

Kildwick Chronicle Summer Term 2025 Friday 16th May

Learning to Live

Living to Love

Loving to Learn

SATs week always makes things a bit different in school. We have been immensely proud of the resilience displayed by our Year Six children throughout this period. They approached the challenges with a remarkably positive attitude, embracing the situation with their wonderful sense of humour, big smiles and lots of kindness towards each other. This truly speaks volumes about the bright futures that lie ahead for them, reinforcing what we already know—that they are a fabulous bunch of young people.

Well done, Year Six—you smashed it! We hope you thoroughly enjoyed the pizza that Mrs Coupe kindly bought for you, alongside the treats and your trip to Glusburn Park. A well-deserved conclusion to a demanding week!

This week we have also taken time to focus on whole school mental health during Mental Health Week, celebrating the importance of the outdoors. It's been lovely to partake in a whole school activity together today, appreciating nature and encouraging our children to spend more time outside.

It would be great if you could keep up the momentum and encourage the children to be outdoors as much as possible while this lovely weather lasts. On that note, have an amazing weekend, and we look forward to seeing everyone on Monday for the last week of this half term!

Key Stage 2 Write For You!

On Wednesday we went on a trip to Cliffe castle. It was amazing! We had a musical workshop where we learnt more about music, different instruments and how we can create music. We went on a coach to Cliffe castle, the journey was super fun and we got to sit with our friends. We went around and explored the museum and we saw lots of cool artefacts, animals, paintings and we also saw lots of bees upstairs. It was really fun! We also got to see the musical rocks which were made out of volcanic rocks. They had lots of cool rooms filled with many interesting things. Our favourite part was looking at the magical rocks, they were very interesting and looked amazing.

Written by Zak, Aubrey, Henry, Faye, Amelia, Isla G and Freyja.





Curry Night & Summer Celebration – Friday 4th July after school.





We're excited to announce that this year's annual Curry Night will be a little different — we're combining it with our Summer Celebration and Fair for one big, fun-filled evening on Friday 4th July!

We hope that bringing these two events together into one will encourage even more families to come along and enjoy the festivities. Tickets for curry will be on sale closer to the time so we can manage numbers for catering. The ticket price will include a delicious curry and access to a selection of activities.

In addition to the curry and included activities, there will be lots of extra games and entertainment for both children and adults. We're aiming to create a real celebration of our school year and the amazing children who make our community so special — all taking place on the Rec with food being served on the playground and/or school hall.

We've got plenty of ideas in the works, but we'd love your input too! If you have suggestions for how to make the event even more special for the children, or if you're able to help with planning, organising, or setting up, we'd be incredibly grateful. Staff are once again generously giving up their own time to help make this event happen and raise vital funds for our PTA — but many hands make light work, and any time you can offer would be a huge help. A Google Form will be sent out soon — please do take a moment to complete and return it if you're able to support.

Finally, a huge thank you to the Shan family for their unwavering support.
They will once again be providing all of the food for our curry night at no cost to the school, which means every penny of profit can go directly towards enriching the experience of our children. Their generosity is deeply appreciated.
We look forward to celebrating with you all on 4th July — let's make it a night to remember!

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FORGET A reminder that school is closed to children on this date.

Staff will be in school working on strategic planning for next year on this date.

Kildwick and Farnhill Institute Calendar Competition.

Year 6 children will all be submitting entries for the 2026 calendar as a final project before they leave us in the Summer. It would be great if families could spend time around the village capturing and submitting some photographs of our wonderful local area.

Guidelines

*Only scenes of the villages of Kildwick and Farnhill will be accepted

*Avoid "Photoshopping" or enhancing images

*Images should show publicly accessible areas only (No private gardens, please.)

*Please try to choose new locations and angles, particularly if you are submitting images of the main buildings in the village (e.g. the White Lion, the church, the pinnacle, and canal bridges)

*If featuring trees, please try to capture their full height *Avoid excessive shadows or blank foregrounds

*Avoid unsightly phone/electric wires which might spoil the skyline

*It would help us if you can let us know when the photograph was taken (which month) and to suggest a title

*Please note: The calendar is printed "landscape", so please frame your views to allow for this. Photos that do not meet this format will be cropped if possible and if selected.

Please send an email to <u>KandFCalendars@gmail.com</u> with your entries attached, in high resolution. Maximum three images per entrant. The closing date for submissions is 30th June 2025. Entries will be judged anonymously by the Institute committee and selected by a show of hands.



Eco Warriors -Top Tips For Home!

Each week our Eco Warriors are going to share a top tip for home. This is your chance to help them in their work to make positive changes for the future.

You can get a lid or shallow tub and put water and stones in the lid so bees can drink the water from the lid without drowning. Jasmine in Y6.



Sepsis Information

Sepsis can affect anyone — but the signs in children can be different to those in adults.

Here are the signs of sepsis in children: call 999 or visit A&E if a child has one of the sepsis symptoms and Just Ask: Could it be Sepsis?

For those under five, sepsis warning signs can include:

- Not feeding
- Womiting repeatedly
 Not passing urine for 12 hours

Knowing the signs could save a life. If you are ever concerned, seek urgent medical advice. Learn more about the symptoms of sepsis in children and adults here.





The next parent forum will be held on **Friday 23rd May at 9.10am.**

We will be asking for your support to review and update the home / school agreement which is sent our each year. With the help of the vision leaders we will also be consulting with the children for their part in the home / school agreement.

This is another opportunity to get together and think about how we can all work best together for the children and ensure that we are giving them the very best start in life.

SUNDAY SPORTS **Powered by Skipton Tennis Centre**

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Refill Shop

The next refill shop will be on Thursday 22nd May at 3.30pm. If you would like to place an order with Refill Roots then follow the link <u>here</u> and add the words refill shop Kildwick in the notes section. Charlie will bring pre orders on the day.



Uniform

School is overrun with uniform. We have so many unnamed items which are not being claimed. All uniform we have will be put out on the playground at the end of the school day next week. Any poor quality uniform unclaimed will be disposed of and the rest will be added to the preloved uniform.

Please label uniform clearly.

Also please check what your child brings home - it is frustrating for parents who take the time to label uniform when it still gets lost.



Zones of Regulation Top Tips for Home!

These are strategies for adults and children to use to help recognise and manage emotions. 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. <u>k.swales@kildwickce.uk</u>

FEEL IT

Infinity Breathing

Trace the infinity sign with your finger starting at the star while slowly taking a deep breath in. As you cross over to the other side of the infinity sign, slowly let your breath out. Continue breathing around the infinity sign until you feel a calmer mind and body.

Why to try?

Deep breathing brings in oxygen to our brain and body allowing our mind to focus and muscles to relax. Tracing the infinity sign while breathing gives us a way to organize the timing of our breath.



How do you feel? What Zone would this help in?





Virtual workshop aimed at parents/carers to support with practical tips on managing fussy eating. The workshop will be delivered by members of the North Yorkshire 0-19 Team and last approximately 40 minutes.

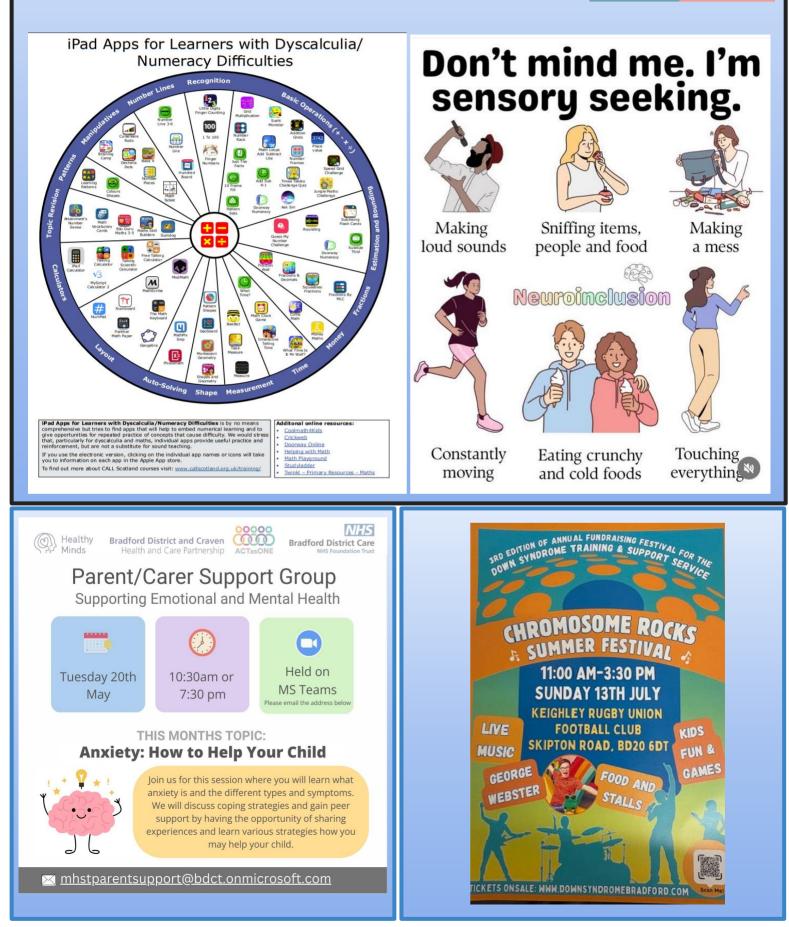


https://tinyurl.com/29v2663t

Please scan the QR code or click the link to book onto a session

SEND @ Kildwick

It is important that everyone in our school community understands about SEND. Even if your child does not have Special Educational Needs they are 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.** IT IS NOT OUR DIFFERENCES THAT DIVIDE US. IT IS OUR INABILITY TO RECOGNISE, ACCEPT AND CELEBRATE THOSE DIFFERENCES. Audre Lorde



Year One Phonic Check - Information for Parents and Carers.

The Phonics Screening Check is a nationwide assessment that takes place annually. This year it will take place Week Commencing Monday 9th June. It's designed to evaluate children's progress in phonics learning and ensure they've reached an appropriate standard. This check isn't meant to be stressful for the children - in fact, we don't even call it a 'test' at school!

During the check, each child will spend about 10 minutes one-to-one with Miss Akrigg, reading aloud a mix of 40 real and 'nonsense' words. These 'non-words' are clearly marked with a small alien image and are crucial for assessing pure decoding skills. Don't worry if your child finds some words tricky - there's no time limit, and we can pause or stop if needed.

The check helps us identify areas where children might need extra support or are excelling in their phonics knowledge. It's a valuable tool that allows us to tailor our teaching to each child's needs.

We'll report the results to you in your child's annual report. We'll let you know how your child performed and discuss any additional support that might be beneficial. If a child doesn't meet the expected standard in Year 1, they'll have another opportunity in Year 2. It's worth noting that some Year 2 children might also take the check if they didn't achieve the required outcome last year or haven't taken it before. Headteachers have the discretion to exempt certain pupils if circumstances warrant it.

We have been preparing all our children thoroughly for this check. It's just one of the many ways we ensure every child at Kildwick CE Primary is making progress in their reading journey. If you have any questions or concerns about the Phonics Screening Check, please don't hesitate to get in touch with Miss Akrigg, Mrs Carpenter or Mrs Kingham.

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Year Four Multiplication Check - Information for Parents and Carers.

Year 4 children will be participating in the multiplication tables check (MTC) in June. The purpose of the check is to determine whether your child can fluently recall their times tables up to 12, which is essential for future success in mathematics. It will also help your child's school to identify if your child may need additional support.

What is the multiplication tables check?

It is an on-screen check consisting of 25 times table questions. Your child will be able to answer 3 practice questions before taking the actual check. They will then have 6 seconds to answer each question. On average, the check should take no longer than 5 minutes to complete.

What if my child cannot access the check?

There are several access arrangements available for the check, which can be used to support pupils with specific needs. Your child's teacher will ensure that the access arrangements are appropriate for your child before they take the check in June. The check was designed to be inclusive and accessible to as many children as possible, including those with special educational needs or disability (SEND). However, there may be some circumstances in which it will not be appropriate for a pupil to take the check, even when using suitable access arrangements. If you have any concerns about your child accessing the check, you should discuss this with Mrs Farmery, Mrs Ahmed or Mr Horton (Maths Leader).

Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check 3 x 7 = 9 x 8 = 12 x 9 = 8 x 6 =



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This week certificates have been awarded to:

| Learning to Live — Lenny & Alice |
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| Living to Love — Mia & Ruby |
| Loving to Learn — Rowan & Arthur Co |
| Learning to Live — Florrie |
| Living to Love — Arthur |
| Loving to Learn — Dougie |
| Learning to Live — Eddie |
| Living to Love — Teddy |
| Loving to Learn — Maddie |
| Learning to Live — Oliver |
| Living to Love — Rex |
| Loving to Learn — Harvey |
| Learning to Live - |
| Living to Love |
| Loving to Learn All awarded to the whole class for |
| excellent work during SATS week. |
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<u>Governor Meetings and</u> <u>Updates</u>

Governors will be meeting on the following dates:

19/06/25 - Full Governing Body 09/07/25 – Full Governing Body

The latest information about the work of the school Governing body can be found <u>here</u>.

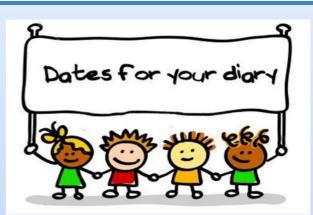


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Extra Curricular Clubs next week

| Monday | KS2 - Running with Mr Whitehead (finishes at 4.20pm) |
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| Tuesday | |
| Wednesday | |
| Thursday | |





Monday 19th - Wednesday 21st May - Y6 Bewerley Park Residential Wednesday 21st May - Kildwick Fell Race Thursday 22nd May - Refill Shop after school Friday 23rd May - Year 6 cycling

Friday 23rd May - Break up for half term

Wednesday 4th June - Y1 Wild Explorers Wednesday 4th June - Y6 Eden Camp Friday 6th June - Street Dance Performance and Workshops Tuesday 10th June - Nell Bank - Y2 Wednesday 11th June - Y6 - Ilkley Tennis Trophy visit Thursday 12th June - Ilkley Tennis Trophy Year 3/4/5 Friday 13th June - Brownlee foundation Triathlon (Harrogate) Monday 16th June - Sports Day Wednesday 18th June - Y4 Lifepath Day @ Steeton Methodist Church Friday 20th June - School closed to children - INSET day Monday 30th June / Tuesday 1st July - Y6 South Craven Induction Day Monday 30th June / Tuesday 1st July - Transition Days to new classes Friday 4th July - Curry Night / Summer Celebration Thursday 10th July - End of year Reception celebration - 2pm Friday 11th July - Reports to Parents Monday 14th July - Y6 End of year show - 5.30pm Thursday 17th July - Y6 Leavers' Service Friday 18th July - End of Term





Foundation Governor Vacancy

Kildwick CE VC Primary School and St Andrew's Church, Kildwick

We are seeking new Foundation Governors to serve on the governing body of Kildwick CE VC Primary School. Like all school governors, Foundation Governors work to support the Headteacher and staff, but they also have a special responsibility to support the Christian ethos of the school. This is an important and rewarding voluntary role, offering the opportunity to make a positive difference, and to be part of the team working to promote the school's success.

If you would be interested to receive more information about the role and an application form, please email the Rev'd Mike Green at <u>RevMike@TheVicarage.uk</u> We look forward to hearing from you.

Kildwick Fell Race - Wednesday 21st May

There will be a full set of races open to all children aged 6 and over starting from 6:30pm. Registration forms will be sent home and emailed over the coming weeks. Please take these to the White Lion on the night from 5.30pm. The adult race will start at 7.30pm and is 3.5 miles. It would be brilliant if we could get some of our running parents racing. It is a great route and Mr. Whitehead would be happy to show any prospective parents the race route. Please get in touch if you would like to know further details.

The school's PTA will be serving refreshments and any help with this would be appreciated. If you would like to support with marshalling the fell races, then please do get in touch with the school office.

Proceeds from this race will be donated to the Tessa Jowell Foundation, a charity with a mission to ensure that every person diagnosed with brain cancer in the Uk can choose to access consistently excellent, specialist brain cancer services.



Half Term Holiday Clubs



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<u>Community Events & Clubs</u>

If you run any clubs in the community or know of any that would like to share their details here please contact the school office. <u>office@kildwickce.uk</u>









KNOW OF A GIRL IN YEAR 5? GET THEM INVOLVED! THEY'LL HAVE FUN, PLAY

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- Lots of amazing relaxing lights
- areat to meet others
- Ages 3-8 year olds

The class will run, then they'll be time for talking etc after class if anyone wants to stay.

The first class will be on Sunday 23rd March

Just follow the link below

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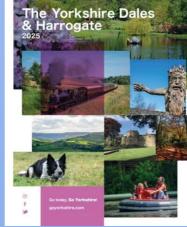


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 Youth (15-16 years) – 400m & 3000m Run
 Junior 8 (17-18 YRS) – 400m Swim & 3000m Run

Sunday 1st June

The Edge - Leeds University

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Same heated pool used by Olympians Closed running course set within the University grounds

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