



Dear Parents/Carers

On Thursday and Friday morning this week all our children took part in Science mornings. They worked in house groups across school.

It has been delightful to see our older pupils working with and supporting our youngest children. They have been super role models and I have enjoyed seeing friendships blossom.

Children have had an exciting time, designing and making rockets, designing car wrapping, experimenting with friction and investigating what they can do with magnets. We have lots of pictures and will publish some as soon as we have checked permissions.

Thank you to the PTA for their support, stepping in at short notice and serving refreshments to our year 1 children and their families after their assembly today.

We are looking forward to the excitement of our Easter build-up next week when we will be having our Easter Story assembly, our Easter Egg Raffle and our Easter Egg hunts in class. This is my first Easter here at Ben Rhydding so I am even more excited than usual.

Thank you to everyone who helps to make our school so special.

## DIARY DATES:

### PARENTS' EVENING DATES:

**Tuesday 22nd March**

**Wednesday 23rd March**

**3.30—6.30pm**

**Thursday 24th March - Break up for Easter**

**Monday 11th April - School opens after the Easter holidays.**

### NEXT TERM

### SCHOOL DINNERS

The charge for school dinners next term is £54.40 (£8/wk, £1.60/day)

**Please make all cheques payable to BMC School Meals and write name of child on reverse.**

### MILK MONEY NEXT TERM

Is £10 11th April—22nd July.

Please could you be prompt with your payments next term if your child wishes to continue to take milk or start taking milk.



# LEARNING HEROES

Reception  
**Iris Smith**

For good and original ideas for problem Solving.

Year 1

**George Lancaster**

For putting a lot of effort in to his learning.

Year 2

**Freya Hein**

For always working independently and being a great friend to all.

Year 3

**Evelyn Keirs**

For being considerate, kind and becoming more independent.

Year 4

**Francesca Macina**

For always being ready to learn and never giving up.

Year 5

**Charlie Macina**

For being resilient and working extremely hard in everything.

Year 6

**George Barker**

For boundless Imagination and creativity in writing.

## NOTICES:

### After School Boys Football

There is **NO** after school Boys football on **Monday 23rd March**.

There will be no more football until September now.

### Guitar Lessons

There will be **NO** guitar lessons on **Tuesday 22nd March** (usually with Mr Sweet)

### Running Club

Running Club has now finished until September.

### Netball Club

Netball club finishes on Friday 18th March and resumes Friday 15th April 3.30—4.30pm. In the summer term netball club is open to girls in Year 3,4,5 & 6. New members always welcome. Please bring correct footwear, drink and snack. Please collect promptly. The club will be cancelled if it rains.

## Well done to everyone in Year 1 today.

Your assembly was amazing, so confident, so fluent and so very, very funny. Thank you to all their family members who have helped them to learn their script and the story.

### House Points Table

This week's totals are:

Buckden = 629

Whernside = 567

Ingleborough = 451

Pen-y-Gent = 416

**THE OVERALL LEADERS ARE PEN-Y-GENT**

This week the 'Caretakers Tidy Classroom Awards' go to

**EYFS and KS1—Year 2**

**KS2—Year 4**

Well Done to everyone in those classes

## Nell Bank Relays

Well done to everyone who took part in the Nell Bank Relays on Saturday, we had 12 teams competing across the two age groups which was a fantastic achievement!

<b>U11 Boys</b>	Time			
3rd	16.04	Josh Beevers	Seth Pickering	Sebastian Spoerry
12th	18.40	Sam Tate	Jack Devonald	Harry Shaw
14th	19.18	Matthew Lambe	Isaac Walton	Stanley Morton
<b>U11 Girls</b>				
5th	19.00	Charlie Macina	Emily Jowett	Grace Atkinson
8th	19.10	Sophie Pitt	Olivia Benson	Ruby Picken
11th	19.33	Amelie Benson	Kitty Hartley	Charlotte Thorpe
<b>U11 Mixed</b>				
7th	17.33	Joe Leach	Isabel Macina	James Boyle
<b>U9 Boys</b>				
4th	8.54	Thomas Finnett	Cassius Foulger	Jesse Pattinson
8th	9.30	Alexander Wolfenden	Alex McKay	Harry Buckingham
<b>U9 Girls</b>				
5th	10.04	Jessica Pitt	Emily Burns	Verity Picken
<b>U9 Mixed</b>				
8th	10.08	James Cumberland	Kara Atkinson	Evelyn Keirs
12th	10.22	Cameron leach	Francesca Macina	Taylor Burns

Thank you to the parents who helped Mrs Leach on the day it was certainly appreciated.

The league awards were also presented after the races, please see the Ilkley Harriers Junior website or School sports notice board for full details, but a special mention to Alexander Wolfenden who was 1<sup>st</sup> Year 3 Boy.

Well done! Running club has now finished for the summer. Helen Jacques



**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**Invite to parents to attend an E – Safety information evening**

**At**

**Sacred Heart Primary School, Valley Drive Ben Rhydding**

**On**

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> April at 6.45pm**

**Presented by PCSO Tim Stobart**

**INFORMATION 2016 IS PREDICTED AS ‘THE YEAR OF CYBER’**

**TECHNOLOGY IS MOVING ALONG AT AN EVER FASTER PACE**

**IT COSTS THE UK £27 BILLION A YEAR IN CYBER OFFENCES**

**92% OF ALL CYBER CRIME CAN BE PREVENTED-**

**ARE YOU IN TOUCH WITH THE ‘VIRTUAL WORLD’?**

**SOCIAL MEDIA?, AND WHATS OUT THERE?**

**ONLINE GAMING?, THE DARK WEB?, FRAUD?**

**THE LAW AND CONSEQUENCES?**

**KEEPING YOURSELF AND FAMILY SAFE?**

**If you would like to attend please complete and return slip below**

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**I..... would like to attend the**

**E Safety Information evening on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> April at Sacred Heart Primary School.**