



Headteacher Newsletter 2

Week Commencing: Monday 6th March



Value of the Month: Perseverance

Number Day – 10/3/17

As you will have read from the letter Mrs Saunders sent out last week, we will be holding a **'Number Day' on Friday**. The whole school will be working in three groups to plan, research and cook a dish for the 'Digit café' which will be open to parents/grandparents in the hall from 2:45pm. On the day, Mrs Saunders would like children and staff to come to school in non-uniform, wearing something with numbers on if possible. £1 donations will again go to the Church Steeple fund. If you have any further questions, please see Mrs Saunders, our maths subject leader, or email at esaunders@irelethst-peters.cumbria.sch.uk

Thank you.



Afternoon Tea

This year, Mrs Buckingham has planned Mother's Day afternoon tea for **Friday 24th March**. In order to place her food delivery on time, reply slips must be back by Monday 13th March at the latest. Unfortunately after this date, she will be unable to accept requests.

World Book Day

Thank you for supporting this event. Everybody dressed up in such fantastic costumes which saw great imagination and skill. The money collected will go towards the Church steeple fund. Well done!

Star of the Week

Dolphin – Drake Newton
Whale Class – Christopher Bullivant
Shark Class – Jack Keith

Well done children!
Remember to hand your jumpers in on Friday to be washed.



Family Service

On Sunday 19th March at 11:15am, there will be a family service at St Peter's Church. Please join me in popping along to this, as it's a lovely opportunity to meet local members of our community. The congregation are always delighted to see children from School and there are delicious refreshments at the end of the service. The children do not need to wear their uniform. The Church hopes to plan in regular Family services on the third Sunday of every month.

Coffee Morning

On Saturday 25th March, there will be a coffee morning held in Askam Community Centre from 10:00am -12:00pm to raise funds for the Church steeple. Please support this worthy cause.

Carnival

This year's carnival will be held on Saturday 3rd June. We will be in touch with regards to our theme at a later date but wanted to inform you that the Committee are searching for Carnival Prince/Princess (6-10 years) and Queen (10-16 years). Forms are available in the school office if you wish to apply. The judging will take place on Sunday 12th March.

The School Day

8:45-8:55	Door Open
8:55	Registration
9:00	Collective Worship
9:15	Session 1
10:15	Break
10:30	Session 2
11:00	Session 3
11:55-12:00	Lunch Dolphin
12:00-12:05	Whale Shark
1:00	Session 4
2:00	Break (EY/KS1 only)
2:00-2:15	Session 5 Session 5 for EY/KS1
3:15	Home time

Science Week

As stated on last week's newsletter, we will be celebrating Science Week next week. On Monday afternoon, Dowdales are coming to School to work with KS2 and require a number of common household items collecting:

- *250ml plastic bottles
- *Plastic food trays
- *Juice cartons
- *Yogurt pots
- *Bubble wrap
- *Elastic bands
- *Corks

Please bring in any items you have managed to collect by Friday, thank you.



WOM

Thank you to those who attended WOM on Friday. It's lovely to see the hall so full and the children really enjoyed showing you a selection of gymnastics and songs from Young Voices.

Parent Meeting - London

For those who missed the meeting last week about London, I have a detailed PowerPoint with an overview of the trip, provided by Fussell's Travel. If you wish to receive a copy, please let Mrs Irving have your email address.

Dates for your diary...

Monday 6th March ~ Usborne book stall in the hall from 3:15pm onwards (*Opportunity to use World Book Day vouchers!*)

Wednesday 8th March ~ Drama workshop for Year3/4 with Dowdales, 1:15-2:15pm for three weeks.

Friday 10th March ~ Number Day organised by Mrs Saunders, Maths subject leader.

Monday 13th March ~ Science Week.

Friday 17th March ~ 1:15pm R/Y1 Fun Event at Dowdales.

Sunday 19th March ~ Family Service at St Peter's Church, 11:15am.

Monday 20th March ~ Cricket workshop for KS1 at Furness College, 2:00-3:00pm.

Thursday 23rd March ~ NHS Roadshow for KS2 in the school hall, 10:30-11:30am.

Friday 24th March ~ Red Nose Day and Mother's Day afternoon tea at 12:00pm.

Saturday 25th March ~ Coffee Morning at Askam Community Centre, 10:00am-12:00pm.

Tuesday 28th March ~ U-Dance Rehearsal for KS2 in AM, 7pm performance at Forum 28.

Friday 31st March ~ WOM assembly at 2:45pm in the school hall.

Monday 3rd/Tuesday 4th April ~ Parent's Evening.

Friday 7th April ~ End of term assembly at St Peter's Church, 2:15pm.



As always, please don't hesitate to get in touch with any queries.

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What wonderful words the children came up with to describe ISP!

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Successful

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