

Class 4 Newsletter

June 2014

Dear Parents/Carers,

This half-term, Class 4 has been joined by 15 children from Class 3 - our new Y6 group. I'd like to say a big WELL DONE! to all the Y7 children for their attitude and levels of responsibility during the lead up to test week, and of course the week itself. They seemed to take it all in their stride and have lived to tell the tale! Thank you to parents and carers too for the important part you played in preparing your children for the SATs.

This half-term is all about 'The Americas', and the diverse landscapes and environments that can be found there. We will be looking particularly at mountain ranges, deserts and rainforests, exploring what life is like, and how this compares to our life and environment. The children will also be learning about well-known landmarks in these two continents; the history of the slave trade and the USA. We would welcome any objects of interest or photos you may have from The Americas to help us with our learning.

The new Y7 group will also be working on various projects in their remaining time with us, including Tour de France art and raising funds for their end of year 'bash'.

PE days will generally be Tuesdays and Thursdays, and homework this half-term is given out on a Monday, to be returned on a Friday. There will be no formal Forest School sessions this half-term.

I have attached a permission slip to give consent for your child to watch PG films/programs over the next year. Sometimes DVDs are used to contribute to learning, such as *Goodnight Mr. Tom* and *National Treasures*.

There are several extra activities happening in June and July, so please read the diary dates below carefully.

Diary dates:

Wednesday 11th June

Friends of Micklefield bun sale

Thursday 12th June

Bingo Madness 7pm Please come and support our Y7 fundraising. £10.00 for a table, which includes entry for 6 people (Y4 and up); 6 games of bingo each; a bottle of wine and pop per table. Y7 children are expected to be present on the evening.

16th - 20th June

Whole school themed week 'Countries'

Wednesday 18th June

Confirmation slip and deposit for Bewerley Park due in.

Thursday 26th June

Themed week assembly 2.15pm. Parents very welcome.

30th June - 4th July

New Y6 group to GA for 'Rock School' - details will be sent out as we receive them.

Thursday 3rd July

Friends of Micklefield discos

Monday 7th July

Y7 fundraising - Tour de France activities - bun sale and face-painting on offer to all children in the school.

Thursday 10th July

**Coach Lee day
Garforth Academy liaison day**

Friday 11th July

Musical Celebration

Thursday 17th July

**Y7 Party in the sky at Airkix, Manchester.
Details to follow!**

Friday 18th July

**Leavers' Service
Deadline for 2nd Bewerley Park payment**

Monday 21st July

**End of Year Show
School closes for the Summer**

Regards,

Mrs. Loring

PG certificated films and programs

I give permission for to watch PG certificated films and programs during their time in Y6 (June 2014 - July 2015)

Signed.....(Parent/Carer)

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