

## Dawn's Walk

Friday  $4^{th}$  June was a very early start for us. We met at school at 6.45am and headed up to Bowness in a minibus kindly loaned to us by Hodgson Academy.





Our team consisted of twelve walkers: Andrew and Robert Farnworth, Susan and Molly McGrath, Judi and Philippa Stock, Rachelle Savage, Stephen Boyd, Debbie Crooks, Clare Hardman, Paul Johnston and Neil Vaughan. Supported by Andrew Stock and Stella Johnston.

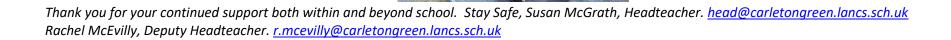




Our Journey started at Maiden

Marine where Dawn and her family spent a lot of happy times on their boat with family and friends and was due to stop in Beetham. The route which was expertly navigated by Paul, took us via Underbarrow,

Brigsteer and Levens.



The scenery was stunning and the weather beautiful and by 4pm we had covered the 18 miles and partook in a little light and well-deserved refreshment! Before having a delicious bbq provided by family of the team.

## Day Two

A few aching feet and legs this morning, but we all scrambled onto the mini-bus, with Mandy Catterall joining us for the day. Today we had to get from Beetham to Cockerham, covering a



distance of what turned out to be a gruelling 22 miles. Our first part took us through fields and woods where the



dappled shade was welcome, even if we did have to negotiate fallen

trees! At Carnforth we joined the canal, following the toll path to Lancaster, with a short stop for lunch, sun screen application and blister plaster application at Hest Bank. Our trek then took us through the centre of Lancaster before re-joining the canal path to Galgate. From here Stephen assured us it was just



across two fields and down a lane to Cockerham. Hmmmmm... A good six large, hilly fields, a lane...... 22 miles and 50,000 steps later we were all delighted to see the mini-bus!

No time to take photos today!

## Day Three

Sleep, food, pain killers and tiger balm has enabled us to all make it to the mini-bus for another early start.

Once again, the sun was shining on us and spirits lifted as our goal was in sight and a few new faces to the team, Sam Lees, Sarah Taylor and Lucy Soneya for our last leg. Today's route took







us via Pilling, Knott End, Shard Bridge and back to school. From Knott End Ollie joined us for our final leg, as he had done on our very first back in Bowness.



Shard bridge has never been such a welcome sight!

The final bridge to school where our welcoming committee, Lesley Hicks, Mandy Moss and Jenn Billington organised a superb welcome home!!



There was family, friends, colleagues, medals, food, bubbles and goodie bags!





Thank you to all those that have donated and encouraged us on this awesome challenge

Our total so far with gift aid is £11,456.43

## https://fundraise.pancreaticcancer.org.uk/fundraisers/carletongreen/dawn--s-walk

Next week our Year Six pupils are to carry out their end of Primary School Assessments. These are not something we want any of our children to worry about though as they are purely to provide the children with the experience and opportunity to show off. We are certain that they will do very well. These assessments along with our teacher assessments will be used to provide High School a clear picture of the children's abilities.

Please remember that on Monday 21st June we are to have the annual Group Photos taken.



Mrs McEvilly and the teachers in school would like to carry out Voice and Musician of the Year and Dancer of the Year again. Details will come soon but we wanted the children to have as much time as possible to prepare for their auditions and performances. We also would like to know if any of our Year Five pupils would like to be considered for our Head Boy and Head Girl Roles. If so we ask that they write a letter addressed to me to outline why they should be considered. Although the situation with COVID has not allowed our current Heads and Deputies to carry out their roles as normal, the accolade attached to them being given the title can never be taken away. We have been incredibly proud of them all year.

Some of our Year Six children have enjoyed participating in 'Bikeability' sessions where they have learned to have greater road sense when riding their bikes. The other half of the year group will have the same two-day session in a few weeks.

A few dates to consider:

21st June ~ Group Photos

5<sup>th</sup> July ~ Healthy Living Week

12th July ~ Transition where the children will find out their new classes and enjoy 8 days together.

 $22^{nd}$  July ~ Year 6 Leavers celebrations in the daytime.

23<sup>rd</sup> July ~ End of Year Assembly.