

KELLINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Weekly News

This has been a very unusual week - at some point every class has been taught by someone who isn't their own teacher. The feedback that we've had about the children's behaviour and attitude to learning has been excellent! It's so pleasing to hear positive things about our children from people who visit lots of schools, so well done the children of Kellington Primary School.

While Miss Beadnell was away the Emeralds have created their own 3D shapes. Look at the pride...



Hopefully you'll be able to join us at our Easter assembly (Thursday 24th March at 9am) so that the children can share with you the wonderful songs they've been practising - be warned you'll probably go away with 'Spring Chicken' going round in your head!

AWARDS - CONGRATULATIONS!!



Gold Awards: Mackenzie Tolson, Harry Reville, Tilly Taylor, Marshall Mills, Callum Lifsey, Finlay West, Millie West & Emily Lake.

Attendance: Our attendance target is 97%. The percentages for week beginning 29th February were: Rubies - 90.6%, Diamonds - 98.3%, Emeralds - 95.2% & Sapphires - 92.7%. This week's winners are: Emeralds Class and Riley-Jay Lister.

School Website

Make sure you take a minute to check out our school website www.kellington.n-yorks.sch.uk. We have a new calendar page which not only shows the school holidays but also all of the important events that are planned for the school year. Our newsletters are also uploaded each week, which is an alternative to those who don't have access to email.

Rubies' Parents' Evenings

Due to the fact that Mrs Tomlinson is signed off sick until the end of term, we have unfortunately had to cancel the parents' evenings for Rubies. These will be rearranged for next term.

Money Money Money!

As next week sees the end of the financial year, we have an obligation to ensure that all outstanding money is fully paid to the end of

term. Your help would be very much appreciated in ensuring that your child's dinner/breakfast club money is up to date by next Thursday at the latest. Thank you.

School Lunch Menu Changes

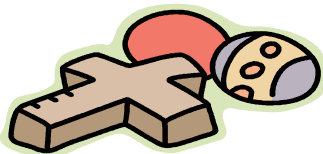
By popular demand we have a couple of changes to the school lunch menus. Next Wednesday, the menu will be crispy fish instead of lasagne. On the new summer term menu the sweet chilli chicken, which is on Tuesday of week 2, will be changed to sweet 'n' sour chicken on a permanent basis.

Easter Egg Competition



Have you seen the two fabulous prizes that are up for grabs in the school entrance? Don't forget that your child's decorated egg (plus 50p entry fee) needs to be brought into school next Monday 21st March.

Easter Assembly



Everyone is welcome to come along to our special parents' Easter assembly at 9:00 am on Thursday 24th March. This will be followed immediately after by the Sponsored Welly Walk.

Sponsored Welly Walk

Please help your children to get as many sponsors as they can for the Welly Walk on Thursday 24th March.



Parents are invited to join in from the start at 9:45 am to help their

children complete as many laps of the school field as they can in 30 minutes. Children need to wear suitable outdoor clothing, wellies or sturdy boots and all proceeds will go to school funds.

PTA - Help Urgently Needed!

Our new PTA is desperate for more parents/carers to help with fundraising. All that you need is enthusiasm, a bit of time to help with general fundraising and to attend one meeting per term. If you think you are able to help in any way, please speak to Mrs Parker, Mrs Chadwick, Miss Westerman or Miss Wilson to let them know.

Easter Holidays

A reminder that we break up next Thursday 24th March and the children return to school on Tuesday 12th April, as Monday 11th is a training day.

Bike Library

As a result of the Tour de France/Tour de Yorkshire Legacy, funds have been made available to set up Bike Libraries around the country. Bike Libraries maintain and repair donated bikes and lend them out to whoever needs them in the local area. Anyone in the community can request a bike loan using the link below. Our nearest Bike Library is based at Tadcaster Grammar School and is run by Steve Green of Positive Youth. Go to <http://bikelibraries.yorkshire.com/bike-libraries/positive-youth> for more information.

Kind Regards

Diane Parker & the School Team