Kirkby & Great Broughton (E School

Friday 14th June 2024

Reception Pet Day



Today was a super day in Reception, enjoyed by everyone with very well behaved pets and owners visiting the children. We welcomed chickens, a rabbit, a tortoise and a pony with lots of dogs to round off an exciting afternoon. Thank you everyone for coming along and helping to launch our Amazing Animals topic.







Countryside Day

Animals were also the stars of the show on Wednesday when Key Stage 2 had a wonderful day at the Yorkshire Showground. They saw ferrets, a dancing sheep show and birds of prey- Cruz said the bird nearly got his nose! They saw alpacas and made pot noodles! Many thanks to the adults who organised and helped- the children say it was a great day!













Summer Fair

Many thanks for all of your contributions towards raffle and tombola prizes for the summer fair. Information about the event is below- will you be joining us?

We are also looking for some good quality teddies for our 'Teddy Tombola' Please send them into school.



Our Brilliant Band

The school were treated to a final performance of the year from our fabulous band and Mr Bone. They played a variety of pieces and there were some amazing solos: fantastic when some of the children have only just started learning! Well done to our musical shining stars.





Archery

This half term Years 3-5 have had the opportunity to learn bow and arrow skills in Sylvan Lore's after school club. Great to see the determination and improving accuracy.







Rising Stars News

Rising Stars are O-Fish-Ally enjoying our summer term. Come and join us for lots of fun and games spaces are available an information booklet can be collected from the school office.



PLEASE NOTE: On Friday 19th July Rising Stars will finish at the end of our short session at **4:15pm**.

50th Birthday Competition

As you may know our school is 50 this year! The official opening was October 4th 1974 and plans are afoot for celebrations in school and with the local community. Watch this space! Part of the celebrations will be revealing a very special mosaic designed and made by our children, each and every one of them being able to leave their 'legacy' for years to come.

We are using a local group 'Saltburn Studios' who will come in to school, ensure a high quality and will carry out workshops with the children. Below are some of the mosaics they have made.

But we need a design...

Children are invited to design a mosaic commemorating the school's 50th birthday, on a LANDSCAPE piece of A4. This can just be a picture; it does not need to be in a mosaic style. The final design will then be composed which may be one of the designs or a mix of a couple.

Please send designs into school by 15th July so the mosaic will be ready to make in September.







Year 1 Artists

In art Year 1 have been looking at landscapes and some famous art. This week they developed artistic vocabulary and skills looking at textures of the sand, sea and sky. Children then went on to add texture to a copy of Vincent Van Gough's work. Some star artists here!





Reminders about September

Just a few gentle reminders of things you may have missed in correspondence: ALL children in Reception - Y6 will start school at 8.45 and finish at 3.15

Due to a rise in prices, school meals will be charged at £3.40

Sports Club News

Great Broughton & Kirkby Sports Club membership

We hope all parents are aware that children in the school have been given free membership of the Sports Club (this has been sponsored by Carlton Power this year and will continue in future years also)

Membership of the club entitles the children to use the tennis courts for practice and play tennis at any time the courts are free. The courts are not locked and we have provided balls and children's racquets in the bins adjacent to the courts.

There is no formal booking system but Team Matches take priority and these happen on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, so please avoid these times.

We are unable to provide any supervision so it will be important for parents to ensure their children are safe. Use of the courts is at your own risk.

If parents would also like to play they are most welcome to join the club; Social Membership is Just £12.50 pa.

For further information please contact: Phil Seth 07484839463 or phil.seth0@gmail.com

BBQ Time

Join the community this year's BBQ at Kirby Sports Club

When: 13th July 2024, 7pm til late

What: BBQ food and Band, featuring The Beer Pigs

Where: Gt Broughton and Kirby Sports Club

How much: £16 for members, £18 for non members, £6 for 16 and

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Please message Karl on 07711 796699 or email bksc1@outlook.com for tickets.

The deadline for uniform orders to arrive before the summer holidays is 8th May. Please visit https://www.school-uniforms.co.uk/ to order.

Dates for Diaries

- W/B 17th June Y6 East Barnby residential
 - 25th June Y1/2 School Visit to Jarrow Hall
 - 28th June PTA Summer Fair
 - 2nd July Sports Day
 - 3rd July Reserve Sports Day
 - 3rd and 4th July pm Drama Club present 'A Midsummer Night's Dream'
 - 5th July Reception Trip to Monk Park Farm
 - **9th July 6pm** Year 6 performance supported by the choir
 - 10th/11th/12th July Y6 at Stokesley School
 - Parents Meets (optional) 15th July
 - V6 Laguara carvina 11am 17th July in aburah. ALL WELCOME

Safeguarding at KGB

It is the role of all adults in a child's life to keep them safe and all staff in school have regular training in safeguarding and child protection. You can read our safeguarding policies on our website. In our school the designated person for safeguarding is Mrs McCormick (who should be your first point of contact if you have any concerns), and we have two deputy safeguarding leads: Mrs Borwell and Miss Atkinson. We are here to support children and families so please do get in touch if you have any concerns about a child's well-being or would like some support as a family.

Attendance Matters

Please see below about information from the NHS regarding illness. Attached also is our 'Attendance Matters' guide for parents which outlines the impact pf taking your children out of school. Thank you for your support.

Please be aware that only applications for term time absences that have been AUTHORISED will be formally acknowledged. If you have not received a letter the absence will be marked as unauthorised.



Is my child too ill for school?

Find out when it's best to keep your sick child at home and when it's OK to send them to school or nursery.

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Attendance Matters Parent Guide - printable (2).pdf

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579.6 KB

Notices and Holiday Activities

FFAST

Get ready for FEAST: Free holiday activities and meals this Summer for eligible families

FEAST offers holiday activities and healthy meals to children and young people this summer holiday. All families are welcome to join in, with free places for eligible children and young people.

This summer, demand for FEAST places may be high. Please look out for your voucher, which you should receive via email or text from HolidayActivities on **Monday 17th June** (a screen shot of how the email will appear is attached - parents have fed back to us that they sometimes overlooked the emails as they thought they were junk/spam)). Bookings will go live on the same day - Monday 17th June.

We encourage families to log in and discover all the fantastic activities available, and to request their bookings as soon as possible.

If you believe your child is eligible and you have not yet received your voucher by Tuesday 18th June, or you have lost it, please contact the school office.

To learn more about FEAST, and for information on activities, eligibility and how to manage your bookings, visit the FEAST website. For a step-by-step guide on how to redeem your vouchers and book a place using HolidayActivities, watch this video.



