



Kildwick Chronicle

Spring Term 2023 Friday 3rd February

Learning to Live

Living to Love

Loving to Learn

KS2 Cross Country—Thursday 9th February

The next Keighley and Craven Schools' Cross Country event will be taking place next Thursday 9th February at Cliffe Castle. The races begin at 3.15 so I am therefore asking parents to collect at 2.30pm from school to give them enough time to get there in time for the start of the event. We have had a fantastic turn out so far so let's keep this up for the final two events. If there are any children in KS2 that would like to run that haven't before then you would be most welcome. Please see previous correspondence or contact the school office—office@kildwickce.uk



Reading Café & E-safety talk

We will be holding another reading café event on Friday 10th February. Because the event was so popular last time, there will be two sessions, one between 9.30 – 10.30am and one between 2.30 - 3.30pm. Robins and Swallows class are invited to attend the morning session along with their siblings from KS2. KS2 pupils who do not attend with their siblings in the morning are invited to attend the afternoon session. This is a great opportunity to share a story with your child/ren whilst enjoying a hot drink and biscuit. It is also a great way to get an insight into the type of questions children are asked in school when taking part in reading activities so that these can be applied at home.

There will also be a short e-safety presentation included.



Parent Forum

We are looking to re-establish the Parent Forum after half term. The Parent Forum is an open forum for all parents who wish to discuss school related issues. This is not a forum where individual specific situations will be discussed and these should be taken to the relevant staff in school. The aim is to meet once every half term and to alternate morning meetings with afternoon meetings so that all parents have the opportunity to attend.

Regular, open communication and consultation with parents is really important to the school moving forward. The parent forum provides a valuable way for school to listen to your ideas and concerns and to seek your views, helping us to make sure the needs of our children and families are met.

Please could you complete the following Google Form so that we can work towards putting together a program including some of your suggestions. Mrs Law, one of our parent governors, will be jointly leading this program in school.

<https://forms.gle/KQVKP1DumsmrkTRq9>



Library Visits

To coincide with World Book Day in March, each class will be visiting the library in Cross Hills later in February. You will have received a letter via email to enable your child to sign up to the library. Please could these be returned to school as soon as possible. This will give the library enough time to register your child so that they will be able to borrow a book on the day. Please keep an eye out on future newsletters to see how we will be celebrating World Book Day in March.



WORLD
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DAY**

2 MARCH 2023

World Book Day 2023

World Book Day is on **Thursday 2nd March**. We will be having a day all about celebrating reading and promoting a love of books. There is going to be a wide range of activities to complete in the run up to World Book Day, on the day and afterwards.

Activities to complete Before World Book Day

- Create a book in a jar. Bring this in to school on World Book Day. There will be prizes awarded.
- Take a photo of yourself reading in an extreme place. Post the photo on Google Classroom to be in with the chance of winning a prize.
- See if there are any books you want to swap. Bring good quality donations to school on Monday 27th February.



Activities that children will complete in school on the day:

- Drop everything and read. Mr Whitehead will ring a bell to let children and adults know it's time to read.
- Staff will read stories throughout the day to different classes.
- Write a whole school story and listen to it in Collective Worship at the end of the day.
- Book and reading themed activities in class.
- Take part in the book swap. There will be an EYFS/KS1 stall, a KS2 stall and a grown-up stall after school.

Activities to do after World Book Day:

- Post a photo of you reading the book you got from the book swap. Mr Whitehead will have chosen several titles before the book swap to win a prize if he sees children reading them



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Monday 6th February—e safety week begins

Monday 6th February—Children's Mental Health Week

Thursday 9th February—Cross Country event at Cliffe Castle

Friday 10th February—Reading café /e-safety presentation

Friday 10th February—Half Term

Monday 27th February—Fairtrade fortnight begins

Wednesday 1st March—Cross Country event at Marley Playing Fields

Thursday 2nd March—World Book Day

Monday 6th March—Parent Consultations

Tuesday 7th March—Parent Consultations

Monday 13th March—British Science Week begins

Friday 24th March—Easter Lunch for Robins/Swallows' parents followed by Easter Activities

Thursday 30th March—KS2 Easter Production –2pm and 6pm in Church

Friday 31st March—End of spring term



Core Value Awards



Robins	<i>Learning to Live — William / Gracie</i> <i>Living to Love — Dougie / Wilf</i> <i>Loving to Learn — Iona G / Leo</i>
Swallows	<i>Learning to Live — Phoebe</i> <i>Living to Love — Aubrey</i> <i>Loving to Learn — Dexter J</i>
Kingfishers	<i>Learning to Live — Olivia</i> <i>Living to Love — Max</i> <i>Loving to Learn — Annie</i>
Owls	<i>Learning to Live — Louie</i> <i>Living to Love — George W</i> <i>Loving to Learn — Blossom</i>
Eagles	<i>Learning to Live — Isabella</i> <i>Living to Love — Emma</i> <i>Loving to Learn — Max</i>

School clubs next week



Monday

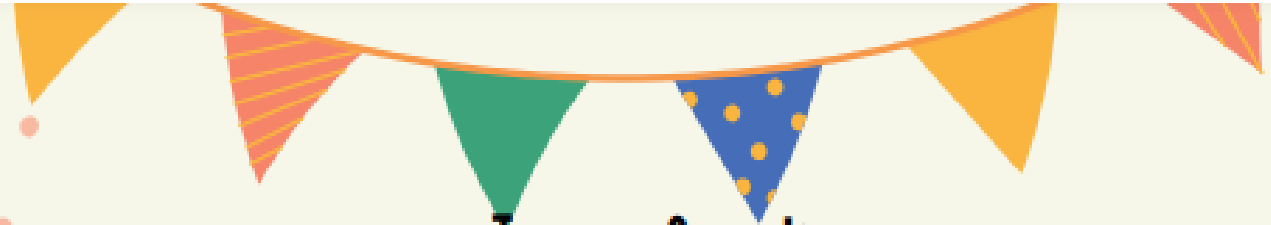
Tuesday

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Thursday

Cookery KS2

Our end of half term newsletter will be
Friday 10th February



Join us for play,
singing, story and
snack at

CHUFFS BABY AND TODDLER GROUP

Tuesday mornings during term
time

9.30-11.30



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