



The BAWB Federation
Bainbridge, Askrigg, and West Burton Primary Schools

Mid-Dale Excellence in Education

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Well, that brings the end to a very busy half term. The children are now fully settled into their new classes and routines and it has been great to share their progress with you at the parent consultation meetings this week.



House Captains

The suspense is over and we can now reveal who our House Captains are!

This process takes a little longer as pupils are asked to give reasons as to why they should be considered for the role and the qualities they can bring. Thank you to the pupils in the Merlin class who wrote formal letters to us asking to be considered for the role., it has been a hard decision to make! We are pleased to announce the following representatives:

Skylarks (West Burton)

Otters: Charlotte Wood

Red Squirrels: Elsie Raw

Dormice: Darcy Doubtfire

Merlins (Askrigg)

Otters: Edward Wood

Red Squirrels: Lenny Blowes

Dormice: Lara Scarr

Merlins (Bainbridge)

Otters: Eidur Pickard-Sparne

Red Squirrels: Alicia Reddy

Dormice: Ruby Cumpstone

Correction:

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In last week's Newsletter we report that Dylan Pickard Sparne was the School Council for the Owls. This should have course have been Dylan Pickard-Guy. Sorry Dylan!



Reading Challenge

Just a reminder to take part in our first random event for the reading challenge. We would like pictures of yourself or family reading in a strange, unusual or funny place! There are prizes to be won. Entries are due in by the end of the first week after half term.



Monday 12th November

The children of the BAWB Federation will be attending St Andrew's Church on Monday 12th November at 1.30pm.

This will provide an opportunity for the children to see their poppies and poetry on display and to perform 'Requiem for a Soldier'.

There will also be a visit from the volunteers from The Green Howard's Museum. It is anticipated that we will be there for an hour, parents and members of the community are welcome and children will be allowed to go home with their parents after the service.



Christmas Card Competition -

The Northern Echo is giving children the chance to design a Christmas scene which is to be used as a Christmas card. The design just needs to be completed on A4 paper. A £200 shopping voucher to be won, plus 30 printed cards of the winning design. Please see the attached letter for more information.



Children in Need - Friday 16 November

This year for Children In Need we will be wearing inside out clothes and we will also sell keyrings for two pounds and wristbands for one pound. You can wear any clothes but they have to be inside out. At school, we will ice a bun that has been made by the school council and also we will decorate a headband. We will

put the things on sale on Monday the 12 of November. You have to buy your wristbands or keyrings at the school where you are taught so reception, nursery, year 1 and 2 at Bainbridge, key stage 2 at Askrigg and West Burton. You will have to donate to come in with no school uniform on the day.

By School Councilors Eidur and Alyssa



Cross Country

Mr Stokes writes: *“I would like to congratulate all the children who volunteered to take part in the cross-country event last week, that this year was held at a*

grueling course in Richmond. All of the children behaved impeccably and were true ambassadors for our BAWB federation. Every child gave their all around the course, which included a cheeky uphill section, and cheered on their friends when they were spectating between heats. A special mention goes to Eidur, Chloe, Clari and Amelia, who all qualified to go through to the next round in their year groups.”



GNAA Collections

Thank you to all who donated to the GNAA collection this week.

The proceeds of the collection are split between the GNAA and the three schools, based on weight. This time the following amounts were raised:

- Askrigg – £34.40
- Bainbridge - £21.20
- West Burton - £18.80

The next collection has been arranged for Tuesday 2 April 2019.

New Cook at Askrigg



We are pleased to welcome a new cook, Alice Bell, at Askrigg. We hope she will be very happy with us.

Owls @ Bainbridge – Mrs Harrison	96.3%
Golden Eagles @ Askrigg – Mr Billingham	95.8%
Merlins @ Askrigg – Miss Collins	93.8%
Skylarks @ West Burton – Mrs Robinson	92.0%

This Week's Awards from the Headteacher	
Headteacher's Award, Bainbridge	Daisy Cloughton
Headteacher's Award, Askrigg	Edward Wood
Headteacher's Award, West Burton	Harry Henderson-Newton
Tidiest Classroom Award	Robins
Best Class Attendance	Owls

We hope you have a lovely half term and we will see you on Monday 5th November

E. Harrison and *M. Price*



From the Log Books

School log books are held in our schools and they are a marvellous record of social, and educational, history. We will reproduce extracts in this section. This week's is from Bainbridge's log books.

1879

Oct 18th Have punished two children for untruthfulness this week.

Oct 25th -Most of the girls have begun knitting for the examination

Oct 30th -The children were examined this week and showed some improvement in arithmetic though the work of standard 1 is far from satisfactory.

West Burton News Flash



usual, my group

On Friday, a few people from all BAWB schools went to cross-country and they all really enjoyed it. On Monday, it was a normal day; we worked on our Sat Nav routes in computing with Mr Crabtree using Scratch for programming and Excel for calculating time and distance. On Tuesday, we went swimming as we were dragged through the water holding onto a woggle, it really was fun! In the afternoon we did another comprehension in our new reading comprehension books and space mission and mathematics as well. In the evening after school it was parents' evening and all the parents came and looked at our books and talked to Mrs Robinson.

We've all worked really hard and have lots of work in our books so everyone is ready for the half term break.

Written by Benjamin Quinton Bottley, Journalist.



Planning! We all love it. Well I guess we do, we spend enough time doing it. All those exciting activities that will enrich your children's lives. However, it does not always work out that way. Take this week for example. Forest schools – making leaf crowns. Yes, we explored Andy Goldsworthy's fabulous natural art. We discussed shape, pattern, colour, crowns, measurements etc. off we went..... into the windiest of weather. Nothing stayed still for a split second (especially the children). Leaves, glue, crowns everywhere, everywhere except on the paper where the plan told us they should be. Oh but what fun! We had kites instead. Flapping, fluttering here there and everywhere (and that was just the teachers). We also dug the garden over and found some massive potatoes, which are just perfect for maths. We can order heavy, heavier and heaviest OR light, lighter (you can guess where I'm going with this) lightest.

And then there are the jelly snakes. We are currently on our third attempt. You do not want to believe everything on Pinterest will be a success. Nevertheless, this is turning into one extended fascinating science experiment. I could not promise that it is a fair test (some children have ended up with more jelly than others) but it smells delicious and feels oh so good when you squidge it. By the end of the week we will have jelly snake success.....just as it was written in the plan!

Happy Holidays everyone. Hope you have the perfect mix of fun and rest and we look forward to seeing you in November. So exciting we will soon be able to start using the C word!

IT'S ALL JOURNALISM

On Friday 19th October, KS2 children from Askrigg and West Burton went to Richmond Secondary School to compete in Cross country. It was an amazing race. There were lots of schools competing... it was nice to see familiar faces. Many children ran and walked the race, because it was a very long way to go. Everybody did really well, tried their best and put a lot of effort into it. Also, we were lucky to have such lovely weather.

Here is a quote from Eidur , who came in 4th place, in the year 6 boys race: "It was really fun and I got a really good place. " .

Daisy said: " I really enjoyed it and I am really proud of myself. " .

The race went round 3 fields and up and down paths around the school. There were quite a few twists and turns in the paths. There was also a wooden staircase to run up.

We all had a really good time at cross country and if you want to go it will be on next year.



By Lara S and Willis R.



Community News

BAWB Halloween Disco – Thursday 25th October!

PTFA writes: 'Come along to our gruesome and ghoulish Halloween disco at Carperby Village Hall from 5:30pm – 7:00pm. There will be a £1 entry fee which includes a hotdog and drink. Pre-school (under 5) children must be accompanied by an adult please. There will be a prize for the best fancy dress – so get that fake blood out! Everyone is very welcome at this event – please tell your friends! There will also be a pumpkin decorating competition so bring your amazing designs along. (If lighting your pumpkin please use battery tealights, not a real flame, please).'

Halloween Ride -Tuesday 30th October 4pm

Join us for a spooky evening Halloween ride to Castle Bolton. We will be cycling through the haunted lead mines and over the eerie moorlands. We will arrive at the Castle and together brave the spectres and Ghosts lurking in the garden maze. This ride is for brave confident cyclists who are comfortable cycling off road and using their gears. Safe fancy dress is encouraged. BIKE LIGHTS ESSENTIAL. Starting at Woodall at 4pm finishing at 6.30pm at the Castle. Booking ESSENTIAL. £5 (INCLUDING ENTRY TO THE CASTLE GARDENS)

Halloween Obstacle Thursday 1st November 2pm

Do you feel brave enough to tackle our deadly Halloween obstacle course on your bike?

Could you defeat our scary zombie, tunnel of terror and our puddle of slime. Victorious cyclists will be rewarded with a cupcake and hot chocolate. Open to all but particularly suitable for beginners. Safe fancy dress encouraged. 2-3pm Meet at the shop. Booking not necessary £5 per child. ALL WELCOME

Upper Wensleydale Sunday School Junior worship times and locations

28th October	4pm	Pumpkins @ Stalling Busk
4th November	4pm	Making Poppies for Remembrance @ St Margaret's Hawes
11th November	2pm	Family Remembrance @ Stalling Busk

Hawes Fireworks and bonfire – Sunday 4th November 6.30pm Hawes community field

There will be a family friendly Ceilidh on Saturday 10th November in Askrigg Village Hall.

Tickets now available! Music starts at 5:30 for the younger dancers, hot dogs available, second set at 7:30 with cash bar, fun for all the family! Tickets (£8/£4/£20 family ticket) from Sykes Shop in Askrigg or message Gemma Anderson.

PTFA Christmas Fair – Saturday 24th November

The PTFA Christmas Fair is on Saturday 24th November from 10am – 2pm. This is the ideal opportunity to start your Christmas shopping – please tell your friends and neighbours. There will be mulled wine, mince pies, bacon butties and delicious homemade soup alongside independent stall holders, face painting and more!

ASYGARTH FESTIVAL OF REMEMBRANCE 2018

Remembering... The fallen and some of the battles of WW1

Remembering... those whose lives were changed by war

Remembering... those who stayed at home

There will be a flower festival and commemorative WW1 exhibition in St Andrews Church to coincide with the centenary of the armistice in 1918. It will be opened on **Friday 9th November** by Rishi Sunak MP, and tickets (£5) for the preview evening, which starts at 7pm, will be available by email from juliet@julietbarker.co.uk.

The exhibition is **free** and will be open **Sat 10th Nov** 10.am to 1.30pm, **Sun Nov11th** from 12.30pm to 5pm and **Mon 12th Nov** 10am to 5pm. Refreshments will be available. There will also be the opportunity to visit the war graves within the churchyard.

On **Sat 10th Nov** at 2pm there will be a **free** concert given by the Hawes Silver Band, Asygarth Singers and Songbirds' children using words and music from the time of WW1. Tickets **MUST** be obtained in advance from hazel@wss-docs.co.uk or 07866804601 and will be allocated in order of application.

On **Sunday 11th Nov** at 9.30am there will be acts of remembrance at the war memorials in Asygarth, Carperby, Thoraby, Thornton Rust and West Burton villages.

At 10.30am on **Sun 11th Nov** there will be the main service at St Andrews church Asygarth. Later on that day, between 5pm and 6pm the church will be open for people to come and light candles and reflect silently.

Car parking will be available free of charge at the RCP Car Park. All are welcome.

BAINBRIDGE NEWS

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ASKRIGG NEWS

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Jumpers

Jacob Peacock has lost a named school jumper with the Askrigg school name underneath the logo. Please can you check your child's jumpers at home to make sure they have not taken it home by mistake. Thank you.

We also have two plain grey, unnamed jumpers aged 4-5 and 5-6 in Bainbridge lost property, if anyone thinks their child has lost theirs.

Girls uniform for sale (Bainbridge logo)

Uniform that was purchased for Isla Bradshaw who changed school in September is available for Sale:-

Essential Polo Shirt – size 4/5 years (never been worn)

Gingham Dress – size 4/5 years (worn twice)

Infant Backpack (used twice)

T-Shirt – size 4/5 years (never been worn)

Nylon Bag (never been used)

Classic Hoodie – size 4/5 years (never been worn)

Please email Diane Cloughton on di2402@yahoo.co.uk if you are interested in any Item

West Burton School News

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Dates For Your Diary

Regular Clubs – All clubs are open to all children and are shown under the school where they take place

	Bainbridge	Askrigg	West Burton
Monday		Cycle Club (from 23.4.18) – 3:30pm – 4:30pm	
Tuesday		After School Sports – Mr Bullock 3.30pm to 4.30pm	Tuesday Team 3:30pm
Wednesday			
Thursday			After School Sports – Mr Bullock 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Friday			The Songbirds 3.30pm
Date	Bainbridge	Askrigg	West Burton
9 th November	High Five netball at Askrigg (KS2)		
16 th November	Children in Need		
20 th November	Last Swimming Session		
30 th November	Years 1 and 2 Cluster Skipping Catterick Leisure Centre		
11 th December	Pantomime – Sleeping Beauty – Georgian Theatre, Richmond – 1:30 production		
13 th December	BAWB Christmas Concerts, 2pm and 6pm, West Burton Village Hall		
14 th December	Christmas Jumper Day		
19 th December	Christmas Service, St Oswald's Church Askrigg 2pm		
20 th December	BAWB Day -Christmas Lunch-Askrigg		