

Weekly Newsletter No. 28 25th April 2024



New menu commences Monday 29th April!

Dear Parent/Carer,

The PTA Glow in the Dark Disco on Friday was a great success! Thank you to all involved. Thank you also to all who donated items as part of the Bag2School collection on Monday. These events help to raise valuable funds for extra curricula equipment and activities for all children.

Well done to Olive and Thomas Akers who, being amongst the best runners from the Wharfedale League, were successful in being entered in the Bradford Primary Schools Cross Country Inter League! They both finished in the top 10 of their races and enjoyed running with lots of other children.

Ilkley Carnival on Monday 6th May is fast approaching! As planned, tomorrow afternoon, all children will be taking part in a **craft afternoon for the Ilkley and Otley Carnival parades**. Those children who have signed up for 1 or both parades will be making parrot masks and shakers, whilst other children will be helping make the larger items for the walking float. Thankyou to the PTA for their organisation, time and enthusiasm! The following Friday, Friday 3rd May, will be a non-uniform day (for a voluntary contribution of 50p per child) to raise funds for the materials used to make the masks and other parade items.

Thank you for returning the School Lunch Order Forms to enable our **new menu** to commence from Monday, the 29th April. A reminder that this menu and your choices will remain in place until October half term.

KS2 SATS for the children in year 6 commence on Monday 13th May for four days. The children are currently working hard and will be well prepared for the tests. See timetable below;

Monday 13th May	Grammar, punctuation & spelling— Papers 1 & 2
Tuesday 14th May	English reading
Wednesday 15th May	Maths paper 1—Arithmetic & Maths Paper 2—Reasoning
Thursday 16th May	Maths paper 2—Reasoning

Last week, parents applying for **Reception places in September** found out their allocated school. We have a few spaces remaining, so if you know anyone who did not get their first choice, or who would like to think again, please ask them to get in touch to arrange a tour of the school and a meeting with myself.

We will soon be planning the **Nursery** for next year. If any existing nursery parents would like to increase or changes sessions for next year, please let Mrs Bentley know. If your child has any younger siblings, please complete a registration form asap if you would like a place for them.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs E Nayler, Headteacher

TERM DATES—

School closed for May bank holiday—Monday 6th May—Ilkley Carnival Parade Day!

School closes for half term—Friday 24th May

School re-opens—Monday 3rd June

School closes for summer—Friday 19th July School re-opens for 2024-2025—Tuesday 3rd September

SCHOOL LUNCH WEEKS: w/c 29th April = week 1 of NEW MENU w/c 6th May = week 2 of NEW MENU

w/c 13th May = week 1 w/c 20th May = week 2

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