

Kildwick Chronicle

Autumn Term 2024 Friday 8th November

Learning to Live

Living to Love

Loving to Learn

The children have settled back into school after their much needed half term break. Our core value theme this half term is Respect. In school we have been talking about how we can show respect for others at home and in school. We also thought about getting better at showing respect for our belongings and school environment. We have a busy half term coming up with more parent and carer sessions in school - an opportunity for you to spend time with your child in school and get an insight into their school life. Today the year three parents had the opportunity to join in with Dave Rockett who is a STEM ambassador and regular visitor to school. We hope you enjoyed it!

The EYFS and Key Stage One Nativity has already been selected and no doubt the children will be coming home singing those catchy tunes before you know it! We look forward to creating lots of happy memories for the children at this special time. If you are able to offer any support with any of the activities (including PTA activities) please do contact the school office.

Keep an eye on the dates section of the newsletter as there will no doubt be more added in the coming days and weeks as we continue to work hard to offer the children lots of enrichment opportunities.

Next week is our Children in Need sponsored dance - a reminder all children can come in PE kits on Friday. Children singing at the Skipton Music Festival will have the opportunity to do their sponsored dance on Thursday. Have a great weekend and we will see you on Monday.

Key Stage Two Write For You.

Best Buddies between Year 6 and Reception

A long held tradition has continued this year at Kildwick School. It is a match between us, in Year 6 and the new Receptions. The pairing is something we look forward to most of our school lives! We spend time playing with their buddies everyday at lunchtimes and especially on a Friday for the well loved 'Buddy Lunch'! It is the highlight of our week! We get to show our buddies how to eat sensibly and healthily with good manners. Then we have playtime and again we can show them how to share and care for others. Some buddies love football, other like running down hills and all like hide & seek.







By Year 6.



Come and Help in School!

We are still on the lookout for volunteers to come into school and support with learning. If any of you are able to spare any time we would love to

hear from you. This could involve supporting in a PE / Art / Science lesson, helping out with the walking bus, supporting on a school trip, extra curricular activity or listening to readers.

We would also be very grateful of any help in maintaining and developing our school environment.

Please email the school office if you would like to be added to our volunteers list.



Children in Need Menu

On Thursday 14th November for Children in Need we are running a different menu. This is an exciting opportunity for your child to have a special school dinner! If your child would like to have a school dinner on this day, please pay via ParentPay.



Children in Need Challenge yourself to be spotacular.



Next week children will be learning a dance throughout the week. On Children in Need day children will perform the dance as many times as they can. They can collect sponsorship from friends and family for each dance they perform. Any donations can be made here. All children can come in PE Kits on Friday 15th November. Those children attending Skipton Music Festival will have chance to dance on Thursday.

We will take the time to encourage the children to reflect on why Children in Need is so important to so many children and families. It is important that the children understand this as well as enjoying the fun of the day.

If you are having a pre Christmas clear out please keep EYFS in mind!

We are always on the lookout for dolls, dolls clothing and accessories; costume jewellery; old rolls of unused wallpaper; metal kitchen accessories; wooden toys; large building blocks; real and fake plants (indoors and outdoors); buttons and beads; toy animals; sand timers; baskets and boxes; old camping equipment; photo frames (without glass); logs; old picnic equipment.



SEND @ Kildwick

Our school SENCo is Miss Akrigg. You can find information regarding SEND at Kildwick on the website here.

It is important that everyone in our school community understands about SEND. Even if your child does not have Special Educational Needs they will be in class with children who do. We are an inclusive school and it is important that all members of our school community understand and value **all children in our school**.



AWARE is a parent-run group supporting families with children and young adults on the autistic spectrum (formal diagnosis not required).

The group covers the Airedale, Wharfedale, Bradford and Craven areas and beyond. Members include families and supporters in general, as well as health, education and social care professionals.

Early diagnosis of autism can greatly improve the chances of a person receiving appropriate help.

AWARE can support families through the maze of local services which cross health, social care and education boundaries. They can advise on accessing appropriate support from statutory, voluntary and private services, which can make a huge difference to a person with autism, helping them to maximise their skills and achieve their full potential as an adult.

Have a look at their website here.

No Dogs



A quick reminder that dogs are not allowed onto the school grounds. We have children in school with severe allergies to dogs. Thank you.

Safeguarding

We understand that there will be events happening over the Christmas period which you may like to photograph or video. A polite reminder that any images of other children (including in the background) should not be added to social media.

Many thanks for your support in keeping our children safe.



Our 'Use of Children's Images Policy' can be found here.

Baby News!

A huge congratulations to Mrs Turner and her family who have shared the exciting news that they are expecting baby number three in 2025!

Mrs Turner will leave to go on her maternity leave towards the end of the Spring term.

Congratulations to the Turners we are all very excited for you!



Freestyle Football Workshop

On Friday 22nd November we have arranged for Jamie Knight to visit school for a day of freestyle football. Jamie offers a whole school inspirational session and then workshops for each year group. This has been added to Parent Pay please make the voluntary contribution where possible to allow us to continue offering these exciting opportunities to the children.





We would like to invite parents and carers into school for an introduction to Emotion Coaching on Friday 15th November starting at 9:15am.

Emotion Coaching is a successful, evidence-based strategy.

Children are better able to:

- control their impulses
 - · delay gratification
- •self soothe when upset
 - pay attention

Emotion Coached Children:

✓ Achieve more academically in school ✓ Are more popular ✓ Have fewer behavioural problems
 ✓ Have fewer infectious illnesses ✓ Are more emotionally stable ✓ Are more resilient

(Gottman et al., 1996)

Before and After School Club

We would like to increase the number of children accessing club. Please email Mrs Pink if you have any suggestions that would encourage you to access club for your children. Before and after school club is based in school (in the Hall and Robins classroom). Mrs Pink is the manager of club working with Mrs Crewe, Mrs Howarth and Miss Howarth.

A reminder that club staff can support children with homework and listen to them read. We appreciate that those children who attend club may be too tired to complete homework or read when they get home and we are happy to help! Just let Mrs Pink know if we can help with this.

Any questions or comments can be sent to club@kildwickce.uk

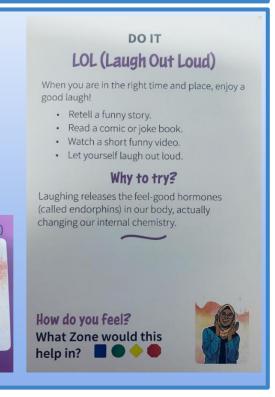
Zones of Regulation Top Tips for Home!

Each week we share a 'tool' from the Zones of Regulation 'toolkit' in this section of the newsletter.

These are strategies for children (and adults!) to use to help recognise and manage emotions. See the first newsletter of this year for further information on the zones. You could try this at home—have a look at this week's tool. If you would like any further information you can contact

Mrs Swales.

k.swales@kildwickce.uk



Keighley and Craven Cross Country Series 2024-25

Kildwick will be taking part in the Keighley and Craven Schools Cross Country events this year. The events are taking place on the following dates and at the following locations.

Thurs 14th November — Highfield Recreation Ground 3.15pm

Weds 5th February—Cliffe Castle 3.15pm Tues 11th March Marley Playing Fields 3.15pm

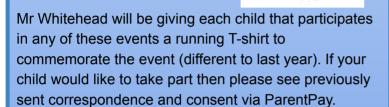
There will be 4 separate races:

Yr 5/6 Girls

Yr 5/6 Bovs

Yr 3/4 Girls

Yr 3/4 Boys



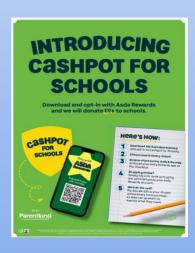
Asda Cashpot

Please sign up and help to raise money for school.

22 days left to go!

We will get £1 even if you just sign up!

Current total £132.75





PTA Christmas Fair

We really need lots of help with this as it is one of the main fundraising events of the year. Please complete the Google Form to let us know how you are able to help! As well as fundraising for the school we hope to create a lovely festive event for the children (and adults!) It would be great to see parents of new children involved too.

Thank you for your support.



PTA Film and Santa

We will be inviting children to stop at school for a Christmas film and visit to see Santa on **Thursday 5th**

December (please note change of original date) after school (3:30pm - 5pm). Children can bring Christmas pyjamas to change into and will be given a present from Santa. Please put the date in your diary. Further details to follow.

Just a quick reminder

Flu vaccinations

The flu vaccination clinic will be in school next **Tuesday 12th November.**

For your child to receive their Nasal Flu vaccination in school, please complete a YES consent form using the link below. If you DO NOT wish for your child to have a flu vaccination, please complete a NO consent form via the same link.

If your child cannot have the nasal spray, the injectable flu vaccine is available and you will be able to choose that method on the consent form.

Link here.

Lost Property

We still have a lot of unnamed lost property in school. Year 6 will be putting this out on the playground at the end of the school day - where possible. Please check through this.

Any uniform left at the end of this term will be donated to other children and/or disposed of.



Governor Meetings and Updates

Governors will be meeting on the following

19/11/24 - Finance Committee 04/12/24 - Full Governing Body

05/02/25 - Curriculum Committee 11/03/25 - Finance Committee 27/03/25 - Full Governing Body

30/04/25 - Curriculum Committee

13/05/25 - Finance Committee

19/06/25 - Full Governing Body

09/07/25 - Full Governing Body

The most recent Governing Board update can be found here.



Meet the Team

There are a lot of adults working with and supporting your children in school. Some of them you will have less contact with than others. We will use this section of the Newsletter to help parents and carers get to know everyone. This should be particularly useful for parents who are new to the school! Meet....

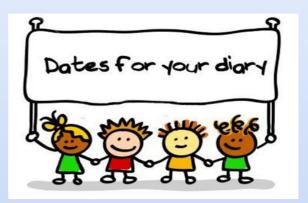
Mrs Coupe - Midday Supervisor

With love for reading, fascination with history, and a passion for learning Japanese, I am always eager to expand my horizons. Baking and Latin dance add creativity and joy to my life, while my work at school brings a sense of purpose.

Each day, I supervise students during lunch hours, ensuring they are safe both indoors and on the playground. Occasionally, I assist lead teachers in the classroom, where I particularly enjoy reading and doing activities with pupils. Supporting young learners in these ways makes a meaningful difference- a role I am grateful to play.



Autumn Diary Dates



More dates will be added—please check back every week!

Monday 11th November—Robins and Swallows to Buddha Land (Keighley)

Tuesday 12th November - Flu Vaccinations in school

Thursday 14th November - Year 1 & 2 Parent Session (2pm)

Friday 15th November - Children in Need - Sponsored Dance (all children can come in PE kits)

Friday 15th November - Skipton Festival Songshop (selected KS2, uniform to be worn)

Monday 18th November—Key Stage 2 to Buddha Land (Keighley)

Thursday 21st November—Year 5 Parent Session (2pm)

Thursday 5th December - Robins and Swallows to Sandylands- wear PE kit

Thursday 5th December - Santa and Film Night 3:30pm - 5pm

Friday 6th December —Non Uniform for Christmas Fair

Friday 13th December—Christmas Fair (after school)

Monday 16th December— Robins and Swallows Nativity in Church (2pm and 5pm)

Tuesday 17th December— Key Stage Two Carol Concert in Church (5:30pm)

Thursday 19th December—Christingle Service in Church (2pm)

Friday 20th December — break up for Christmas





This week certificates have been awarded to:

Robins	Learning to Live — Lara
	Living to Love — Rowan
	Loving to Learn — Archie
Swallows	Learning to Live - Leo
	Living to Love — Florence
	Loving to Learn — Evie
Kingfishers	Learning to Live — Miles
	Living to Love — Harry
	Loving to Learn — Connie
Owls	Learning to Live — Max
	Living to Love — Harris
	Loving to Learn — Oliver
Eagles	Learning to Live — Susanna
	Living to Love — Ralph
	Loving to Learn — George

Parking Reminder



We are very grateful to the Church and to the White Lion Pub who allow us to use their car parks at drop off and collection times.

As we are building up to some evening events a polite reminder that The White Lion ask that parents and carers do not use the car park for evening events as this can prevent their customers from parking.

A reminder that we allow the children into school 20 minutes early (at 8.40am). This now leaves a 20 minute window for drop offs—please return to your car promptly once you have dropped your child off so that others can park. The same applies at home time and we would ask that once children have been collected you return to your car quickly. A reminder that Robins and Swallows can be collected from 3:20pm onwards.



Extra Curricular Clubs next week

Monday	EYFS/KS1 & Y3 Dance with Firehouse KS2 Running with Mr Whitehead (finishes at 4.20pm)
Tuesday	KS2 Christmas Music and Singing with Mr Schofield
Wednesday	EYFS/KS1 Construction Club with Miss Taylor KS2 Taekwondo (finishes at 4.15pm)
Thursday	EYFS/KS1 Cookery Club with Donna and Miss Howarth
Friday	Y2 & KS2 Gymnastics with Ambitions (finishes at 4.20pm)

Community Events & Groups

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23rd - 25th May

2nd June

6th June

8th June

30th June

1st Aug

4th Aug

13th Oct

10th Nov

24th Nov

24th Nov

1st & 8th Dec

TRC

23rd Jul-29th Aug

17th & 18th Aug

28th & 29th Sept

16th & 17th Nov

Events in 2024*

There's no shortage of events taking place in Skipton throughout the year.

Community Fun Day
Sandylands
Skpton Beer Festival
Skipton Town Hall
Skipton Car Show
High Street
80th Anniversary of D-Day
Various locations
Skipton Gala

Skipton Gala
High Street
Skipton Sheep Day
Various locations
Family Park Days
Various locations

Yorkshire Day Celebrations
High Street
Yorkshire Regional Final for Young Traders
High Street
Art in the Pen

Auction Mart
Yarndale
Auction Mart
Vintage Bus Sunday
Coach Street Car Park
Remembrance Sunday

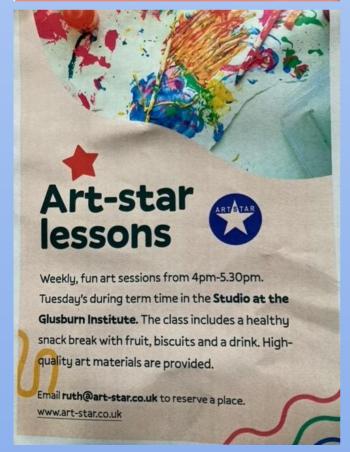
Remembrance Sunday
High Street
Crafts in the Pen
Auction Mart
Halloween Family Fun event

Santa Fun Run

Skipton Christmas Light Switch On High Street Christmas Town Trail

Christmas Town Trail
Skipton Christmas Markets
High Street

For event information visit welcometoskipton.com







Community Events & Groups











Join the fun & support the longest running Group Gang Show

in the country as we present our

81st Gang Show

Fri 22nd & Sat 23rd Nov 2024

In the Glusburn Institute Adults £9.00 Children £6.50

Doors open 6.45pm Commence 7.15pm Please book tickets via

www.kandfgangshow.org.uk











EXPLORERS



Family Support



Book your FREE place now!

DATE: Wednesday 2nd October 2024 TIME: 17:30-18:45 VENUE: Sutton in Craven CP School

To register, please scan the QR Code or follow this link: <u>Parent Awareness registration link</u>



FREE Parenting Clinics



www.anisalewis.com
To book visit: https://anisalewis.as.me/theclinic
or email: hello@anisalewis.com

September 19th, 12.30 pm Confidence

October 10th, 12.30 pm

Anxiety

November 7th, 12.30 pm Behaviour

December 5th, 12.30 pm

Emotions

Community Sporting Activities & Clubs

