



# AISKEW, LEEMING BAR CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

November 9th 2018

### This week's **Learning Heroes**

are James and Maison

### Handwriters of the week

Congratulations  
Karolina

for your beautiful handwriting!

### 91.2% attendance this week



Every child that had 100% attendance this week has been entered into the Christmas prize raffle

*Please ensure your child attends school as much as possible.*

## COLLECTIVE WORSHIP

We have been thinking about remembrance and saying thank you to those who sacrificed things for us.

## Christmas Play

We are really looking forward to putting on our school play. Children will start to receive their words during next week. If your child brings home lines to learn, please can you help them to practise them. Details of costumes/props will be coming out shortly - we will try to keep them as simple as possible!



## Pupil of the Week Certificates

Our Pupils of the Week are:

**Kieron and Tyler**

## Mathlete of the Week

**Althea**

Well done for reaching 2170 points

## Enrichment Week

This week has been an enrichment week for children. We have welcomed different visitors into school to come to speak to the children. We started the week with Mike who is a volunteer with the Royal British Legion. He came and spoke to the children about why he is a volunteer, what he does, how the money raised through selling poppies helps ex-service men and women, as well as explaining the symbolism behind the poppy.

He very kindly gave all the children a special gift from the Royal British Legion.

On Wednesday, we welcomed some veterans from Age UK.

Five veterans came to talk to the children about their experiences in the Armed Forces. They explained all about the different regiments they belonged to, what their jobs entailed and why they wanted to do this as their careers. They brought in a range of hats that the children enjoyed trying on, as well as learning about modern day gas masks!



This week we welcomed a new member, Maison, into our school family.

## Writers of the week

Congratulations  
Frankie  
for your writing this week

## This week's Head teacher Awards go to

**500 Dojos** – Savannah & Joe

## PE Player of the Week is... Aaron



## Enrichment Week

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We also welcomed our Parent Governor, Mr Shenton into school who came to talk to the children about his job in the RAF and what it means to him to serve in the Armed Forces. He told us all about the positives of his chosen career and how for him, the RAF is like a family. We had lots of questions to ask him.

In addition to all this, children have been learning about WW1 and its centenary and thinking about why we want to say thank you (which has been the Royal British Legion's theme this year) as part of their reading, writing and art. We have various poppy themed art work in the entrance hall. As well as this, our beautiful poppy installation was created today. A huge thank you to everyone who collected bottles, offered to cut them out and melt them with a candle, as well as to the kind volunteers who gave up their Friday afternoon to put it all together - hopefully, the local community will enjoy this contribution.

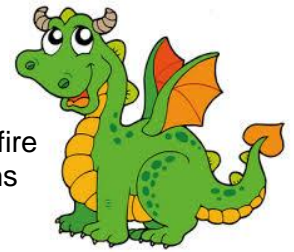
**We welcome you back to school for another very busy half term!**

## Topic Homework

We have been really pleased to see the lovely topic homework that has been completed by Eagles. All the models are on display in the entrance hall - please have a look. Any written work has been put on the topic wall in the children's classroom.

## Dragons

As well as learning about the centenary of WW1, Dragons have been learning about Bonfire Night. They have written poems and created some art work around this.



## Children in Need

On Friday, we will be taking part in Children in Need. Children are encouraged make a £1 donation to Children in Need and to wear 'spotty' clothing (or just non-uniform if you don't have anything that fits the theme). In addition to making a donation to come in spotty clothing, we would like children to bring in any loose change - we will place the money on the hall floor in a long line and measure it. I wonder how many metres we can make out of money? For every 1 metre of money the children make, the school will get 2 minutes extra playtime.

## Dates for your Diary - Autumn Term 2018

<b>November</b>		
Week beginning 12th	All day	Anti-bullying week – various events
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup>	12 noon	Family lunch
Friday 16th	All day	Children in Need – non-school uniform, wear spots
Friday 23rd	6.30pm	FOALs Bingo, pie and peas evening
Week beginning 26th	3.30pm	Book fair
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Achievement assembly for parents
<b>December</b>		
Wednesday 5th	12 noon PM	Family lunch Flu vaccinations for children with parental consent
Thursday 6th	3.30pm	Movie club night – refreshments provided by FOALs
Monday 10th	PM	Christmas production dress rehearsal
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	PM	Christmas production dress rehearsal
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	12 noon 1.30 & 6pm	Christmas lunch for children, staff, governors and volunteers Christmas production
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	9.45am	Children carol singing at Leeming Bar Grange
Thursday 20th	PM	Children's Christmas party
Friday 21st	9.30am 3.30pm	Carol Service at St. John's Church, Leeming Village for parents and the community Close for Christmas holiday

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