



AISKEW, LEEMING BAR CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

September 7th 2018

This week's
Learning Heroes
are Frankie and Tyler

Handwriters of the week
Congratulations Max and Karolina
for your beautiful handwriting!

**100%
attendance
this week**

COLLECTIVE WORSHIP

This week we have
been preparing for our
Dedication service.

Scarecrow Picture Competition

Leeming Garth Care Home would like to invite children to draw/make pictures of scarecrows for a competition. They are to be handed into school by 01.10.18. Children can draw, paint or collage them. Who will make a wonderful scarecrow?

Please hand them in to Mrs Bentley.
Don't forget to put your name on the back.



ROAD SAFETY

There have been a number of incidents reported of vehicles failing to stop at the zebra crossing outside of school. Please be extra vigilant when crossing with your child. If you're driving, please make sure you've checked for people trying to cross here too.

Pupil of the Week Certificates

Our Pupils of the Week are:

Regina, Aaron & Kieron

Dedication Service

Eagles have worked hard during assembly time this week to prepare for this service. They did a super job of writing this special assembly and learning to deliver the words so well. Thank you to everyone who came to join us this special occasion. Also, thank you to Rev'd Hanscombe who is now our foundation governor for leading us in our final prayer and bringing his team of helpers.

Sports Leadership

This week in PE the Eagles completed part 2 of their Sport Leadership training. This involved learning about use of space when organising games. They found out how important it is to make the playing area the correct size for the type of game if they want to have fun and stay safe. They are enjoying the daily mile challenge and are beginning to see the benefit of doing regular running around the field. Good training for the Cross Country competition!



Class Blogs

The blogs for Eagles and Dragons are now up and running again. We will be putting on pictures and information regularly.

Please check them out!

Don't forget to also sign up to Twitter and follow school too!

All homework and spellings will be posted each week on the Eagles blog. Please check so you know what your child has to do.

Writers of the week

Congratulations
Charlie and Savannah
for your writing this week

*This week's Head teacher
Awards go to*

250 Dojos – Aaron

Dragons

We have really enjoyed reading We're Going on a Bear Hunt in Literacy. We have started writing our own versions. In maths, children have been learning to draw pictures and diagrams to support their mathematical understanding of place value. We have started our science topic learning about our bodies. EYFS children have had a lovely time in our 'investigation station' learning all about the world around them, including going on a bug hunt. They have already started to learn their first sounds - wow! We are really proud of how the EYFS children have settled and come into school, ready to start their learning each day.

Parent Governors

The Governing Body of a school has a really important role which focus on the core functions of providing strategic leadership, holding the headteacher to account and making sure the school's money is well spent. We have two parent governor vacancies on our Governing Body. The official letter will be sent out next week however if you wish to discuss the role of governor further, please see Mrs Stanley or Mrs Bentley.

Mathletics

Last term, on average, children completed over 4 Mathletics activities per week. Research, according to Mathletics, suggests that doing 3 activities a week help children make progress. Our pupils were obviously managing to do more than this - well done! Please can you encourage children to access Mathletics at home again it really helps with learning. I haven't had the joy of giving out many Mathletics certificates in assembly! The challenge is, if every pupil gets at least 1000 points in a week, they all get cake and extra playtime!!!

FOALS

FOALs (Friends of Aiskew Leeming Bar School) is an organisation that raises money for our school. FOALs is always looking for more help. Their next meeting is on Friday 28th September at 6:30, meeting at the Corner House Hotel. Why not come and join us to find out a little bit more - they're a very friendly bunch of parents!

Open day/evening

We are very proud of the changes that have been made within school, over the last few months and we would love you to come and see our great school in action! You are invited to come for a guided tour of the school during the school's working day, so that you can see first hand how your children are learning. We are also opening the invite to pre-schoolers and their families. If you know someone with a preschool child, please would you kindly pass on this invite. There will be guided tours, throughout the day and after school. Please contact Mrs Bentley to make an appointment.

Dates for your Diary - First Half of Autumn Term 2018

September		
Thursday 20th	12 noon	Family lunch
Wednesday 26th	TBA	European language day – more information to follow
Thursday 27th	All day	Open day/evening for new EYFS children (children starting school in September 2019)
Friday 28th	9am 6.30pm	Achievement assembly for parents FOALS meeting at the Corner House Hotel
October		
Thursday 4th	TBA	Parents' evening
Wednesday 10th	12 noon	Family lunch
Friday 19th	9.30am 12 – 4.30pm	Harvest Festival at St. John's, Leeming Village KS2 Cross Country Competition at Richmond
Friday 26th	9am	Achievement assembly for parents

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