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Maypole Dancing - A Message from Ruth Gottig

We started practising our Maypole and Morris dancing in preparation for our two important events in summer last night.

These are Walking Day on Saturday 8th June and Rose Queen Day on Saturday 22nd June.

All practices will be held on Monday afternoons from 3.30pm until 4.15pm, in the school hall at Tarleton C of E School, commencing on Monday 15th April. They will continue each Monday at the same times until the beginning of June.

Both Boys and Girls are welcome to join in from any school year and are invited from the other surrounding village schools and Sunday schools to participate. The children really enjoy the dancing each year and even more so parents, friends and grandparents love to watch the children at the two village events, which are Walking Day, and Rose Queen Day. If your child would like to be in the Maypole dancing group, please would you complete the consent form on the letter which will come out to you separately and return it to Ruth at the first practice.

If you have any queries, please contact Ruth Gottig on 07775 530 824.

100% Attendance Spring 2024

During Celebration Worship this Friday (19th April) we will be giving out the 100% Certificates for the children who did not miss one session of school between (and including) January 4th and Friday 22nd March 2024. The children receiving the Certificates are:

Reception	Alfie, Freddie, Poppy, Elliott and Rex
Year 1	Jagger, Isabella, Jasmine, Tommy, Bella and Henry
Year 2	Cole, Riley, Jack, Lucas, William and Esme W
Year 3	Frank and Arthur
Year 4	Phoebe, Morgan, Izobel, Amelia, Emma, Max, Paige, Jemima, James, Theo and Arthur
Year 5	Esmee, Robyn, Max, Thomas, Jamie, Joshua, Hans, James, Freddie and Lexie
Year 6	Hartlyn, Ophelia, Harvey, Jessica S and Luca

We can also reveal that Mrs Warburton's Class were the best attending class for the Spring Term 2024 - narrowly beating Year 4 and Year 2.

As a reward Mrs Warburton's Class are allowed to come to school on Friday in Non Uniform!!

Please can we not have Certificates / Trophies from home sent in this Friday - as it's going to be a long one!!

Attendance Data for Last Week

Last week 175 pupils (87% of the children) attending school for 100% of the time - they didn't miss one session of school.

7 children (from 3 different families) were late for school at least once (after 9.00am).

The best attending class for the week was a draw between Mrs Warburton's Reception Class and Mrs Seeley's Year 1 Class!! Well done to both!!



This Week's Worship Theme

Easter continued - The Risen Jesus meets Thomas.

Celebration Worship

We had a busy first Celebration Worship of the term last Friday!!

The children who made it to the bench were...

Reception	Henry and Violet
Year 1	Luis and Eva
Year 2	Jack
Year 3	Cady and Darragh
Year 4	Max and Joshua
Year 5	Jack
Year 6	Summer, Ronan and Luca
Headteacher Award	Amelia in Year 4

Lunches

Week 2 of the New Summer menu - Week beginning 22nd April

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Vegetarian Sausage Roll wit Paprika Potato Wedges, Peas and Sweetcorn	British Beef Burger in a Bun with Tortilla Chips and Salad	Roast Pork with Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Vegetables	Chicken Curry wit Mixed Rice and Naan Bread	Harry Ramsdens Crispy Battered Fish Fish Fingers with Chips and Peas
or	or	or	or	or
Tomato and Mascarpone Pasta And Salad	Tomato, Mild Chilli and Sweet Pepper Pasta with Sald	Homemade Pizza Margherita with Vegetables	Cheese, Broccoli and Pasta Bake with Salad	Homemade Pizza Margherita with Chips and Baked Beans

Year 3's Class Worship

Miss Jagger and Year 3 were scheduled to deliver their Year 3 Class Worship to the rest of the school (and Year 3 parents / carers) on 26th April. However, we apologise and are now having to delay this by one week. It is now on Friday 3rd May at 2.50pm in the school hall.

All Year 3 family members are invited to come and watch on the 3rd...just take a seat at the back!!

Choir Church

The Choir Church After School Club starts this Friday (19th April) finishing at the usual time of 4.30pm.

If your child would like to start attending the Choir Church ASC - please let Mr Smith know.

Findings from our Parent Questionnaire Spring 2024

During our Spring Term 'Face to Face' Spring Parents' evenings, I invited as many parents / carers as possible to complete a Parent Questionnaire. This is based on the Questions as by [Parent view](#) - the platform that Ofsted use when they are Inspecting Schools and seeking the views of Parents.

120 questionnaires were completed over the course of the 2 nights, and over the next few weeks I will 'talk you through' the results.

Question 2 asked for your response to the statement: *'My child feels safe at school.'*

Only 1 parent/carer said that they disagreed. Once again, I spoke to that parent on the night and fully understand the reasons for their answer. The other 99% agreed so again...I'm pretty happy!!

TASA Swimming Gala

This Thursday is the local district Swimming Gala. Good Luck to all of our team who will be taking part in a variety of races...we hope they try hard, enjoy themselves, and perhaps bring back a medal or two!!

Dates for the Rest of the Term

Click [here](#) to see the Calendar of Events for the 2023 / 2024 School Year!! Please note that this is what we plan to do...although Year 3 Worship has already changed...and we are wondering whether the ground

and field will dry up enough for Sports Day!?! (This time last year, the children were already playing on the field!!)

Thanks for reading...yours sincerely,



Stephen B. Smith (Headteacher)

Did you know...

The fish on next week's menu (see above) is labelled as 'Harry Ramsdens'.

Three Did you knows for the price of one...

1. The original Harry Ramsden's Fish and Chip shop/restaurant was located just outside Guiseley in West Yorkshire (3 miles from where I lived as a child)...and the name had an apostrophe in it...Harry Ramsden's. It opened in 1928 (as a wooden hut) and the larger shop / restaurant eventually closed on 19th December 2011.
2. The shop held many world records during its time including the largest fish and chip shop in the world and the most portions of fish and chips served in one day (over 10,000) in 1952!!
3. Harry Ramsden's nephew, Harry Corbett, who played the piano at the restaurant in its day, later became the famous creator of Sooty and Sweep.