

WEEKLY NEWS

A message from Mrs Wathen & Mr Spink.....

Good afternoon and happy Friday to you all!

This week started with Dazzling Darren in school for our Key Stage 1 children. The Dazzling Darren magic shows are a blend of amazing magic and laughter created specifically for primary schools. The children in Key Stage 1 had a wonderful morning with him.

This week has been another busy one for all here at Ebor Gardens as we have focused on the national Antibullying Week. Each phase has had their own focus (be it friendship, race, religion or disability etc) and have thought mostly about how we can make people aware of tolerance and how we can support each other in times of bullying. The week has ended with a Kindness/Friendship day.

Today has also been a day to celebrate Children in Need in school. Lots of the children have worn spotty clothes (or their own clothes) to raise money for this worth charity. (There are just a few photos of the lovely day on the gallery page of this newsletter.) We have raised £191.00 this year. Thank you all!

The teachers were delighted with the turn-out at Parent Consultations this week where many good conversations were had about how your children are progressing and how the year has started for them. If you didn't manage to get to see your child's teacher, please get in touch through the office to arrange an appointment to see them.

As we head into next week, can we remind you that the Community Hub is open every Wednesday from 2:30pm for Parent/Carer sessions. Also, we will be opening at 8:00-9:00am on a Wednesday for anyone who needs to access the Community Pantry for basic food supplies or the Uniform exchange. If you don't wish to come to the Parent/Carer support sessions, the Hub will remain open from 3:00—3:15pm for you to access the pantry. Have a lovely weekend.



Whole school attendance is 96% this week. Well done everyone! Remember we are aiming for 96% or above.



The biscuit bears are going to 1RK, 4FA & 6LB

RDO, 1RK, 4FA, 5GA/LW & 6LB have an extra playtime for 97% or above.

N— 95%	RecBT— 93%	RecDO— 97%	1AD- 96%	1RK— 98%	2HW— 96%	2NI— 95%	3JH—94%
3NB— 94%	4FA—99%	4RM— 94%	5GA/LW- 97 %	5HW— 95%	6LB— 99%	6NP—90%	00



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News and Events this half term....



Autumn/Spring Term 2023 Dates



Here are some upcoming events for your diary:

Friday 24th November 2023 — Cross Country Event

Wednesday 29th November 2023— Y4 Trip to Leeds museum (rescheduled)

Wednesday 29th November 2023 — Community Hub: SPaG

4th—8th December 2023— Last week of clubs

Wednesday 6th December 2023 — Community Hub: Curriculum Workshop

11th—20th December 2023— Y6 Cycling Training

Tuesday 12th December 2023— Pantomime in school

Wednesday 13th December 2023 — Community Hub: Y5 Learning Celebration

Wednesday 13th December 2023 — Winter Fair (3:15pm)

Thursday 14th December 2023— Christmas Dinner and Jumper Day

Tuesday 19th December 2023— EYFS Nativity Performance

Wednesday 20th December 2023 — KS1 Christmas Performance

Thursday 21st December 2023— KS2 Carols Around the Tree Performances

Friday 22nd December 2023 — School closes for Christmas Holiday at 1pm

Tuesday 9th January 2024— School Reopens for Spring term

Thursday 11th January 2024— School photographs





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Ebor Gardens Community News—The Community Pantry



The Ebor Gardens Community Pantry and Uniform Exchange is open every Wednesday from 8:00—9:00am and 2:30pm—3:15pm (along with our weekly parent/carer support sessions). If you need to access the Community Pantry for some basic food supplies at a different time, please email the school office and someone will be in touch to arrange a time to suit you.

Ebor Gardens Gallery— Children in Need



























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Autumn Term 2

PARENT SUPPORT 2023 EVENTS

8th November

EARLY READING

FIND OUT ABOUT HOW CHILDREN BEGIN THEIR READING JOURNEY

15th November

KS1 READING

FIND OUT HOW READING IS TAUGHT IN KS1

22nd November

KS2 READING

FIND OUT HOW READING IS TAUGHT IN KS2

29th November

SPaG

FIND OUT HOW WE TEACH SPELLING, PUNCTUATION AND GRAMMAR IN SCHOOL

6th December

CURRICULUM WORKSHOP

FIND OUT HOW SOME FOUNDATION AREAS OF **OUR CURRICULUM ARE TAUGHT**

13th December

YEAR 5 CELEBRATING LEARNING

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PARENTS TO SHARE IN THE LEARNING THAT HAS TAKEN PLACE IN YEAR 5

All events will take place in the Community Hub on Wednesdays at 2:30pm. Everyone is welcome to join us.

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New Childline website now live

Childline is the UK's free 24-hour service for children and young people. Run by the NSPCC, Childline gives children and young people up to the age of 19 confidential support with whatever is worrying them. Since the service began in 1986, it has carried out over 5.9 million counselling sessions with young people. Childline supports more than 200,00 children and young people each year. Find out about Childline's unique offer on NSPCC Learning.



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Starting Friday 10th November!



A free group for women to chat, enjoy a light breakfast and take part in activities to boost wellbeing.

Contact Emily on 07909407814 for more information or to book your place.

Who

All women aged 16+ (no creche)

When

Friday's 10.30am - 12pm

Where

47 Cromwell Mount, Leeds, LS9 7ST





















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