



Newsletter

East Cowton CE
And Kirkby Fleetham CE
Primary Schools
Friday 9th November 2018

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Eden Camp

The children in class two had a wonderful day at Eden Camp on Tuesday and came back buzzing with excitement about all the things they'd learned. The atmosphere of the museum was so inspiring; it really brought their knowledge of the war to life for them - an experience they will hopefully never forget.



The children in our schools have been thinking about the significance of remembrance day this week and have written some beautiful poems and prayers to commemorate the 100 years since the end of World War one. Children from both schools visited church for very poignant services today and laid 100 stone poppies in church. We are proud of how reflective and respectful they were.



Year 5&6 Football competition

This week we entered a small schools football tournament for years 5&6. Our team was made up of 5 very eager children from each school and they displayed some amazing skills, not only in scoring goals but saving them as well! Whilst we returned without any medals, the children should all be very proud of themselves for their impeccable behaviour and team spirit. Well done!



Trainee teachers

We are delighted to welcome student teachers into Class two at both of our schools. They will begin by attending one day a week, and build up to longer placements throughout the course of the year. We welcome Miss Clarey and Miss Babbington to East Cowton, and Miss Poole and Miss Pierpont to Kirkby Fleetham.

Parents Evening

Remember to book a time for parents evening next week.

East Cowton - Tuesday 13th November

Kirkby Fleetham - KS1 and KS2 Wednesday 14th November *Reception - Thursday 14th November

(*please check Reception children are booked on the correct day)

NEWS FROM EAST COWTON

House Points News

House points will be rolled over to next week

Stars of the Week

Class 1: Lucinda for following class instructions

Class 2: Lissy for settling in so well in class 2

Achievement Shield: William F

Listening cup: Charlotte M

Caring Bear: George

East Cowton News

Children in Need

Next Friday 16th November, please come in non-uniform or dressed as a superhero, and don't forget to bring in 1p coins for the penny challenge. School council will be running a quiz for 20p, and there will be lots of other activities taking place in school!

Friends of the School

Please see the attached update from the Friends of the school. You can see that they have been very busy again this year and we are very grateful for the exciting events and extra money that they bring in to school. **The AGM is on Monday night at 7:30pm in school.** All parents are warmly welcomed. Please do come along and join us.

Open day

Many thanks to those of you who have returned the open day slips - we look forward to seeing many of you in school tomorrow.

Samaritans Shoebox Campaign

Thankyou to those families who have kindly completed showboxes and brought them into school. These will be collected next Friday and taken to the Samaritans depot.

East Cowton Diary Dates

Mon 12th Nov - Friends AGM - 7:30pm in school

Tues 13th Nov - Parent's evening - Booking forms on the notice board.

Thursday 22nd Nov - Friends Film night

Tues 4th Dec - advent lunch

Tues 11th Dec - Pantomime Visit

Thurs 20th Dec - Christmas dinner

Nativity and Christingle in church 6pm

Fri 21st Dec - Christmas party - end of term

Fri 11th Jan '19 - Swimming gala - TBC

24th Jan '19 - Key Steps Gym

NEWS FROM KIRKBY FLEETHAM

Stars of the Week:

Brogan confidence and assertiveness as a referee

Lee mature attitude to learning

Jack C great contributions in English

Jorja consistent effort in all subjects

Esme fantastic all round learning behaviour

Leo B speaking up on behalf of his classmates

House Points News

Richmond 29 Total for the Year 190

Middleham 30 Total for the Year 198

Bolton 37 Total for the Year 247

Kirkby Fleetham News

Children In Need

Next Friday 16th November, children can come in non-uniform or dressed as a superhero, and please send them with 1p or 2p coins for the penny challenge!

Class 1 PE will be on Tuesday afternoons as well as Wednesday afternoons. (There will be an exception next week as Mr Burgess is coming in to teach class one PE).

We will aim to be doing outdoor PE so children need to have suitable jogging bottoms, sweatshirt and trainers. Plimsolls are only suitable for indoor PE. If the weather is particularly poor, we will use the school hall.

Please make sure your child has their kit throughout the week.

Mr Burgess will once again be running **after school sports club** on Thursday after school next week.

A letter will be coming home tonight should you wish to sign your child up for this.

Kirkby Fleetham Diary Dates

Weds 14th Nov - Parents evening - appointments list will be available from Monday 5th Nov

Thurs 15th Nov - EYFS Parents evening

Weds 21st November - Open afternoon

Fri 7th Dec - Friends Christmas Fair

Tues 11th Dec - Pantomime visit

Weds 19th Dec - Christmas dinner

Nativity and Christingle in church 6pm

Fri 21st Dec - Christmas party - End of term



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