



A busy term.....



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26th May 2017

Dear Parents,

Health and Safety

As the warmer weather arrives more and more families are remaining in the school grounds at the end of the school day. This is causing significant Health and Safety issues for our bus children, Larks and Nightingales, and Sportscool. Please leave the school grounds as soon as possible and do not allow your children to use the school equipment after school.

Additionally, children **must never** climb the fence to retrieve balls from the stream. Mr Younger retrieves lost balls every afternoon from the stream. Several local schools have had accidents in recent weeks on play equipment straight after school hours, a situation we wish to avoid. Thank you for your support.

Mary's Meals

The box in the foyer is filling up, but donations are still welcome, especially secondhand rucksacks, pens, pencils and sharpeners. Our Mini Vinnies will be helping the volunteers from Mary's Meals to sort and pack rucksacks after half term.

First Holy Communion

Congratulations to the children who made their First Holy Communion at Sacred Heart Ilkley and St Joseph's Otley. They made their families, friends and teachers very proud.

Mrs Hogan
Deputy Headteacher

DIARY DATES

26th May Year 6 Assembly @ 2.45pm
6th June Reception/Year 1 visit to Hesketh Farm
6th June Linking School visit to SH by Brackenhill Primary
9th June Year 3 Assembly @ 2.45pm
14th June New to Reception Parents' Meeting @ 6.30pm
15th June Year 4 Yeadon Tarn Visit
15/16 th June Year 6 Bikeability
19th June Mad Hatter's Tea Party for JDRF Details to follow
20th June Reception trip to Booths
21st June Year 3 Visit to Brackenhill
21st June Year 6 Visit to Ilkley Tennis Club
22nd June Year 5 Visit to Ilkley Tennis Club
23rd June Year 4 Assembly @ 2.45pm
25th June Bronte House Mass @ 10.30 Sacred Heart Ilkley
Complete diary is available on the school website

OFFICE NEWS

Letters/Payments

Please ensure all communications sent in to school are placed in an envelope marked clearly with your child's name, year group and recipient. This is particularly important when cash is being sent in to school for groups such as SportsCool and SHSA.

ParentPay

Please remember to check your ParentPay account on a regular basis for payment of school meals and visits.

Thank you.
Mrs Cheetham and
Mrs Shaw

Hills and Adventure Trail.

Please support the school rules at the end of the day. The children know they are not allowed on the hills or the adventure trail at the end of the day. Many children abide by the rule but then feel its unfair that not everyone does, and they are missing out.



Parish Mass Times at Weekends:

SACRED HEART, ILKLEY:
Sat 6.30pm/ Sun 8.30am and
10.30 am (Children's Liturgy)

**SS JOHN FISHER & THOMAS MORE,
BURLEY IN WHARFEDALE**
Sat 6pm/ Sun 9 and 11am
**OUR LADY & ENGLISH MARTYRS,
ADDINGHAM Sun 10.15am**

Sports News

Over the last few weeks Key Stage 2 has taken part in the Pool Football Tournaments. Again we had some great successes and other teams showed real promise.

Year 3 won the tournament conceding only one goal in 6 games. Well done!

Year 4 3rd in Tournament

Year 5/6 girls Runners Up in Tournament

Year 5 boys Runners Up in the group stage.

Year 6 Boy Runners Up in the group stage.

Music Medley

What a wonderful evening, as our very talented children showcased their range of music skills. The teachers band were a hit with their song based on SPaG.

Thank you to Mr Snelson and Mrs Miller for their continued work with the choir. A very special Thank You to Mrs Lorimer for her work organising, auditioning and supporting the whole event.

O₂ and NSPCC
Let's keep kids safe
online
Online Safety Helpline
0808 8005002

Some issues are easier to talk through. So we've set up a free helpline to help you keep children safe online.

For advice and support on parental controls, privacy settings, social networks and more .
nspcc.org.uk/O2

**Headteacher's
'Open Door'**

**This will be on Wednesdays from
8.45—9.15am each week.**

SCHOOL SAFETY



CAR PARK

**THE SCHOOL CAR PARK IS NOT
AVAILABLE FOR PICKING UP OR
DROPPING OFF CHILDREN BEFORE OR
AFTER SCHOOL (INCLUDING AFTER
SCHOOL CLUBS). IT IS BECOMING IN-
CREASINGLY CONGESTED AND THERE
HAVE BEEN A FEW BUMPS AND
HEALTH AND SAFETY CONCERNS.**

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NIGHTINGALES DROP OFF AND PICK UPS
AS MANY STAFF ARE ARRIVING AND
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Larks and Nightingales

Our on-site before/after school care provider is open in the School Library.

Please contact Mrs Ferguson on 07713692087 for further details.

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**'Sacred Heart School Association'
News**

Auction of Promises

Bidding opens at 9am on 10th June

Family Camping Weekend

7th to 9th July 2017