children completed their work on materials in science by looking at which materials are waterproof and which are absorbent. The children were then challenged to create a prototype umbrella which would keep our meerkat dry. The children had great fun testing out their designs,

Well done to everybody who brought in a Decorated Egg today; they all looked great!. This afternoon the children had great fun taking part in our traditional final day Easter activities with some fantastic egg rolling and some extremely keen chocolate hunting. Finally I hope you have a fantastic Easter break and look forward to seeing you in the Summer term.

## News From Class 1

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Spring has finally sprung at Burnsall school and the children have had a lovely week finishing off bits and pieces and looking forward to our Easter activities this afternoon! I have seen some fantastic decorated eggs and Miss Thompson and I have had a very difficult job judging winners! Well done to everyone who took the time to decorate an egg they really do all look fantastic!

There is now a mud kitchen in our outdoor area courtesy of the talents of Miss Thompson's Husband and the children are very much looking forward to using it in the summer term. If anyone has any old pots and pans or kitchen utensils which could be used in it we would be very grateful if they could be sent into school.

Mrs Sandoe, Mrs Braithwaite and I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy Easter and we look forward to seeing you all for our Summer Term!

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## Diary Dates

17.04.18—Return to school

18.04.18—Parents Evening

### Class 2—Tag Rugby (Fridays)

Hedley Verity will be coming into school again after the Easter holidays to coach tag rugby. Please can you make sure that your child has with them their PE kit, tracksuit bottoms and a hoody, as this will take place in the playground. This will run until May half term.

### Parents Evening—18th April 2018

Parents Evening will be held on Wednesday 18th April. You should have already received your letter and time with regards to this. Please remember to return your slip for this. Thank you

### Coffee Morning—Easter Monday 2nd April

There will be a coffee morning/jumble sale at Appletreewick Village Hall on Easter Monday 10-12noon. Bacon Sandwiches, raffle, cake stall, jumble and bric a brack. All proceeds are for school. Please support if you are able. The Village Hall will be open on the Sunday evening (6-8pm) for anyone to drop off jumble, cakes etc. Thank you

### Friends Coffee Morning—Saturday 14th April

Please see attached poster for more information about the coffee morning. Everybody welcome.

**From all at school we wish you a lovely Easter holiday**

