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Learning Together To Make A Better Future

20th January 2023

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Events coloured in green are either those which are funded by our enrichment pot or events that contribute to the pot as fundraising. Thank you for your support.

Day	Date	Event
Thurs	26.1.23	2pm onwards Parents' Evening
Mon	30.1.23	Pm Y2 Family Learning event
w/c	6.2.23	Y6 assessment week
Tues	7.2.23	2.40pm Greece Demonstration of Learning
Weds	8.2.23	2.40pm Ireland Demonstration of Learning
Thurs	9.2.23	2.40pm Poland Demonstration of Learning
Fri	10.2.23	Last day of term
Tues	21.2.23	Back to school

BUN SALES – 50p

Date	Class to bring buns
27.1.23	Netherlands
3.2.23	Ireland
10.2.23	Spain
24.2.23	UK
3.3.23	Denmark
10.3.23	Italy
17.3.23	Belgium
24.3.23	Ukraine
31.3.23	Finland
21.4.23	Greece
28.4.23	Poland
5.6.23	Switzerland
12.6.23	Austria

TOAST ROTA – 50p

Monday	Reception
Tuesday	Years 1 & 2
Wednesday	Years 3 & 4
Thursday	Years 5 & 6

NEWS LETTER

OUR SCHOOL MENU

Week Commencing Monday 23rd January
 (Subject to change due to stock shortages)

MONDAY

Fish Fingers
 Vegan Sausage Roll
 Cheese Sandwich
 Chicken Wrap
 Potato Wedges and Peas

Rice Pudding
 Fruit
 Yoghurt

TUESDAY

Sausage Pasta
 Vegetarian Seashell Pasta
 Chicken Sandwich
 Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans
 Homemade Bread

Biscuit
 Fruit
 Yoghurt

WEDNESDAY

Chicken Fillet with Roast Potatoes and Carrots
 Quorn Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Carrots
 Ham Wrap
 Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans
 Roast Potatoes, Green Beans and Mixed Vegetables.

Strawberry Smoothie
 Fruit
 Yoghurt

THURSDAY

Sweet and Sour Chicken
 Tomato and Basil Pasta
 Ham Wrap
 Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans
 Rice, Tortilla Wraps and Mixed Vegetables

Chocolate Brownie Cake with Custard
 Fruit
 Yoghurt

FRIDAY

Margherita Pizza
 Chicken Fillet Burger in a Bun
 Chicken Sandwich
 Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans
 Chips and Beans

Lemon Drizzle with Custard
 Fruit
 Yoghurt

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News from this week

Respect

The Key Stage 1 and EYFS children have been finding out about our core values in their assemblies and have so far found out about trust and happiness. This week we looked at respect and they heard a story about Forget-me- not the elephant who showed respect towards Buttercup the warthog.

Our core values are really important to us and include:

Trust
Happiness
Respect
Fairness
Forgiveness
Friendship.

We appreciate the way that many parents instil these core values in their children at home too.

Information for next week

Parents' Evening

Just a reminder that it is parents' evening next Thursday. If you require an appointment and haven't been allocated one yet, please contact your child's classteacher.

Entry to parents' evening is via the main entrance near the office. If you are seeing your child's classteacher prior to 3.10pm, you will be able to collect your child from the hall after your appointment.

Active Withinfields

Mrs Wilson and Mr Griffiths, our PE subject leaders, will not be in school as they are attending a Calderdale PE, Sport and Physical Activity conference. As a trailblazer school for the area, I have been asked to speak at this conference to share our experience of being an Active School. If you have any quotes from a parent's perspective of how you feel we encourage children to be active, please send them to me via email or dojo so that I can include them in my presentation.

Other Information

Inclement Weather

Many thanks for battling the icy pavements and roads this week to get your children to school. We hope that the wintry weather doesn't get any worse but wanted to remind you that if we do have sufficient snow to have to make the decision to close the school before the start of the school day, we would let parents know via school gateway and through class dojo. It is unlikely that we would be answering the school telephone, so please do not try to ring to ask us if we are open.

If there is snow during the school day, it may be that we send a message to parents to say that they can collect their children from school early. We do this sometimes to prevent the congestion of cars at 3.10pm on roads that are already hazardous. We would never close school during the school day until all children had been collected but we may cancel Out of School Club in the event of

heavy snow but would give notice early enough for parents to make arrangements for collection of their children.

If school were closed for the day, remote learning would be provided on Google Classrooms and teaching staff would be available on emails and via ClassDojo for support and advice.

In case you missed it

Active Withinfields

Our first challenge for January is to play in the snow (or if the weather prevents that, to take a walk in the woods). Build a snowman, have a snowball fight, go sledging, make snow angels, or just take a wintry walk. Please send a photo to your child's class teacher on Clasdojo of your child or whole family doing the activity for some bonus clan points! Ms Wilson and Mr Griffiths would also love to see your photos so please send them to them too!

Nursery intakes

The deadline for completing an expression of interest form for the nursery intake in September (children who are 3 on or before 31st August) is 24th April. We will still accept forms after this but they will be allocated places after the people who have handed forms in by 24th April.

Many thanks for those parents that have already filled forms in for Nursery places.