



TRAWDEN FOREST PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Every child matters, every moment counts!

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Friday 2nd March 2018

Headteacher's Note:

Goodness me, what a week it has been! The decision whether to close a school or stay open is not an easy one to make. However, this week the extreme weather, hazardous driving conditions, staff being unable to travel, school not safely accessible and food deliveries unable to get through all contributed to our unavoidable closures this week. I realise that this must have caused disruption to your families and work but the safety of our children and staff is of the utmost importance. I do hope that the children enjoyed sledging and playing out in the snow too!

I must thank you for your understanding in this matter and I appreciate your continued support, Mrs L J Stinchon

LET'S CELEBRATE!

Our Certificate winners this week are:

Unfortunately, due to the horrendous weather and unavoidable closures there were no certificated this week.

We look forward to seeing you next week at our celebration starting at 2:55pm

Our next class assembly will be led by Year 3 on Wednesday 21st March @2:45pm

WORLD BOOK DAY
1 MARCH 2018

World Book Day

**REARRANGED DATE—THURSDAY
8TH MARCH**

We will be celebrating our love of reading on our alternative World Book Day - Thursday 8th March. Children are invited to come to school on this day dressed up as a character from their favourite book or from a book they have enjoyed reading www.worldbookday.com

They must also bring the book with them in to school.

We will be having lots of reading and book related activities throughout the day.

Which character will you come dressed up as?



Dates for your diary

Thursday 8th March

World Book Day - as it had to be postponed!

Friday 16th March

PTA Spring Fling Disco

Friday 23rd March

School closes at 3.30pm for Easter Holiday

Monday 9th April

School opens at 8.50am for Summer term



Ann, Josie, Gillian and Nadia are long standing servers to Trawden Forest PTA and Nicola, Alison and Sarah are newcomers this year, along with Mrs McNulty (Y1 teacher) and Mrs Clark (Deputy Head). As a team we are committed to providing opportunities and events to enhance your child's school experience whilst raising money to fund the Life Bus, Pantomime, Forest School and Reception Class Equipment.

PLEASE read our introduction letter attached to this newsletter! Our next meeting is **3.30pm Thursday 15th March** - PLEASE come and join us for an hour! New members are most welcome.

After School Activities

Tuesdays 3.30-4.30

Y3 and Y4

Football



Thursdays 3.30-5.00

Karate KS1 hall



Thursdays 3.30-4.30

KS1 Tri Golf FUNDA - KS2 hall

Fridays 3.30-4.30

KS2 Dance FUNDA - KS2 hall



Tuesdays (weekly) 3.30-4.30

KS2 Homework Club

PLEASE NOTE—this club is for the children who wish to have support and do their homework in school - it is **not** for children who just want to play on the computer. Younger siblings who do not have homework may be booked into after school club.



CARRIGEWAY PATCHING WORKS— COLNE ROAD, TRAWDEN

The traffic will be controlled using stop and go boards between 7:00 and 15:00 and there must be no parking on the road between these times. (This information is from Lancashire Highways Services)



**WE ARE
CASHLESS!**

YOU CAN NOW PAY FOR SCHOOL DINNERS, ROBINWOOD AND TRIPS VIA PARENTMAIL!
If you have not received a confirmation email please contact Mrs Valentine.



Pendle Schools' Festival Friday 15th June 2018

I am pleased to inform you that we are taking part in the Pendle Schools' Festival again this year. Mrs Clark is planning to set up a choir with children from Year 3 and 4 to take part in the **Massed Choir Concert** on Friday 15th June. Most of the rehearsals for the concert will be during the school day and the children will travel with members of staff by coach to these, of which the cost is covered. However, two rehearsals will be outside the school day: Saturday 9th June 9am-12noon and Friday 15th June 7pm. Children must be able to attend the Saturday rehearsal and Friday 15th at 7pm for the concert. We are strictly limited to 20 children and will offer places on a first come, first served basis. If your child is interested in being part of the choir, please complete the slip on the letter that will be sent out on Monday and return it to school directly by **Wednesday 7th March.**



This new children's nursery will be opening in April in St. Mary's Parish Hall, Trawden. There will be an open day coming soon and they have a Facebook page, so please take a look!



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