

# Glusburn Community Primary School

Respecting Rights, Recognising Responsibilities



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Weekly Newsletter: Week ending 10th November 2017

### **FOGS Pamper Evening**

Thank you to all who came and supported the Pamper Evening last Thursday. This was a successful event which raised £374.83 for school. Thank you to all FOGS members who led and organised this event, in particular the Chair of FOGS Mrs Fearnley.

#### **Great Fire of London**

To enhance the curriculum in KS1, the children had a visit from NYCC Fire and Rescue Service. The children had made Tudor houses in DT and had discussed flammable materials in science. Setting the houses in position, arranged to reflect the closeness of the London streets in the period of the Great Fire, they were set alight by Fireman Mike! The children sang London's burning and were taught about fire safety.

## Anti-Bullying Week 2017: 13th - 17th November

Anti-Bullying Week 2017 is happening from Monday 13th - Friday 17th November and has the theme: 'All Different, All Equal'.

It is co-ordinated by the Anti-Bullying alliance which is based at the National Children's Bureau.

The aims of the week are to:

- · Empower children and young people to celebrate what makes them, and others, unique.
- · Help people and young people to understand how important it is that every child feels valued and included in school, able to be themselves, without fear of bullying.
- · Encourage parents and carers to work with their school and talk to their children about bullying, difference and equality.
- · Enable teachers and school support staff to celebrate what makes us 'all different, all equal' by celebrating difference and equality and taking individual and collective action to prevent bullying, creating safe environments where children can be themselves.

Our Anti-Bullying Ambassadors have organised a range of events and activities for us to take part in during the week. These include:

- · Odd Socks Day This will be on **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November**. We would like everybody to wear odd socks for the day. This will create an opportunity for children to express themselves and to celebrate individuality.
- · A special assembly.
- · We will be selling anti-bullying wristbands and rulers for £1 each-a limited supply.
- · Competitions
- · Lessons celebrating individuality

### Dojo Contact Reminder.

Parents should contact school and staff via traditional methods should they have any 'concerns or complaints' and not via Dojo messages: email admin@glusburn.n-yorks.sch.uk, telephone 01535 632145, call in person, or even write a letter.

If your contact is a simple question or you would like to deliver a positive message then Dojo is fine, but I have instructed staff to only reply - and request that messages from parents are only sent, within school open hours: (7:00am – 6:00pm).

This protects the welfare and work/life balance of my staff and ensures that they are not 'on call' 24/7.

### Children In Need 17th November 2017

We will be supporting Children In Need on the 17th November with the theme: Go Bright!

Children and adults are encouraged to attend school in the brightest clothes and hairstyles! Suggested donation of £1.

We look forward to being dazzled, thunderstruck and flabbergasted by bright colours!





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### **Star Learners**

| Class 4:      | Class 5:      | Class 6:         | Class 7:       | Class 8:    |
|---------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Martha Sugden | Zack Clough   | Ellisha Powley   | Charlie Walton | Cormac      |
|               |               | Ryan Smith       |                | McCamon     |
| Class 9:      | Class 10:     | Class 11:        | Class 12:      | Class 13:   |
| Gabi Balchan  | Jacob Clayton | Phoebe Hopkinson | Will Barnes    | Christopher |
|               |               |                  |                | Butterfield |

## **Dojo Champions**

| Class 4:     | Class 5:         | Class 6:       | Class 7:         | Class 8:      |
|--------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|---------------|
| Alex Graham  | Isabelle Chapman | Morven Clayton | Iris Reay        | Lloyd Chapman |
| Class 9:     | Class 10:        | Class 11:      | Class 12:        | Class 13:     |
| Sonny Garvey | Thomas Nutter    | Evie Newsham   | Charlotte Craven | Elle Buffey   |

### **Friendship stars**

Branden Shaw, Alex Ansell, Deacon Brindle, Jemima Medley, Oscar Keeton, Ollie Shellabear, Lois Barton, Imogen Rose-Copping, Ava Harwood

### Good manners award from the kitchen staff

13.12.17 9:30 and 14:30 KS1 nativity to parents

Aliza Dobson, Jacob Dooley, Victoria Hall, Oscar Hargreaves, Phoebe Hopkinson, Leo Kaminski, Charlie Kerrigan, Olivia Reece, Willow Busfield, Toby Roberts, Joshua Barton, Rita Sollberger, Charlotte Wilson, Charlie Walton, Charlie Nelson, Ellisha Powley, Maya Wall, Jacob Troake, Mia Thompson, Charlie Songo.

# Autumn 2<sup>nd</sup> half-term dates

| Autumi 2 maij-term aates                         |   |  |  |
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| 13.11.17 – 17.11.17 Anti-bullying week           | 15.12.17 12:00 Christmas lunch 14:00 KS2 Carol Service to |  |  |
| 17.11.17 Children in Need Day                    | 15.12.17 Christmas Jumper Day                             |  |  |
| 21.11.17 Bags to School collection               | 18.12.17 KS2 Carol Service at Kildwick Church 18:00       |  |  |
| 27.11.17 Assessment week                         | 19.12.17 10:00 Early Years Nativity performance to school |  |  |
| 08.12.17 Visiting speaker assembly: Chris Holmes | 20.12.17 School Disco 5:15 – 6:30                         |  |  |
| 08.12.17 3:30 – 6:00 Christmas Fair              | 20.12.17 9:30 and 14:30 Early Years Nativity performance  |  |  |
| 12.12.17 9:30 KS1 nativity to school             | to parents  |  |  |
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22.12.17 End of Autumn Term, break up for Christmas