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Weekly Newsletter



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Important Information

<u>Monday</u> <u>2nd July</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Year 2 residential to Castleton• 12pm Special Assembly with Rev Den KS1
<u>Tuesday</u> <u>3rd July</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Year 4,5 & 6 swim 25m catch up programme continues• Year 6 Transition day to Malbank High School• 3.30pm PSA All welcome
<u>Wednesday</u> <u>4th July</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 8.45-9.45am Nursery stay and play• Year 6 transition day to Malbank High School• Reception visit to Delamere• Homework due in today• 10am Special Assembly with Rev Den KS2
<u>Thursday</u> <u>5th July</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Year 6 transition day to Malbank High School• 9-11am Yr 4 YBS Bank Session• 9.15am Yr 5 Music performance to parents in KS1 hall• 2.30pm Homework Celebration afternoon- Parents and grandparents welcome.
<u>Friday</u> <u>6th July</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• End of year Reports go home today.• Sports Day 9.30am KS1, 11am KS2- All parents and grandparents welcome. Sports day is on the field. Can all children come to school in their PE kit ready for sports day. (Staff will send PE kits home on Thursday). Please make sure your child has a hat and water bottle in school for sports day as the forecast is still warm. Also please apply a high factor sun cream before school. We will be asking parents to not take photos/videos of the children as we have a number of children who do not have consent to have their photo shared. We will be posting photos on each class website page after sports day for parents to enjoy.
<u>General</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Year 3 & 4 Residential- This week year 3 and 4 have enjoyed their residential to Langdale. This has been a great adventure and one very much enjoyed by all. A big thank you to all the children for throwing themselves into all the activities and challenging themselves. A big thank you also to all the staff involved for all their hard work and commitment to ensure the children get the best opportunities. If you haven't already please check out the year 3 and 4 website pages for photos!



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<u>General</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Town sports- A big thank you to our KS2 children who attended town sports this week. We were very proud of the way you performed and the way you represented the school. Thank you also to our dedicated parents for supporting our children. It was unfortunate that this year we couldn't put a full team forward as our year 3 and 4's were away on residential. A big thank you to Mrs Kinsey who spends a great deal of time organising such events and the staff who went along on Monday and Wednesday to support our children.• Jewellery- Can we please remind parents that our school policy on uniform states that children can wear watches and stud earrings to school. We have noticed a number of children wearing dangly earrings, rings, necklaces and bracelets this is a safety issue and affects not only PE but playtime and other learning activities. We appreciate your support with this.• <u>Summer Festival (20.7.18)</u> If you are interested in having a table to sell crafts and gifts (there will be a £10 fee) at the summer festival or if you are able to donate an exciting Raffle prize, which would be gratefully received, please call the school office leaving your name and contact details and a member of the PSA will get back to you.
<u>Dates</u>	Please see the calendar section of the school website for all up and coming dates. The calendar is colour coded so you can easily identify events that are relevant to your child/children.



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Nursery—Miss Wilks

This week we've looked at the world cup, we've been designing our own football kit and changed part of the classroom into a goal. We went outside to play football on the playground as well - although we all wanted to be the goalie and had several children in goal!

We've enjoyed playing with dinosaurs this week, putting them in the water tray for a dinosaur swimming pool. We also liked the new animal and disney books in the reading area.

It's been so hot this week, thank you to all the parents who've put sun cream on before they bring their children to school. It saves us a lot time in the morning.

We've also been practicing our sports day races the last couple of weeks in our PE lessons. Children in on sports day (Friday 6th July AM) will take part in one running race.

Year 1— Mrs Bloor, Mrs Rivers & Mrs Hunter & Mrs Gawn

We have had such a busy week in Year 1. On Monday, a Theatre group came to school to work with us on dance and drama skills. We all had a great time learning some new dances and we had the chance to perform our dances to each other at the end of the day.

It was our Year 1 class assembly on Wednesday – many thanks to all who came and watched. The children were amazing and we hope you all enjoyed sharing our many memories of Year 1 with us.

In PE lessons, we have been practising athletic skills ready for sports day which is next week – please check the school website for details.

Just a reminder that in this hot weather, please could the children have caps and water bottles with them – thank you.

Reception—Mrs Earl, Mrs Hurst & Mrs Smalley

This week in reception has been very busy as usual but with different things happening. Monday was very exciting as the children had lots of fun learning about a different version of George and the Dragon. They were taught a dance about the story by a west end professional and then they learnt a simple morris dance. The children had lots of fun and tried really hard with their moves.

As we have been thinking about the world cup this week the children have been learning about England, where it is and that it is the country where they live.

Much of the week has been spent rehearsing for our class assembly on Friday. The children enjoyed decorating biscuits in the style of the English flag ready for refreshments for our assembly. We were very proud of all the children who we thought did amazingly well in their first class assembly. We hope you all enjoyed it and there weren't too many tears!

Next week we are really looking forward to our trip to Delamere!

Please can we remind all parents to ensure their child has a water bottle in school and that they have sun cream on, preferably applied before they come to school.

Have a great weekend !

Year 2—Miss Simms

This week the children have been working very hard. Despite the very warm weather, they have all given 100%! In maths this week we have looking at capacity. The children have been practising measuring liquids and then used these skills to measure out the ingredients for their own potions. In English this week we have been writing some instructions. We looked at a map of fairy land and wrote some instructions to direct someone to the fairy castle. Later in the week we then wrote some instructions for how to make a potion. We all came up with some weird and wonderful ideas for our potions.

We have also spent lots of time this week thinking about Castleton! The children are all very excited for the trip and their big sleepover. Can we ask that you make sure that your child is in school on time on Monday morning. The coach leaves at 9.15 and all registers and toilets etc need to be done before we can leave.

Thank you, and have a lovely weekend!



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Year 3—Miss Chapman & Mrs Watson

Year 4—Mr Hazeldine

Year 3 and 4 have had a fantastic time on their residential this week in the Lake District. We stayed at the YHA Langdale and took part in lots of activities. We built fires, made shelters, went hiking and took part in team building games and archery. We ate lots of delicious food and slept like logs at night as we were shattered after our action-packed days! Please check the class blogs to see some pictures.

Have a lovely weekend.

Year 5—Miss Spencer

This week in Year 5, we have been learning how to create a paragraph using DASH? (Description, Action, Speech, How the character is feeling and the cliffhanger). We came into the classroom, the lights were off and candles were on the tables. On the interactive board was a spooky image of a solitary house in the woods and creepy sounds filled the classroom. We all worked as groups to create a list of words and phrases to describe the picture and the atmosphere. Once we had collected the new vocabulary, we created our DASH? paragraphs and they are fantastic!

In maths, we have been finding missing angles in quadrilaterals and triangles. We are now looking at regular and irregular shapes.

In science, we have looked at the life-cycle of a mammal and we all now know what a mammal is.

In topic, we have looked at the British Empire and we created a British Empire map.

Just a reminder that the Year 5 Music performance to parents will be at 9:15 on Thursday (5th June) in the KS1 hall. There will be refreshments available after the performance

Have a lovely weekend!

Year 6 - Miss Brock

This week has been a quiet week for Year 6. We have had children attend their transition days to their secondary schools. I hope all of the children enjoyed their visits and are now looking forward to their start in September.

We have been working on creating a Book Creator including information about the British Empire as part of some of our topic work. As part of this task, we have been retrieving, selecting and presenting information.

We have had some children attend the swimming sessions and some of our Year 6 have competed in Town Sports. They did a fantastic job and represented the school with such pride. A massive well done to all the children who competed in such warm temperatures!

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Star of the Week



Class	Teacher	Pupil	Achievement
Reception	Mrs Earl/Mrs Smalley & Mrs Hurst	All of Reception	For working really hard and producing a fantastic assembly
Year 1	Mrs Hunter/Mrs Gawn	Seb McGrath	For being absolutely amazing at everything he does
Year 1	Mrs Bloor/Mrs Rivers	Seb Hunter-Jones	For amazing maths all week
Year 2	Miss Simms	Noah Loveland	For being very resilient with writing
Year 3	Mrs Watson & Miss Chapman	All of year 3	For being amazing at their residential and setting a good example
Year 4	Mr Hazeldine	All of year 4	For being amazing at their residential and setting a good example
Year 5	Miss Spencer	Mara Nightingale	For fantastic English
Year 6	Miss Brock	Jon Hassall	for working exceptionally hard to learn his lines in the performance

We are on **Week 2** for dinners next week (W/C 02.07.18)

The Golden Table

Olly Chapman Georgia Spence
 Olivia Shaw Mia Wilson
 Frankie Roberts
 Marcus Clayton
 Alys Nightingale

Attendance



Sports Personality of the Week



No Sports Personalities this week