



## Ingleton Primary School

North Yorkshire County Council

### October 2018 Newsletter

#### Our School Values

We are very proud of our fundamental school values and everyone works hard to make sure that Ingleton Primary School is:

- a caring place where everyone feels secure, valued and quality relationships are important.
- a positive place for developing and celebrating high standards.
- a successful place where individuals work hard to fulfil their own potential.
- a place where fairness, equality, honesty, trust and a sense of belonging are at the heart of all we do.

#### Head girl and Head boy

Congratulations to Alfie and Rebecca who have been nominated Head Girl and Head Boy for this year. They will represent our school on many occasions throughout the year. The new Kids' Committee who will work alongside them will be elected by classes this week.

#### Coffee Afternoon

Thank you so much for supporting this annual event. We raised a grand total of £548 for Macmillan, Breast Cancer Care and St John's Hospice. We appreciated everyone's home baking and donations for the raffle. It was a lovely afternoon and our Y6 pupils were perfect hosts.

#### 2018/19 Music Mark School Member

We are proud to have been nominated by North Yorkshire Music Service. They have recognised the value that we place on music and requested that we become a Music Mark School Member. A number of our children have music and singing lessons and there is still spaces available for more. We are also proud that upper KS2 children all have ukulele and wind/brass sessions.

#### Parents' Information Sessions

We hope you found these meetings helpful with class teachers. If you were unable to come along please don't hesitate to contact teachers if you have anything you need to discuss. Partnership with parents is such a high priority.

#### Sports News

##### Cross Country

Congratulations to all the children who ran in the cross country event here at Ingleton on September 18<sup>th</sup>. Almost all our Key Stage 2 participated in this fantastic event, with over 300 runners from school across North Craven. Well done to Ewan, Harry E, Harry W, Lexi, Kai, Seth G, Lucas, Finn and Luca who are all through to the next round at Giggleswick School this Thursday.

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**Football** – Congratulations to Charlie L, Finley, Zac, Finn, Lucas, Alfie B, Jake and Luca who received gold medals at the football qualifier. We wish them luck for the final at Upper Wharfedale School on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> October.

**Casterton Cross Country** – good luck to all runners entering the Casterton Cross Country next week.

**Bikeability** – the children in Year 5 cycled really well during their 'Bikeability training last Monday and Tuesday and the coaches complimented them all on their impeccable behaviour.

### **House News**

**House Captains** – it was a tough choice but the votes are in... Congratulations to our new House Captains:

Doe – Jake and Ellis

Twiss – Luca and Flo

Ribble -Olivia and Zak

Greta -Izzy and Charlie

**Mini-Olympics** – Unfortunately the rain put a stop to this annual event, however, we did manage to get 2 out of the 10 activities in and the scores are as follows:

4<sup>th</sup> – Doe 3000 points

3<sup>rd</sup> Greta 3600 points

2<sup>nd</sup> Ribble 3800 points

1<sup>st</sup> Twiss 4300 points

### **Wellies for all!**

We have noticed how well the children play outdoors when we are able to get on the grass. Older and younger children get on very well together in the wide open space. With this in mind, we would like to extend our field season – all year! So, wellies (not old trainers) need to become part of our school uniform if your children want to be able to play on the grass when it is soggy. Thank you. Porches have welly space for storage and a named peg can help keep the pair together.

### **Attendance**

Please inform the office of any absences due to sickness. If we have not heard anything by 9.30am we will ring home. Also, try to arrange medical and dental appointments outside school hours if possible. Thank you.

### **Countryfile Ramble**

On Monday 8<sup>th</sup> October our children in Early Years Foundation Stage will be taking part in the 'Countryfile Ramble.' We have planned a route around the village and would like to invite parents/carers to join us. Refreshments will be served when we return to school at around 10.30am with all donations going to BBC Children in Need.

### **Y5 Lantern making**

Kate Rowe will be lantern making with Y5s on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October in readiness for the Autumn Light Festival. They really need some additional helpers – are you able to lend a hand in the morning please?

### **Edinburgh Residential**

Our Year 6 pupils will be going to Edinburgh for three days during the week before half term. We wish them a very happy time away in the big city.

### **Summer Reading Challenge**

A number of pupils rose to the challenge and they have been rewarded with their certificates in today's assembly. It is so important to promote a love of literature and home reading is really valuable.

### **International Start a Heart Week**

On Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October, Laraine Sullivan from I Save a Life will be teaching CPR to our Year 6 pupils and then presenting an assembly to the whole school.

### **Blue Moose dance**

Zanna's dancers will be performing again at the Yorkshire School's Dance Festival at York University on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> November. This is an exciting day out for the young dancers and a wonderful opportunity. Zanna always welcomes new dancers and currently has spaces for younger dancers. For more details contact Zanna Dennis on 07896 133716.

### **Early Morning Club**

Our Early Morning Club is thriving but we still have spaces available which can be booked on a half-termly or Ad Hoc basis. Mrs Denby now serves toast and juice for 20p. If you would like further information, please see Mrs Hartnell.

### **Class assembly dates**

This term we are giving Y6 pupils the responsibility of organising and running some of the Friday assemblies. Next term we will commence Class assemblies and we will notify you of the dates in advance.

### **Starting school in September 2019**

Parents of children who are in Nursery will need to complete the online application form to secure a school place next September. This can be found on the North Yorkshire website. Information has been emailed to Nursery parents today.

### **Christmas Shoe Box Appeal**

We shortly will be distributing leaflets on behalf of Boxes of Hope (Cumbria), who deliver filled shoe boxes to children in Romania. If you would like to participate please send boxes into school before 9.30am on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> November.

### **PTA – a big thankyou**

On behalf of all the staff, pupils and governors we would like to say a big 'thank you' to our great PTA team who have worked so hard to fundraise for our school over the past year. Thank you especially to Nik for your PTA news contributions each month.

### **PTA News**

Thank you to everyone who supported us with the campout, there was certainly a great vibe on the day. Huge thanks to Liz & Dave Holman at Meadow Falls who worked extremely hard to make sure the event was a success. Special mentions to the Bentham Fire Crew, Bee Scott, Alice Ellwood, Janine Nicholls, Harriet Crowther and Hatrick, and John Hughes and All Stars Cricket who were all brilliant and gave the event a huge buzz. We made just over £1,300 – a great start to the school year.

Thank you also to everyone who attended our AGM last month, it was fantastic to see so many new faces. We are really looking forward to working together this year.

We are delighted to announce that **Sally Handscombe** (Edie's Mum – Year 1) has taken up Joint Chair with **Anne Foster** (Lauren's Mum – Year 5). **Lizzie Williams** (Lucy's – Year 1 and Harry's Mum – Year 4) is the new Treasurer. **Mark Woolly** (Silas' Dad – Year 6) continues as Secretary and **Nik Young** (Tom's Mum – Year 5) continues with Facebook/Comms.

### **Exciting News**

We have **£5,000** in the kitty from previous years' fundraising efforts to spend this year. We have asked teachers what they need and hope to finalise what it is spent on at the next meeting.

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October – Non Uniform Day.** Bring in bottles (any bottles – shampoo, salad dressing, wine, beer etc) and a gift bag ready for our Gift Bag tombola at the Autumn Lights Festival

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October – Autumn Lights Festival** come and find us in the iCentre to play mystery gift bag tombola

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November – Coin Spiral.** Give your loose change to your children so they can make firework pictures.

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> November – Bags2School.** Having a clear out over half term – save any unwanted clothes / soft toys / bags / bedding etc and bring to school.

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> November – PTA Meeting** – 3.30pm after school. Come along and help with preparations for the Christmas Fair.

**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Fair** after school, more details to follow

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> January – Film Night**

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February – Disco**

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April – Easter Bingo**



## **Raise money for Ingleton Primary School - NO COST TO YOU !**

Click this link to register at [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk) and Ingleton Primary School will receive a percentage every time you shop online at over 3,300 stores: amazon, ebay, Etsy, Sainsburys, Booking.com and more.....

**Top Tip:** Download the donation reminder, it will ask if you want a donation to go to the school. Click on yes - it is that easy!

E.g. Sainsbury's give 50p for every online delivery !!

### **Potato head competition**

Well done to everyone who took part in the harvest festival competition at church. Congratulations to Ocean, Ruby, Hazel, Ted, Sophie, Leah, Ariana and Joshua for their winning entries – prizes are on their way!

### **Half-term holiday**

We will break up for October half term on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October. School reopens on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November.

Please remember our Newsletters are also published on our website and diary dates are on the website calendar.

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