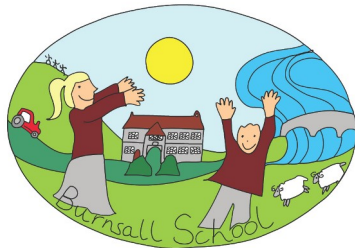
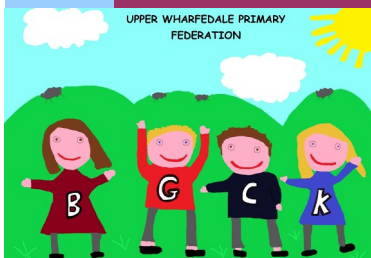


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Friday News

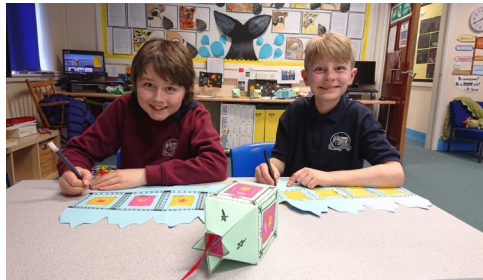


A Note from the Executive Head Teachers

Dear Parents/ Carers,

This week has been RE week in each of our schools. In key stage 2 children have been exploring why some religions decide to fast...

In key stage 1 children have been finding out about Judaism....



Blue Peter badges at Grassington

Children in Class 2 at Grassington got a welcome surprise through the post last week. Each child in Class 2 received a Blue Peter badge because of their campaign work around climate change. After reading 'This Morning I Met a Whale' by Michael Morpurgo, the children decided to focus on the effects of pollution in our oceans on wildlife and wrote persuasive letters and designed posters. We are really proud of the effort the children put in to this worthy cause and appreciate that this was recognised by Blue Peter. Well done Class 2!

Swimming Gala Results

Well done to all the children who took part in the recent swimming gala. The overall winners were Cracoe and Rylstone Primary, in second place was Boyle and Petyt and Grassington came third.

The individual category results are listed below:

BACKSTROKE:

Yr 3/4 Boys - Boyle & Petyt
Yr 3/4 Girls - Cracoe
Yr 5/6 Boys - Kettlewell
Yr 5/6 Girls - Burnsall.

BREASTSTROKE:

Yr 3/4 Boys - Grassington
Yr 3/4 Girls - Threshfield
Yr 5/6 Boys - Cracoe
Yr 5/6 Girls - Burnsall

FREESTYLE:

Yr 3/4 Boys - Boyle & Petyt
Yr 3/4 Girls - Cracoe
Yr 5/6 Boys - Grassington
Yr 5/6 Girls - Threshfield

MEDLAY RELAY:

Overall
1st - Boyle & Petyt
2nd - Cracoe
3rd - Threshfield

FREESTYLE RELAY:

Overall
1st - Cracoe
2nd - Boyle & Petyt
3rd - Threshfield

Race for Life

As part of their persuasive writing unit, Class 2 decided to write a letter to Mrs Besharati to persuade her to let us organise a Race for Life in aid of Cancer Research UK. After completing their research they had lots of facts to present to her along with persuasive techniques. The letters were successful and the event was organised. Class 1 ran a full mile in less than 10 minutes, whilst classes 2 & 3 ran at least 2 miles, some completing many more laps than required. The team work was unbelievable and so many children stayed outside, battling the horrible weather to cheer their peers on. The money has started rolling in already and we look forward to finding out the grand total at the end of half term.

"We thought it was really fun and would love to do it again but in summer as it was very wet!" Nicole & Niamh Year 4

"It was life saving!" Mabel Year 4

"It was good! We had fun but it was tiring!" Charlie Year 6



PE

We thank you for your continued support in sending the children to school on Monday and Tuesday in their PE kit, in readiness for their lessons.

Could we please ask that PE kit is returned to school with your child on a Wednesday morning, incase they need their kit for other PE lessons which may be happening. For example Hedley Verity from Wharfedale Rugby club has been doing tag rugby at Burnsall and will move to Grassington after half term, therefore children require their kit. If possible, spare kit/outdoor clothing could be kept in school so that when children do outdoor learning they can get changed, to prevent uniform getting wet or dirty. School hoodies are for use in PE lessons only.

Timetable

Week beginning	Mrs Besharati		Mrs Boxall	Mrs Besharati/ Mrs Boxall	Mrs Boxall
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM	Grassington	Cracoe	Grassington	Kettlewell	Kettlewell
PM	Grassington	Cracoe	Grassington	Grassington	Burnsall

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Diary Dates

31.01.20—Next payment for Cober Hill—£100

10.02.2020—Big Sing Rehearsal afternoon at THall Grassington

11.02.2020—PE as normal today

11.02.20—Internet Safety Day

12.02.2020—Swimming Gala final @ Craven Pool

13.02.20—Big Sing 2pm & 6pm

14.02.20—Break up for half term

24.02.20—Return to school

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. If you child would like attend breakfast club please can you notify school 2 or 3 beforehand then we can let Julie know. Thank you .

Dinner Money for this half term 07.01.20-14.02.20

Dinner money for this half term will be—£81.20

Please remember to pay all dinner money owing before next Friday. Thank you

Attendance

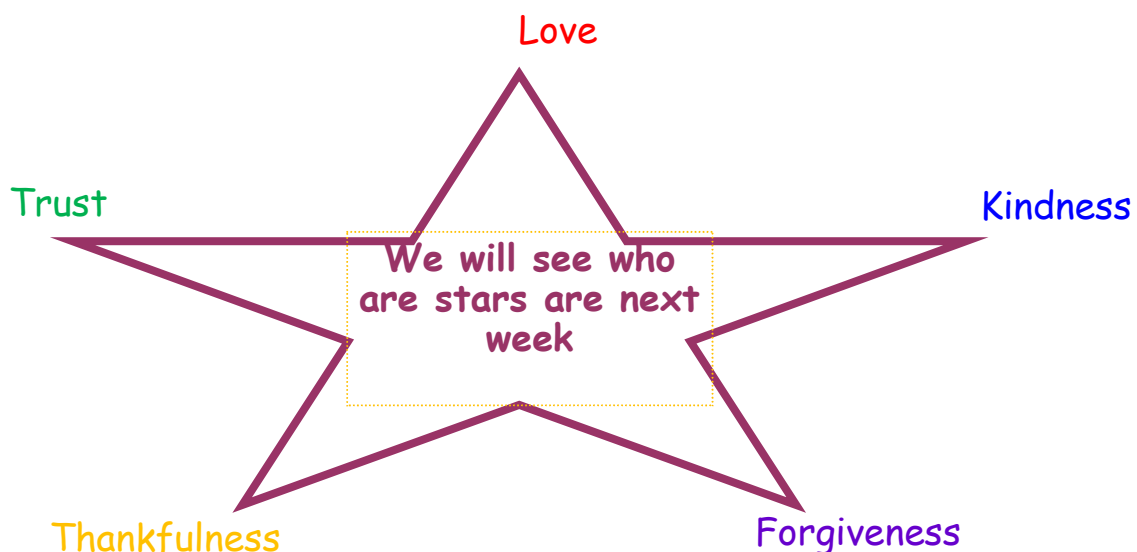
The target for our school is 97%

This week's attendance: 97.8%

PE Times

Class 2—PE Friday morning with Hedley—Tag Rugby

Class 1—Dance with Mrs Braithwaite on a Thursday morning.



News from School

Swimming Kit—Tuesday 12th February

This week Year 5 & 6 will need their swimming & PE kit. Thank you

Tag Rugby

Tag Rugby is every Friday. Please can your child come to school in full school uniform (including school shoes) and bring their PE Kit to school to get changed into. Thank you.

Class 2 PE KITS—Fridays

As the weather is wet and cold at the moment, please can the children come to school in school uniform and bring their PE Kits with them to get changed into for Tag Rugby on a Friday. Thank you.

PE—Tuesday 11th February

Ignore previous messages that there will be no PE on Tuesday. We have had to re-arrange the big sing rehearsal to Monday afternoon, so PE will go ahead as normal.

Big Sing—Home time arrangements

On Thursday 13th February the children will be transported up to Grassington Town Hall with Hargreaves Coaches. We will not be returning to school, and ask if you can collect your child/ren from the town Hall at 3.30pm. There will be no buses running that night. Please see letter which is enclosed in your communication folder that you child will bring home tonight.

Swimming Gala Finalists

Well Done to Millie, Carys, Dylan, Jacob and Katie who have been selected to take part in the swimming gala final at Craven Pool next Wednesday 12th February. A letter is enclosed in your folder.

SATs Blaster

Due to the Big Sing on Thursday, there will be no SATs Blaster next week. It will resume again after the half term break.

