

13th September 2024

FRIDAY NEWS

A nurturing family, learning together



Message from Mrs Pearson

Following on from last week's Friday News, it is lovely to see children now settling into their new classes, making new friendships, and adapting back into school life after the long Summer holiday!

This week children in years 2 and 3 have both taken part in an adventurous visit to Yordas Cave and also enjoyed some ghyll scrambling in Kingsdale. The visits were thoroughly enjoyed by everyone who took part, even if at times everyone got just a little bit damp! Thank you to Olly Roberts Outdoors for organising these wonderful opportunities for children, thank you also to Mrs Naylor, Mrs Cryer, Mrs Askew, Mrs Green, Ruth's mum, Pheobe and Alfie's Grandma and Governors Mrs Wood and Mr Hawkins for accompanying children.

As we start the new term, classrooms are turning into busy hives of activity! Our youngest children in Butterfly Class are really settling into their new school routines, and this week have been busy painting butterflies and exploring the EYFS outdoor area.

Next door in Hedgehog Class children have started reading 'The Midnight Panther'. Children have also enjoyed making collages of big cats.

In Rabbit Class children have also started looking at The Midnight Panther. Children in Year 4 have been looking at 'understanding hundreds' in maths, with children in year 2 getting more confident counting in tens.

In Badger Class children have been learning about and looking at different foods from all around the world in preparation for making their own delicious 'global themed' sandwiches!

In Fox Class children have been learning about and looking at clothes and foods from around the world and where these items come from. In maths learning has been all about numbers up to one million.

Finally, our oldest children in Owl Class have been looking at global trade. In literacy children have also started looking at the new class literacy topic based on the Midnight Panther.

What a busy week!

On Monday next week, children in Rabbit, Badger and Fox Class will be taking part in a Fairtrade Workshop.

Also on Monday, there will be an opportunity for parents/carers of children in Nursery and Reception to join a 'meet the teacher' session, afterschool in Butterfly Class from 3.30pm to 4.00pm.

On Wednesday it will be the turn of children in Year 6 to take part in a Fairtrade Workshop. Also, on the 18th, there will be an After School Fair Trade Tuck Shop – so remember to bring along some pennies for after school, help support Fair Trade, and get yourself a sweet treat at the same time!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs C Pearson
Executive Headteacher

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at work and talk to the
Head Teacher and staff about
the opportunities available.**

**Open Evening
Thursday 3rd October 2024
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Main School Open Evening 2024

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Primary School

Monday 16th September 2024

Battered Fish (Harry Ramsdens)
Sweet Potato Bake (v)
Jacket Potato (v)

Fairtrade Workshops (Rabbit, Badger and Fox)
3.30pm – 4.00pm Meet the Teacher (parents/carers
of children in Nursery/Reception)

Tuesday 17th September 2024

Creamy Cheesy Tomato Pasta (v)
BBQ Rice (v)
Jacket Potato (v)

Wednesday 18th September 2024

Roast Gammon
Veggie Sausage (v)
Jacket Potato (v)

Fairtrade Workshop (Owl Class)
Secret Garden Visit (Fox Class)
3.30pm Fairtrade Tuckshop in School Playground

5.30pm-8.00pm QES Information Evening for
parents/carers of children currently in Year 6
(for more information contact QES directly)
<https://qes.org.uk/year-7/>

Thursday 19th September 2024

Nacho Beef Bake
Quesadilla (v)
Jacket Potato (v)

Secret Garden Visit (Owl Class)

Friday 20th September 2024

***Fun Day Friday : all children invited to join in with a
school lunch***

Chicken Nuggets
Veggie Burger (v)
Jacket Potato (v)
9.30am Baby and Toddler Group in the School Hall
12.45pm Swimming Lessons : Owl Class (3/10)
3.00pm CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY all parents/carers

Safeguarding Information – Keeping Children Safe

Your dog and your new baby

If you've a baby on the way, now's the time to start preparing your dog. Gradually introduce changes in your home and routines, using rewards your dog enjoys, to help them cope well with the new arrival.

Things to start early

- Think about how your walking times or routes might differ and start to introduce changes
- Get your dog used to being by themselves in another room, either with the door closed or with a safety gate
- You could make them their own quiet space away from the main living room.

When you have baby things

- If you've been given or bought any baby things, set them up as soon as you have them so your dog can sniff and get used to them
- If you have a pram, you could practice with your dog walking alongside it
- Try using a doll as a pretend baby. Praise your dog or give treats when they keep their paws on the ground around the doll
- If you have a phone to play baby sounds on, this can help your dog get used to new noises

Baby's arrival

- Ask a family member to walk the dog before you bring the baby home, so they're relaxed
- Say hello to your dog first. Then introduce the baby in a quiet room
- Give your dog lots of treats for good behaviour.

At home with your baby

- Always stay with your baby when your dog is there
- Avoid putting your baby down on the floor or in a Moses basket on the floor
- If you have a crib downstairs, use a safety gate or keep it where your dog won't be able to knock it over.

Still worried?

- If you're worried by the way your dog is with your child, talk to your vet. They'll check your dog's health and can refer you to a qualified animal behaviourist.
- Visit the [Animal Behaviour and Training Council](#) website to find a qualified behaviourist near you.



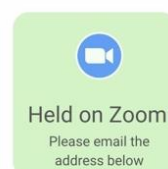
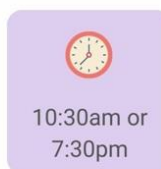
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Parent/Carer Support Group

Supporting Emotional and Mental Health



THIS MONTHS TOPIC: SUPPORTING YOUR CHILD: ANXIETY



In this months Parent Support Group, we will be covering anxiety, specifically understand 'worry' and strategies that can be used to support your child or young person if you have noticed how frequent worrying has impacted them.

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Bentham CP school presents The world bake off

To raise some funds to buy globes and new atlases for our geography lessons can you enter our world bake off?

All you need to do is bake a cake or tray bake inspired from any country around the world. Anything from quintessentially British scones to a Chinese moon cake the choice is yours!

please bring your bake in a suitable container and your name on the bottom of the container so it is not visible for judging. you can label your cake with the name of the cake and it's country of origin.

All bakes should be brought into school on the morning of Friday 4th October.

All cakes will be sold on a cake stall at the end of the school day to raise funds.

The Winner will be announced at the end of the day and will receive a prize!