



# Weekly Bulletin

Term 2 Week 9: Friday 6th March 2020

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The life of a teacher or school staff member is never dull. As I write this newsletter, I am acutely aware that I am painted blue and have been surrounded by strange looking people all day! I should explain that today (Thursday) has been our World Book Day celebration and what a super day it was.

It was wonderful to see the effort that all families, children and staff had made, to make this fun day come to life. We talked in assembly in the morning about the importance and wonder of having the superpower of reading and we have enjoyed promoting, celebrating and enjoying all things books! THANK YOU SO MUCH for your incredible support as always for this event itself and other book week sessions across the week – it is very much appreciated. Whilst it is fun, not all children love dressing up, but there have been some really cool and creative ways to be involved – overall superb effort from everyone – children and adults alike!

Thank you too for turning out in numbers on Monday and Wednesday for the 'Stay and Read' sessions too - we had a great turn out and the children loved having so many adults reading to them and listening to them read. Thanks!

**Local floods:** This week we have had a week of disruption around local roads. Whilst many of us have sat in extra heavy traffic and had time delays, it has to be well and truly acknowledged that this low level inconvenience cannot be even compared to even a fraction of the suffering, challenge and difficulty caused to many community members in Gowdall, Snaith, Cowick and other local areas. Our thoughts and continued best wishes are with these families at this awful time. I have been in touch with Snaith and Cowick Primary schools offering our support and assistance as well as families from Carlton in Snaith CPS who have been directly affected.

**Financial Support for Flood Victims:** At the Character Parade for World Book day we had a collection bucket for families affected. If you would like to make any financial contribution to this local cause please send any money in a sealed envelope to the school office. Alternatively, if you would like to donate to the official fundraising for Snaith Area Flood recovery fund please follow this link:

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/snaithflood2020>

**100% Attendance for Term1:** As a little thank you to the children (and families) who managed a super 100% attendance in term 1, we held 'snack & chat' session this week. It was a lovely positive way to acknowledge this super achievement. Moving forward, we will be holding one of these at the start of each term, celebrating 100% attendance for the previous term.

**Ofsted & Reflection of a year ago** – This time last year we had a visit from Ofsted as they carried a 2 days Section 5 inspection of school. In some ways, I cannot believe that it is a year since the visit – time flies! Upon reflection, I am confident to say we continue to make progress as a school and a team. We are still a proud, caring, happy and improving school!

**Proud reflection:** I spoke earlier this week, with Steve Silver, a parent and community member who is registered as blind. I was so proud to hear that following his conversations and mini assemblies that Steve and I held earlier in the year with Derwent, Humber, Ouse and Trent classes that so many pupils have been talking with Steve and being even more considerate of his disability. Well done folks!

Have a great weekend everyone. Thanks as ever for your support of our school

*Best wishes*

*Jon Watson*

*Headteacher*

**Developing lively, inquiring and creative minds**

# L I V E L Y I N Q U I R I N G & C R E A T I V E M I N D S

## D E V E R L O P I N G

<h3>AIRE</h3>		<p>Aire Class had a fantastic World Book Day. They loved becoming detectives and solving the mystery of who the fairytale suitcases belonged to. On Thursday, we had a brilliant time sharing books with Humber Class, it was wonderful to see their enthusiasm and love of books!</p>
<h3>CALDER</h3>		<p>We have been celebrating all things books this week! We have been reading and writing twisted fairy tales this half term as part of our 'Once upon a time' topic. Mrs Stones and I have been so impressed with the knowledge and understanding of a range of traditional tales and the imagination the children have had for how these could be changed to create a humorous or alternative story. Everyone made a super effort with their costumes as well and it was a joy to see the children reading with year 5, exploring and enjoying reading together.</p>
<h3>DERWENT</h3>		<p>What a wonderful day we all had yesterday, whilst celebrating World Book Day! The wonderful costumes the children wore were fantastic and it was lovely to see the twist for some of them. A big well done to everyone for their enthusiasm whilst taking part in the quiz, too.</p>
<h3>HUMBER</h3>		<p>This week in Humber we have been learning about twisted fairy tales and decided to create our own twisted endings to the story of Snow white and the seven dwarves. We had some extremely interesting and fantastic ideas. This carried into our amazing world book day where we enjoyed solving riddles and a visit from Mr Wolf, along shared reading with some of our friends from Aire class! We collaborated extremely well to master the co-ordinates too!</p>
<h3>OUSE</h3>		<p>A brilliant effort from everyone in Ouse class for World Book Day yesterday. There were lots of fantastic costumes and it was great to see how much effort everyone had made. Well done for successfully completing the riddle Mrs Burton posed for us and collecting the hidden treasure. Well done too, for the shared reading session with Calder class. Miss Watling was so impressed with everyone she wants us to do it again soon.</p>
<h3>TRENT</h3>		<p>Enthusiasm for books was evident in the array of costumes on show in Trent Class on World Book Day. Their curiosity and thirst for reading a range of genres and author styles indicates a lifelong love of reading, which will not only widen their vocabulary and knowledge but also helped them to introduce younger children to new characters and authors. They thoroughly enjoyed the challenge of Mrs Burton's quiz: solving each clue as it arrived then untangling the letters to form the key word. Well done to Eleanor and Zach who provided us with the locations to search for, and gain, the treasure!</p>



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# **CORONAVIRUS: PUBLIC INFORMATION**

The Government and NHS are well prepared to deal with this virus.

You can help too.

Germs can live on some surfaces for hours.

To protect yourself and others:

- Always carry tissues with you and use them to catch your cough or sneeze.
- Bin the tissue, and to kill the germs, wash your hands with soap and water, or use a sanitiser gel.
- If you have arrived back from China within 14 days follow the specific advice for returning travellers.

This is the best way to slow the spread of almost any germs, including Coronavirus.

**Find out more at [gov.uk/coronavirus](https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus)**

## Diary Dates 2019 Term 2

### March 2020

Friday 13th	Special Mentions Assembly 2.15pm
Wednesday 25th	Friends Movie Night 3.15 to 5.15pm
Friday 27th	Aire Class Learning Party
Friday 27th	Special Mentions Assembly 2.15pm

### April 2020

Wednesday 1st	Musical Performance to Parent for Trent Class 2.45 – 3.15pm
Thursday 2nd	Derwent and Humber Performance for school 2pm – 3pm Performance for parents 5.30pm – 6.30pm
Friday 3rd	Easter Hat/Bonnet parade (hats to be made at home) Friends coffee after - noon for parade 2 – 3pm Easter Special Lunch
Friday 3rd	School closes for Easter Holidays 3.15pm

**Easter Holidays Monday 6th April to Friday 17th April 2020 – school closed**

### April 2020

Monday 20th	INSET DAY – school closed for children
Tuesday 21st	Children return to school
Tuesday 21st	Weekly Y3/Y4swimming lessons commence (details to be confirmed)
Wednesday 22nd	Parent consultations 1.30pm – 6.30pm
Friday 24th	Special Mentions Assembly 2.15pm
Monday 27th	Pupil Art Gallery in school open to parents from 2.15pm – 4.15pm
Tuesday 28th	Weekly Y3/Y4swimming lessons
Thursday 30th	Friends Fashion Show 6.30pm – 9pm

### May 2020

Tuesday 5th	Weekly Y3/Y4 swimming lessons
Wednesday 6th	Derwent Class Learning Party
<b>Friday 8th</b>	<b>BANK Holiday – school closed to pupils (National Decision to move the bank holiday from Mon 4th to Fri 8th for VE Day)</b>
Monday 11th	National Curriculum KS2 test week
Tuesday 12th	Weekly Y3/Y4 swimming lessons
Friday 15th	Special Mentions Assembly 2.15pm
Monday 18th	National Curriculum KS1 test week
Tuesday 19th	Weekly Y3/Y4 swimming lessons
Thursday 21st	Non-uniform day
Thursday 21st	Census Day Lunch
Friday 22nd	Sport's Day
Friday 22nd	School closes for half term 3.15pm

**Half term week beginning Monday 25th May to Friday 29th May 2019 – school closed**

## **June 2020**

Monday 1st	Children return to school
Tuesday 2nd	Weekly Y3/Y4 swimming lessons
Wednesday 3rd	Friends Continental Breakfast Morning 8.15 – 8.50am
Wednesday 3rd	Teddy Bears Special Picnic Lunch
Thursday 4th	Whole school trip (TBC)
Friday 5th	Musical Special Mentions Assembly 2.15pm
Monday 8th	KS1 Phonics screening week
Tuesday 9th	Herbie's Birthday Special Lunch
Tuesday 9th	Weekly Y3/Y4 swimming lessons
Thursday 11th	Reserve Sport's Day
Friday 12th	Special Mentions Assembly 2.15pm
Monday 15th	Y4 Times Table checking
Tuesday 16th	Weekly Y3/Y4 swimming lessons
Wednesday 17th	Friends Movie Night 3.15 – 5.15pm
Friday 19th	PRIDE (celebrating and respecting all forms of diversity) dress up day
Tuesday 23rd	Weekly Y3/Y4 swimming lessons
Friday 26th	Special Mentions Assembly 2.15pm
Tuesday 30th	Weekly Y3/Y4 swimming lessons

## **July 2020**

Wednesday 1st	Humber Class Learning Party
Tuesday 7th	Weekly Y3/Y4 swimming lessons
Wednesday 8th	Andrea's Birthday Special Remembrance Lunch
Thursday 9th	Ouse and Trent Performance for school 2pm – 3pm Performance for parents 5.30pm – 6.30pm
Friday 10th	Move up morning 1
Friday 10th	Special Mentions Assembly 2.15pm
Sunday 12th	Friends Summer Fayre 1pm to 4pm
Monday 13th	Move up morning 2
Tuesday 14th	Weekly Y3/Y4 swimming lessons (last one)
Thursday 16th	Y6 Leaver's Party (details TBC)
Friday 17th	Leaver's Assembly 9.30am – 11am (approx.)
Friday 17th	Leaver's Special Lunch
Friday 17th	School closes for half term 3.15pm
Monday 20th	Inset Day – School closed for pupils

**Summer Holidays week beginning Tuesday 21st July to Friday 4th September 2020 – school closed**