

ST BARTHOLOMEW'S NEWS

21st March 2018

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Reminders:

Lineham Farm

The Lineham Farm meeting is now on Monday 26th March for children who received a letter. It will start at 3.30pm. Parents and children are encouraged to attend.

Polite Notice

Due to staffing and safeguarding issues children must be booked into After School Club BEFORE 1 O'clock. If you are unable to do this please make alternative arrangements for your child/children to be collected at 3.20pm, Thank you.

Late Picking up

We have an increasing number of children not being picked up on time at 3.20pm when school finishes. Children stay outside the front office until 3.30pm and then are taken into After School Club to sit and wait. There will be a charge of £5 for this service. If you think you might be late picking your child/children up please book them into After School Club for £3 before 1 O'clock.

'e' Safety

Can the school remind all parents that they should ensure that their children are using their electronic devices appropriately and are not allowing them to go onto unsuitable websites etc. The school uses a filter system which does not allow pupils to access unsuitable websites. If you do not have a parental control filter system the school recommends that you do and if you need help setting this up the NSPCC can help you. NSPCC 0808 8005002 or www.nspcc.org.uk website.

Before and After School

Please ensure that your children DO NOT play on the apparatus. School will not take responsibility for any accidents occurring before and after school. Thank you.

After School Club and Holiday Scheme

Children must be toilet trained to access after school club and holiday scheme.

Dinner, ASC & Wraparound Money

All dinner, breakfast, after school club & wraparound money must be paid on a Monday morning in advance or children will not be allowed to stay. Please contact Mrs Busby on either Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday if you have any issues with dinner, ASC or wraparound monies.

School dinners are free for children in classes 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9 & 10. Nursery children pay for dinners unless you have been awarded free meals by Leeds City Council.

Dinners for Nursery & Classes 11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18,19,20 & 21 are £1.60 per Day or £8.00 a week.

PE

All children must have a change of clothes for PE eg jogging trousers, jumper and suitable footwear pumps, trainers for both indoor and outdoor PE, this includes children in Nursery.

Science

Professor Brainstorm

Ahead of our Science week this week, Professor Brainstorm returned to St Bart's last week to amaze Reception, Year 1, Year 3 & 4 with an extraordinary and explosive Science demonstration! Following his amazing visit to Years 5 & 6 last half term the mad professor ran workshops on Magical Science. Exploding Science and Light and sound. See the school website for more details and photos.

St Bart's Science Week

This week is St Bart's Science week! As well as a range of experiments and activities in class we will be taking part in a Space Virtual Reality session 'Life Long Ago' fossil hunting workshops and keeping an eye out for terrifying prehistoric visitor to the school.

Attendance

Class 4 93.8%	Class 9 97.8%	Class 14 98.4%	Class 19 97.9%
Class 5 93.8%	Class 10 95.6%	Class 15 93.1%	Class 20 92.9%
Class 6 99%	Class 11 94.2%	Class 16 96%	Class 21 97.8%
Class 7 97.7%	Class 12 95.9%	Class 17 95.9%	
Class 8 98.5%	Class 13 93.1%	Class 18 98.9%	

Class 6 won last week with 99% attendance well done.

Nursery

Miss Maria Harvey Nursery Leader

We are reading the book 'Superworm' this week and seeing how many worms we can find in our garden when we are planting blubs. Our mini beast topic has been a great success with the children all enjoying the books we have used and have all learnt some useful facts about minibests.



Reception

Mrs Brown-Phase Leader

In Reception this week we have been reading 'Sharing a Shell'. We have been writing about events in the story. In Maths we have been counting to 100 and back. We have had fun in Science, investigating what happens to a gingerbread man when he is dipped in hot and cold water.

Stars of the week:

Class 1 Brooke Johnson

Class 2 Armaan Mohammed

Class 3 Shannel Kurui



Year 1

Miss Rebecca Machin-Phase Leader

This week we have had an exciting week in Year 1 celebrating Science week. We started with a virtual reality tour of space in which we learnt about the solar system. We also did a biscuit bonanza investigation. The children really enjoyed finding out which biscuit is best for dunking.

Stars of the week:

Class 4 Sayaan Khan

Class 5 Casey Janova

Class 6 Daniela Nkansah



Year 2

Mrs Jane Wainwright Deputy Headteacher and Year 2 Leader

This week is Science week and in Year 2 we are testing different materials to see which is the best for making a model glider. We have also been looking after the guinea pigs. Please check website to see some pictures. Please can you remember children need their PE kits in school everyday.

This weeks handwriting stars:

Class 7 Khadija Asghar

Class 8 Mia Wells

Class 9 Liyanah Mohammad

Class 10 Levi Smedley

Trying hard to improve:

Class 7 Katie Duckworth

Class 8 Josiah Paul

Class 9 Matt Rinkevicius

Class 10 Conor Kelly



Year 3

Mrs McCaffery Assistant Headteacher and Year 3 Leader

This week has been very exciting for children in Year 3. As part of Science week the children loved the virtual reality workshop, where they were transported to space and could explore different planets. Every afternoon children have conducted science investigation such as testing which biscuits are best for dunking. Children have also examined how fossils are made and have looked at the life cycle of a plant.

Stars of the week:

Class 11 Samuel Ekeledo

Class 12 Lily Maloney

Class 13 Sahil Khadam



Year 4

Mr Waters Assistant Headteacher & Year 4 Leader

This week, Year 4 have been taking part in lots of Science experiments to celebrate Science week in school. We investigated how the temperature of a liquid can affect a biscuit that we dunked! We were also amazed at how water travelled into a container without spilling- see the website to find out more! Next Tuesday, Year 4 are going to Swallow Hill for sports afternoon. They will return for home time. Please send your child wearing PE kit and trainers.

Stars of the week:

Class 14 Mikolaj Kluj

Class 15 Daniella Neto

Class 16 James Edwards



Year 5

Miss Schlesinger Phase Leader

In Year 5 this week we are doing lots of fun activities for Science week. We are investigating the 'dunk ability' of different types of biscuits and we will be learning all about Stephen Hawking. We will also be learning about the damage that plastic is doing to our environment.

Please note that the Lineham Farm meeting has changed and will now be on Monday 26th March at 3.30pm.

Stars of the week:

Class 17 Brianna Mhlanga

Class 18 Faith Day

Class 19 Edgars Fadejevs



Year 6

Mr Needham Assistant Headteacher & Year 6 Leader

Student of the week:

Class 20 Codi-Lee O'Reilly

Class 21 Dalia Motasher

Additional Tuition

The last Additional Tuition of the Spring Term will be Monday 26th March. There will not be Additional Tuition on Wednesday 28th March.

Lessons:

In English, children have recapped over modal verbs, conjunctions, phrases and clauses. Children also enjoyed redrafting their balanced arguments. In Maths, children recapped over formula, area, perimeter and missing number problems.

High School Allocations

A reminder that you should have received an email confirming your child's high school allocation for September. On the 1st of August 2017, you should have received information on applying for high school online. This online application should have been completed by the 31st October 2017. if you are unsure of your child's high school allocation, you should ring 0113 2224414 or email education.annual.cycle@leeds.gov.uk

Dates to Remember:

Wednesday 28th March 2018

Thursday 29th March 2018

Tuesday 3rd April—Friday 6th April 2018

Monday 9th April—Friday 13th April 2018

Monday 16th April 2018

Thursday 3rd May 2018

Tuesday 8th May 2018

Thursday 24th May 2018

Friday 25th May 2018

Monday 4th June 2018

Easter Service at St Bart's Church 2.15 pm

School Closes for half term at 3.20 pm

Holiday Scheme

Booster Classes for Year 6 and Holiday Scheme

School re-opens at 8.30 am

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Training Day - No children in school

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