

BULLETIN – 13th May 2022

Dear Parents/carers

I am enormously proud of all sixteen of my year 6 pupils; they approached the week of SATs with positivity and perseverance. They had smiles on their faces and gave it their all, which is all I could ever ask of them. Whatever the results, I will remember their determination and focus throughout the whole week. Today, they are enjoying a very well deserved 'treat day' playing some of their favourite board games this morning and then taking part in an afternoon of sport.





Our Values Certificates were awarded to:

Mars: Luca for positivity

Saturn: Hugo for positivity and perseverance

Jupiter: Ben for perseverance

Sun: Year 6 for all their hard work for SATs Headteacher's Award: Sebastian for respect House Points
Lions - 5394
Leopards - 5654
Tigers - 6310

1st Burn Bridge Rainbows is looking for a new unit leader

Burnbridge Rainbows is a lovely unit which is now in a financially stable position after our fundraising efforts last year, they just need a leader who can commit to it. Unfortunately without a new volunteer, the unit will have to close. The unit meets on a Monday night. If you think you could spare the time to run the unit, please get in touch with Clare Pemberton on 07716323072.



School Meals

As many of you will be aware, our cooks Rachel and Chris left us at the end of last week. For the time being our school meals are being prepared by school staff (who have completed the relevant food safety hygiene training) and fully vetted agency staff until we find a permanent replacement. Please bear with us during this time.

There will be the following changes to school meals in the week before half term:

Tuesday 24th May – The hot option will be Fish and Chips not Cheese & Broccoli Pasta bake

Thursday 26th May (Jubilee Barbeque Bash Day) – We hope the most of our children will be able to join us for the BBQ after school, therefore there will be a cold option only for lunch that day. Please send your child with a packed lunch if you can.

Friday 27th May – We will be holding a special Jubilee Party Lunch and will be asking for donations of party food nearer the time.

If you or anyone you know would be interested in the school cook role please contact the office. Thank you for your support.

Jubilee BBQ Bash—Help Needed



Our day of Jubilee celebrations is fast approaching, and our team of parent helpers are working extremely hard to organise everything for this special event. The tickets for the Jubilee BBQ Bash on Thursday 26th May are now on sale either through Parent Pay or in person from Rachel Kent, Nichola Brown or Mel Currell. Thank you to those parents who have already signed up to bring a dessert and or salad – the sign up sheets will be by the front gates each day before and after school. We also need filled jars for the Jarbola and bottles for the Spin the Wheel. There are boxes in the parent shelters for you to put your contributions in.

On the afternoon of Thursday 26th May, we are inviting members of the church and village community as well as some former members of staff and volunteers to a very special afternoon tea. Our year 6 children will be serving them and our choir providing the entertainment. If you would like to bake a cake for this event we would be delighted. Mel will be putting a list out next week calling for donations.

Upcoming Events

Fellowship Walk to Spofforth Castle: Wednesday 18th May for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 during school hours

Kids Aloud Workshop: Friday May 20th Years 3, 4 and 5 at North Rigton School

Tempest Class Photos: Tuesday June 7th—please make sure your child has a clean jumper

Stay and Play: Friday 17th June from 2pm to 3.15pm for Reception parents and any younger siblings and parents

Village Jubilee Events: 2nd to 5th June—look out for posters on the many events being held in the village

Village Barn Dance: 9th July, Sunrise Barn in Kirkby Overblow—more info on Kirkby Overblow Facebook

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Honey