

31st March 2023

Dear Parents and Carers

It is hard to believe that the Easter Holidays are upon us. I do hope we get some lovely spring weather to enjoy them.

## Sad News

I start with some very sad news. Last week, one of our pupils - Alexa Sandwith - sadly passed away. Alexa was a beautiful young lady with a wonderful smile. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.

## **Baby News**

Mountains 8 & Lakes 8 were involved in a Mayfield gender reveal this week as Neil and Zoe revealed the genders of their TWINS! They all gathered out on the playground, counted down and boom, it's a boy and a girl who are due to arrive in the summer holidays 🗃







Massive congratulations also to Rebecca in Lakes 9 who is expecting her first baby.

It's been another busy week....

Early Years and Key Stage 1 concluded their topics this week, 'On the Farm' and 'In the Wild' by visiting Lake District Wildlife Park. The children have worked hard all term in preparation for this trip and everyone had so much fun!















Lakes 7 have enjoyed exploring lots of different activities themed around Easter. The Easter Bingo Hunt around school was enjoyed by all. Everyone has taken a goodie bag of cakes home to enjoy.









Mountains 5 enjoyed some Easter activities, painting, egg dumping and of course a fantastic Easter Egg Hunt.







On Monday Mountains 8 took part in their next SkillsBlox session 'Draw my Dreams'. During the session they had to think about what they'd like to do when they become adults, then draw this as best they could. They also had some visitors in Claire, Malcolm and Sean who brought some of the key equipment they use in their roles as a mechanic, nurse and firefighter.















Mountains 7 and Year 11 have had a fantastic time at Bendrigg this week, they have been climbing and abseiling, canoeing, hiking and finished off the week singing on karaoke ....what a week!



On behalf of all the staff may I wish you a happy and healthy Easter. We look forward to seeing you on Monday  $17^{th}$  April.

Yours sincerely

Sam and the team



