



AISKEW, LEEMING BAR CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER

January 27th 2017

Welcome

We would like to extend a warm welcome to two new members of staff. Mrs Vanessa Whitehouse is our new full-time teacher in Dragons and Mr Gavin Hayman will be teaching Bears on Thursdays and Fridays until Easter. We are delighted to have them both at Aiskew, Leeming Bar and hope they enjoy their time at our school.

E-Safety Certificates

Following Eagles' class e-safety assembly, all the children in Bears and Eagles were challenged to make a poster to remind us all of our e-safety rules, which we could display around school. We invited our local PCSOs to come in and judge them, and they were very impressed with the high quality. Overall winners were Kieran in Eagles and Heidi in Bears, with Mackenzie and Jasmine being Highly Commended.

E-Safety Presentation

At the end of last term we all enjoyed an excellent assembly led by Eagles. Taking on the theme of the Oscars we watched e-safety animation films created by the children. The aim of the films was to teach our younger children about e-safety. The children chose a wonderful array of humorous and colourful characters who appealed to everyone. You can watch these wonderful films on our blog or by using the link on our twitter account.

Five things you didn't know about Mrs Monaghan

What do you do in your spare time?
I like to climb mountains, especially Scottish mountains
What is the most embarrassing thing you have done?
I face planted four times while ice skating at Christmas
What show did you watch as a child?
Grange Hill
What are you most afraid of?
Big spiders with thin legs
If you had a choice, what food would you eat for the rest of your life?
Bread (any bread)

Class Assemblies

We would like to invite you to a class assembly each term. The assembly will begin at 9.05 and will be led by the class.

Dates for this term:

Dragons – March 16th

Bears – March 8th

Eagles – March 2nd

As usual parents are invited to the last achievement assembly (last Friday) of every month. These assemblies begin at 3pm.



Jack and the Beanstalk

"We went to a pantomime at Burneston. We saw Jack and Jack's mum." – Emily- Faye

"My favourite bit was when the giant looked through the letterbox because it was funny."
- Kaci

Message from Mrs Bentley

Please could parents ensure that they tell Mrs Bentley if they would like their child/children to have jacket potatoes. Instead of the meal printed in the menus.

Nut Products

We have a few children with nut allergies and we want to keep them as safe as possible. To achieve this we ask that children are not provided with snacks for break or lunch-time which contain nuts. Your co-operation with this request is greatly appreciated.



Flat Stanley

"A bulletin board fell on Flat Stanley and so he became flat. In literacy we are writing about Flat Stanley and his adventures." – Elijah

"We made our own Flat Selves for homework and sent them to a friend at Burneston. The children at Burneston sent their flat selves to us. It was good fun." – Philip

More information about our morning with Burneston is in this week's D&S!

Y6 SATs

Year 6 SATs testing this year will take place from **May 8th to 12th 2017**. Please note that any holidays taken during this time will be unauthorised.

Class Topics

Class topics for this term are as follows;
Dragons – Superheroes and Up, Up and Away
Bears – Conquest and Rule
Eagles– Water, Water Everywhere
Lots of exciting activities have been planned as part of these topics. If you feel you have anything that might contribute to them, please let us know.

Dates for your Diary

30th Jan SATs meeting for Y6 parents
2nd Feb Y6 parent meeting at Bedale High School
9th Feb Eagles trip to Reeth
14th Feb Music for Life morning
17th Feb Achievement assembly for parents
17th Feb Finish for half term
27th Feb Return after half term

