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Newsletter 28th March 2024

What a wonderful half term we have had at WWB. It's been jam-packed!

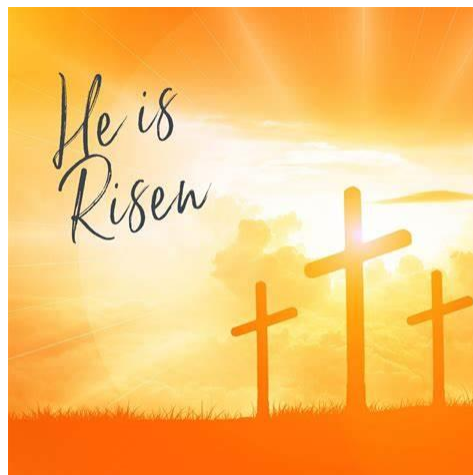
During this Holy Week, we would like to reflect on this special time for us as a Church school. Thank you to the children who participated in the Easter Service today. It was a lovely service which gave us time to pause and think about the true meaning of Easter.

MAY THE BLESSINGS OF THE LORD
GUIDE YOU, PROTECT YOU AND
SURROUND YOU IN ALL THE DAYS OF
YOUR LIFE.

Happy Easter

READ, LOVE AND LEARN

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Year 3 Cross Designs

Year 3 have designed some beautiful crosses to reflect either joy, sadness or both. What lovely designs they have done!



Swimming Gala

Well done to these pupils who took part in the swimming gala at Ribblesdale Pool today. You swam so well and we are very proud of you 🏊



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Forest School

Thank you so much to Mrs Burcher for baking these lovely goodies for the Year 1 children to find in their Forest School session this week. As you can see from their faces, they LOVED it!



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Girls Football

On Monday these girls took part in a tournament at Roefield after school. They did amazingly!

They played 4, drew 2 and didn't concede a goal. Well done everyone!



Footballs

Please do not send your own child's football into school. Children often get upset when their footballs go over the hedges, get popped or lost and they don't always like to share them.

We have bought new footballs for school for the children to use.

Thank you.

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Guitar Concert

Well done to all the children who participated in this term's guitar concert. You have worked so hard and you were all brilliant!



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Please join with us in praying for HRH The Princess of Wales, as well as families in our school community and the wider world, who bravely battle cancer. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.



A PRAYER FOR HRH THE PRINCESS OF WALES

Gracious God,
we pray for the continued recovery
of the Princess of Wales,
for her husband, and for their family.
Grant to them,
and to all who are affected by sickness,
faith, hope, and the knowledge of your love,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.



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RED NOSE DAY

Thank you to everyone who donated to Red Nose Day. We raised £161 for Comic Relief ❤️



ROCK KIDS



After the success of last year, We are delighted to be able to tell you will be welcoming back Rock Kidz to our school on THURSDAY 18th APRIL. We loved their visit last year and will be delivering workshops that 'rock' with a focus on the following:

- *Self-esteem and Wellbeing*
- *Respect and Diversity*
- *Perseverance, Resilience, Dreams and Aspirations*
- *Anti-Bullying and Relationships*

They use rock songs to deliver key messages and teach children. Each class will take part in a workshop and we'll have a whole school rock concert at the end of the day. It's going to be a day full of energy and inspiration. Children are welcome to come to school in 'rock-wear' that day and even bring blow up guitars etc if they wish!

To be able to have this amazing experience, we are asking for a contribution of £3 per pupil. This is available to pay on ParentPay. Please can this be paid by Friday 12th April.

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Dates for Diaries – Summer Term - 2024

Please find below some key dates for your diary for next term. As much as we try to keep to these dates, sometimes the weather puts a stop to this. We will try our best to give you as much notice as possible for any date changes or additional events.

Mon 15 th April	School Re-Opens for Summer Term 5pm – SATS and Towerwood Meeting
Thurs 18 th April	ROCK KIDZ DAY – children can dress up as rock stars if they want to Year 3 parent meetings
Fri 19 th April	9.30am – Inside Out session Year 3
Mon 22 nd April	Year 6 Parents’ Evening Year 1 Parents’ Evening
Tues 23 rd April	Year 2 Parents’ Evening Year 5 Parents’ Evening
Wed 24 rd April	Reception Parents Evening Year 4 Parents Evening
Fri 26 th April	BAGS2SCHOOL collection day 9.30am – Inside Out session Year 3
Sat 27 th April	BIG SUMMER TIDY UP DAY at school
Tues 30 th April	Anglo Saxon Workshop in Year 5
Mon 6 th May	SCHOOL CLOSED – May bank holiday
Mon 13 th May	SATS WEEK
Mon 20 th May	Rainbow morning – children to wear their rainbow colours
Fri 24 th May	School closes for half term
Mon 3 rd June	School re-opens Year 6 Bikeability all week
Thurs 6 th June	PTA disco
Mon 10 th June	3.30pm – Parental Workshop for KS2 – social media and drugs Year 1 Phonics Screening
Tues 11 th June	6pm – Year 6 Confirmation service at St Helens Church

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Thurs 13 th June	5pm – Induction meeting for new Reception starters
Fri 14 th June	Race 4 Life Day
Mon 17 th June	Year 6 at Towerwood
Tues 18 th June	Year 6 at Towerwood
Wed 19 th June	Year 6 at Towerwood
Fri 21 st June	SPORTS DAY
Sunday 23 rd June	Annual Waddington Duck Race
Tues 25 th June	9.30am-11.30am – Year 6 to go to Prayer Spaces at Turet House
Mon 1 st July	Bowland High Transition Day Move Up Afternoon 5pm Transition meeting for Year 6 parents
Tues 2 nd July	Bowland High Transition Day
Fri 12 th July	Year 6 leavers party in the evening (organised by parents).
Sat 13 th July	Summer BBQ in the afternoon
Mon 15 th July	Olympic Week French Day KS2
Tues 16 th July	2pm – Year 6 Leavers’ Play 6pm – Year 6 Leavers’ Play
Thurs 18 th July	6pm – Leavers’ service in church
Fri 19 th July	2.30pm – Year 6 Leavers’ assembly in school
Mon 22 nd July	2pm Mrs Madeley’s Leaving Assembly School closes for summer

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THE BIG SUMMER TIDY UP

On Saturday 27th April we will be opening school up from 11am onwards for anyone who would be willing to help us. **The Pie and Peas have been ordered!**

We are currently putting together a list of 'jobs' but if anyone is able to commit even an hour of their time to help us give our school a big tidy up outside we would really appreciate it 😊

We will need:

Gardening tools

A wood sander

Wood Paint (for benches)

Sweeping brushes

Any donations of plants/flowers

Any donations of anything that will make our school grounds look lovely for the children 😊

If anyone knows any local garden centres, building merchants etc that would like to support us, please can you mention this to Mrs White?

Thank you so much!

BAGS2SCHOOL - Our next Bags2School collection is booked

for:

Friday 26th April

Please can any items be brought to school that morning and placed in the main entrance.

If you are having a wardrobe clear out over Easter, this is a perfect way to 'get rid' of some things and help school at the same time! 😊



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PE Days – Summer Term 2024

Thank you to everyone for sending the children in their PE kits on their PE days. The positive impact has been wonderful! Here is a reminder of the PE days for each class:

PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE FOR EYFS

Reception	MONDAY
Year 1	Tuesday (PE and Forest School)
Year 2	Thursday and Friday
Year 3	Wednesday and Friday
Year 4	Tuesday and Thursday
Year 5	Monday and Wednesday
Year 6	Monday and Thursday

Attendance

Week commencing 25th March 2024

We are aiming for every child/class to have at least 96% attendance

Class	Attendance Percentage
Reception	100%
Year 1	95.4%
Year 2	91.3%
Year 3	99%
Year 4	94.7%
Year 5	97.4%
Year 6	90.8%

Rainbow (House) Team Points

The Rainbow team that has the most points at the end of the half term gets a treat! This half term, it will be a hot chocolate around our fire pit!

Week	Winners
W/C 19 th February	BLUE
W/C 26 th February	RED
W/C 4 th March	INDIGO
W/C 11 th March	VIOLET
W/C 18 th March	ORANGE
W/C 25 th March	RED

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CONTACT US



Please always request to speak to your child's class teacher as first point of contact if you have a query or concern. If it cannot be resolved with the teacher, a member of the Senior Leadership Team will aim to make themselves available to you as soon as possible.

School contact details: 01200 422915 or bursar@wwb.lancs.sch.uk

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