

Spring Term  
Friday 26th  
January 2018



KETTLEWELL PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Friday News

## A Note from Mrs. Morton Lee

The snow drops on the four sites are reminding me that spring will soon be here hopefully, and that the daylight hours are increasing. The children have all settled back into school after the Christmas holidays, and the short term is flying by! Please do keep checking your child's book bags for letters etc, as the diaries are booking up again for trips, sporting events that are coming up through the spring and summer terms. Cracoe Friends have a coffee morning at Church House in Grassington this Saturday morning. Do pop along and support them if you can. Have a lovely weekend and hope the weather is kind to us.

## News From School

Well done to all the pupils learning the accordion.

Amy, Edward, Emily, Arabella Saffy and Katie Robinson, all took their accordion exam yesterday. I have to say that I am very impressed at the speed in which the children have learnt to play the accordion. They have worked hard practising to prepare themselves for the exam and I am sure they will have all done very well.

## Class 2 News

This week in Class 2 we have been using real weights and measures to help the children's understanding of measurement. Having learnt and developed methods for arithmetic based on measures, the children used their knowledge for reasoning type maths: problem solving and puzzles.

In English we began the process of writing our own biographies, based on favourite authors including research, planning and drafting. Next week the children will edit and improve their writing to create a final piece of independent writing.

We had two informative and entertaining examples of collective worship this week, both based on our theme of Creativity. Amy Mudd, Grace Lusted and Katie Falshaw set the bar high on Tuesday, followed by Maddy Scott, Kitty Ward Dooley and Sophie Falshaw later in the week. Both groups put together well-structured and engaging presentations and delivered them clearly. Well done girls.



## Class One News:

This week in maths we have focused on addition and subtraction. We have been using whole and parts grids to help us solve problems. We have also been looking at number bonds and finding out which patterns of numbers make 10, 20 and 100. It is really important that the children know their number bonds so practise at home when you can.

In English we have been building up to writing our own versions of the story 'Lost and Found'. We then spent the day with Cracoe School sharing our stories and completing an art task. We then went to the woodland area to make boats and have a treasure hunt. The children had the opportunity to play and work together which they really enjoyed.



In science we have learnt all about gravity. We did a few experiments to test that whatever goes up must come down!



Stars of  
the week



Care

Concentration

Congratulations go to:

Alice

Olivia

James H

Jake

Courtesy

Consideration Co-operation

### Woosh Club Details:

If any parents are interested in after school care then contact details of Woosh club are below:

Carly Metcalfe  
07590 004975

email woosh-club@outlook.co

£15 per session end of school until 6pm

## Diary Dates

- 29.1.18—New cook, Mr Law starts
- 30.1.18—Swimming Gala at UWS 9.30-11.30
- 31.1.18—Deadline for Y6 residential payment
- 1.2.18—Y5 Bewerly Park visit
- 9.2.18—School closes for half term
- 19.2.18—School Opens for Spring 2
- 6.3.18—Craven swimming finals at Craven pool
- 10.3.18— Friends Mothers day event
- 13.3.18—Quick Sticks hockey Y3 & 4 at UWS
- 16.3.18—Rewind to Easter Y5—10-11
- 22.3.18—Rugby Union megafest
- 28.3.18—Childrens art exhibition at Burnsall
- 29.3.18—School breaks up for Easter
- 17.4.18—School returns after Easter