



# Newsletter

Federation of East Cowton CE  
And Kirkby Fleetham CE  
Primary Schools  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018

A place where the beliefs and practices of the Christian faith underpin the social, moral, spiritual, cultural and physical wellbeing of every individual.



## Dales Academies Trust Young Directors

It was a privilege for Mrs Tongue and Mrs Dudman to be able to take our four 'Young Directors' to South Otterington School yesterday. There are two young directors from each school in the Trust who work collaboratively to make decisions on behalf of all the children. They have jointly written a Dales Academies Trust prayer, and yesterday they made a recording of it to be played to all the staff at the Trust training day in September. They have also been working on the Young Directors page of the Trust website that is due to go live shortly.

## Croft Circuit - The Dunlop MSA British Touring Car Championship 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> June 2018

Class 2 at East Cowton were so lucky to receive VIP treatment at Croft Circuit today ahead of the British Touring Car Championship taking place this weekend. This included a guided tour to look around the pit garages, sitting in an actual race car, meeting some of the drivers including the championship league leader and watching some of the on-track practice action. WOW what a fantastic experience!



## Promotion of the schools

We are always looking for ways to promote and advertise our schools in an attempt to swell our pupil numbers. If any parents have any skills, connections or ideas for promotion please contact our school administrators or Mrs Dudman. We would love to hear from you!



## Sumdog

The sum dog competition is now closed. We were really impressed by how hard the children worked on the challenge, both in school and at home. Of the 177 classes who entered, Kirkby Fleetham's Class 1 came 10<sup>th</sup> and Class 2 came 13<sup>th</sup>. Mrs Mann's class came 42<sup>nd</sup>. A huge well done to super mathematician Lily at Kirkby Fleetham who came 33<sup>rd</sup> out of 1812 pupils!

## Leyburn 1940s Weekend - Wensleydale Railway

Families are invited to join the train at Leeming Bar Station on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July for an evacuee experience on The Wensleydale Railway. The train will depart Leeming Bar at 9.45am and journey up to the Yorkshire Dales. The train will then return to Leyburn where guests can depart and enjoy the 1940s Festival in Leyburn centre. The journey will take approx. 90mins.

Visit [www.wensleydalerail.com/future-events](http://www.wensleydalerail.com/future-events) for more details.

## NEWS FROM EAST COWTON

### Stars of the week

Class 1: Thomas for his excellent writing

Class 2: Abby for enjoying her maths

Listening Cup: Daisy for being ready to listen and learn

Achievement Shield: Colette for her wonderful story

### House Points News

Richmond 82 - William F - Total 407

Middleham 76 - Thomas - Total 413

Bolton 60 - George - Total 404

### East Cowton News



Enjoying the sunshine and eating lunch outside today on our wonderful benches.

### Scarecrow Trail

Don't forget East Cowton Scarecrow trail this weekend!

### Property Marking

Meet your local police officers at East Cowton Village Hall on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July between 9.30am and 11.30am. Bring your mobile phones, tablets, laptops or bikes along if you would like them security marked. They will also be available to speak about any issues you may have.

### Early Years Drop-in Session

Communication and interaction drop-in for parents for advice and support around all aspects of your child's communication skills will take place on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July 1-3pm at Northallerton Childrens centre, Brompton Road, Northallerton, DL6 1EA

### East Cowton Diary Dates

Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> June - Scarecrow Trail and Garden Party

WB 2<sup>nd</sup> July - Sports week

Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> July - Ripon Cathedral leavers service

Wed 4<sup>th</sup> July - 4Motion scooter trip

Fri 6<sup>th</sup> July - Federation sports day at EC 1.30pm

Fri 13<sup>th</sup> July - Friends of school BBQ & rounders

Thurs 19<sup>th</sup> July - Strawberry Tea

Fri 20<sup>th</sup> July - 1pm Leavers Service, All Saints Church

Fri 20<sup>th</sup> July - Break up for Summer

## NEWS FROM KIRKBY FLEETHAM

### Stars of the Week

Jack S: sparky discussions

Jessica: for all round excellence

Amber: fantastic letter writing

George: lovely handwriting

Rollo: amazing phonics

### House Points News

Richmond 71 Total for the year 688

Middleham 56 Total for the year 910

Bolton 55 Total for the year 714

### Kirkby Fleetham News

#### After school club

Please note that due to lack of interest we have had to cancel Mr Meacher's multi skills club after school on Wednesdays for the rest of this term. If you require after school club childcare please book your child in using the fortnightly booking form or by contacting Miss Follon on [afollon@kirkbyfleetham.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:afollon@kirkbyfleetham.n-yorks.sch.uk). Many thanks.

#### Lifestyle Challenge

Our Year 5 and 6 children had a visit from the NorthYorkshire Police this week inviting them to join in with their 'Lifestyle Challenge' initiative. They should have already brought home a leaflet explaining what this is all about however if you would like some more information please use the link below.  
<http://northyorkshire.police.uk/lifestyle>

#### Toddler group

Please remember to spread the word about our wonderful toddler group which runs on the first Thursday of every month from 2-3.30pm. The last one for this school year will be on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> July.

**A reminder to make sure all 4Motion consent forms are returned to the office by Monday. If you need another copy of the letter, please ask at the office.**

### Kirkby Fleetham Diary Dates

WB 2<sup>nd</sup> July - Sports week

Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> July - Ripon Cathedral leavers service

Wed 4<sup>th</sup> July - 4Motion scooter/cycling trip

Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> July - Archery and fencing day at EC

Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> July - Toddler group

Fri 6<sup>th</sup> July - Federation sports day at EC 1.30pm

Tues 17<sup>th</sup> July - Summer performance

Fri 20<sup>th</sup> July - Break up for Summer



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