



Mrs Parry's Newsletter



Class B's Stone Age Day



Earlier this month Class B had a wonderful two day Stone Age experience to help bring their current topic to life. Day one was spent in Stone Age clothing with Stone Age expert Clud discovering all things Stone Age. Day two was led by Being Outdoors and involved fire making, shelter building and cave painting. The class had a wonderful time and the whole experience really helped to cement their learning.

OFSTED Inspection 1st and 2nd October

Our OFSTED report is now available on the OFSTED website:

<https://reports.ofsted.gov.uk/provider/21/112648>

OFSTED no longer give a one word overarching judgement of a school but rather provide an inspection outcome in the key areas of: Quality of Education, Behaviour and Attitudes, Personal Development, Leadership and Management and Early Years Provision. We were delighted with our 'Good' outcomes in all areas and are feeling very proud of our school, our staff, our governors and especially our children.



Halloween Discos

What a fun evening! The costumes were unbelievable (and a bit scary), the dancing was energetic and the hotdogs were delicious. A huge thank-you to DJ Heathcote and DJ Helsby for spinning the tunes and getting the party started! Thanks also to our PTFA members for organising and running the events, we really do appreciate you! I heard so many positive comments from the adults involved about the manners and behaviour of our children, which made me very proud.



Competition Winners



The whole school had the opportunity to take part in 'The Whaley Bridge Bonfire and Fireworks' Art competition. Well done to everyone that entered and congratulations to the winners for our school, Victoria, Georgia and Emilia. Toby in Y4, was the overall winner of all the schools that took part and has won the honour of lighting the firework display this year, well done Toby!

Mrs Daniels

After half term we will be without Mrs Daniels for a few days and then she will be away from school from the 18th November until the New Year as she recuperates from a planned operation.

Toni Kania has kindly agreed to help out in the school office so your queries can be handled and general school life can carry on in Mrs Daniels's absence. Please be patient with us during this time.

School won't be the same without our lovely Mrs D and we all wish her well for a speedy recovery.

Upcoming Events

Thursday 24th October – Last day of term – PTFA Sale after school

Friday 25th October – INSET Day

Monday 4th November – First day of term

Wednesday 13th November – Open Evening for Reception Class 2025

Friday 15th November – Children in Need

Friday 22nd November – School Photographer, Individual Photos

Thursday 28th November – Governors Committee Meetings

Wednesday 4th December – World War II Day for Class A

Friday 6th December – Furness Vale Tree Lighting 7:00pm

Wednesday 11th December – Rumpelstiltskin Panto in school

Wednesday 18th December – EYFS/KS1 Christmas Production of 'Shine Star Shine' 2:00pm and 5:00pm

Thursday 19th December – Christingle 2:00pm, St Johns Church

Friday 20th December – Last day of term

Monday 6th January – INSET Day

Tuesday 7th January – First day of term

Open Evening

We are holding an Open Evening on Wednesday 13th November 4:00pm-6:00pm specifically for families that are considering our school for Reception starters September 2025. Please come along or help us to spread the word.