



Kirkby Fleetham CE Primary School Newsletter Friday 10th July 2015



Summer Term 2015



It was lovely to have a visit from the children who will be starting school and nursery earlier this week. They had a lovely time trying out all the early years resources, and we look forward to welcoming them into school in September.

The Iron Man project

The whole school has been working on an exciting joint project with Appleton Wiske, North and South Cowton and East Cowton schools based around the Ted Hughes classic, *The Iron Man*. The Juniors have worked extremely hard in literacy and have produced some excellent poetry and creative writing.

The Infant class visited Appleton Wiske school yesterday along with the children from the other schools for an 'alien tea party'.

In the morning they moved round several different activities including alien dance, making rockets, alien art and some textiles work. In the afternoon they had some 'alien food' (including green cream cheese sandwiches and jelly with aliens in) which children from each school had designed and made the day before.

Today was our 'Iron Man' art day. We had a local artist in school recreating scenes from the story. As you can see they produced an amazing Iron Man and also a 'Space Bat Angel Dragon' all from recyclable materials.



Congratulations!

Star of the Week Awards

Congratulations to the following children who received Star of the week awards in our last celebration worship: Lucy C for helping her team mates, Evie for being a team player and Harry for his independent science investigation work.



General News

Staff changes

Sadly Fi has decided to resign from her position as school cook and MSA and will not be returning in September. She has always gone out of her way to provide excellent school meals and we will miss her cheery smile. We will be collecting for a small gift for her and are also collecting for Mrs Flanagan. If any parents would like to make a contribution for either staff member please could they send it to school in a clearly marked envelope. Thankyou

School Play

We are very much looking forward to this year's summer production, 'The First Kids in Space' which will be on the afternoon and evening of Wednesday 15th July. We are unable to use the village hall this year and have decided to do the play inside school. Space is limited so we will need to issue tickets to avoid being overcrowded at one or other of the sessions. These will be distributed on a first come first served basis - there is a reply slip attached to this letter.

Please could children arrive back at school by 5.45pm in their costume for the evening performance.

Picnic

Tracey our cook will be preparing a picnic lunch for the children on Thursday 16th July - Teddy Bears are definitely invited!

Leaver's service

The leaver's celebration on the last day of term will take place at 1.30pm at St Andrew's Church. Please do come and join us to celebrate the end of a very productive year! The service will finish at approximately 2.30pm and parents who are attending can take their children home directly from the church.

Next week in school

- Saturday-** Friends dog show
- Monday -** Dress rehearsal
- Wednesday -** School Play 2pm and 6pm
- Thursday -** Teddy bear's picnic
- Friday -** Church Service 1.30 pm

Diary Dates

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| 13.7.15 | Annual reports to parents |
| 15.7.15 | Summer performance |
| 17.7.15 | Leavers service St Andrew's Church |
| 17.7.15 | Break up for the summer holidays. School closes 2.30pm |
| 7 th and 8 th Sept | Staff training days |
| 9.9.15 | SCHOOL OPENS |