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Events

Nether Kellet News

This Term

As always, it's been a busy half term packed with lots of learning, visits, visitors and sporting events. Chestnut Class had a wonderful day out at Sealife seeing many of the creatures they had been learning about linked with our theme. We are looking forward to this half term with Beech Class's visit to Lancaster and Morecambe, the Singing Festival, sports competitions and Lego Control Technology among the many other things scheduled.

- Mon 2nd Mar Football League
- Wed 4th Mar Girls' Sports Festival
- Fri 6th Mar Stay and Play Oak 9:15-10:15
- 6th, 26th, 27th Mar Sports Leader Award with Y5s
- Thur 12th March Muslim Culture Day
- Fri 13th March Beech Class trip
- Wed 18th Parents' evening
- Thur 19th Singing Festival
- Thur 19th and Fri 20th Mar Junior Stem Lego control technology all classes
- Fri 20th March Deadline for final Arran payment
- Wed 25th March Swimming Gala Y5/6
- Fri 27th March Cricket workshops
- Class assemblies this term:
Oak Fri 13th Mar 2:30

PTA

The Bake-Off competition was a great success with an enormous amount of delicious entries brought in on the day and sold after school. Well done to our winning bakers: Oliver R for his hedgehog cake, Lola for her bouquet of flowers biscuits, Darcy for her biscuits, Seth for his cake, Freddie for his cookies and Caspar's Grandma for her cakes.



Music Festival

Our choir has been rehearsing for the Music Festival with Ms Perry. They have a few more weeks to go before their performance on the evening of 19th March at the Town Hall. Tickets for the families of those children taking part will be available nearer the time, we'll let you know!



Winning Entries!

Thank you to everyone who took part and helped raise more money for school in the process too



Visitors to School

Year R and Year 1 had a great morning learning to ride balance bikes. Even for those who can already ride a bike, they were challenged to develop their sense of balance and control and, for some, they made amazing progress going from being a non-rider to doing a slalom course! They all had great fun and grew in confidence. Katy from Life Education worked with all classes on Monday with Harold the giraffe making a few appearances as well. The children loved the sessions and learned lots about their bodies and their minds to help them throughout their life.

Beech and Chestnut learned lots about safety with the fire brigade.

Scott Wilcock will be coming in over a series of sessions to train the Year 5 children as Sports Leaders, developing their leadership and cooperation skills with a view to them leading games with younger children in the summer term and next year.

Sports

We have been involved in a local football league and our team (Ben, Cooper, Aaron, Kitty, Ollie, Daniel, Rowan and Mark) have progressed to the "small final" so good luck to them for that! We also continue to play individual matches against local schools and we played Christchurch Carnforth just before the holidays with both teams showing great sportspersonship. Our younger team were: Ollie, Freddie, George, Jacob, Mikey, Dylan and Oliver.

Our athletics team continue to compete in the indoor league and are doing well, we'll see if they can progress to the final.

Next week, a team of Y5/6 girls are taking part in a girls' sports festival at Carnforth High designed to build confidence while taking part in fun sports with other schools. Our team are: Alice, Ada, Kitty, Amelia, Ella, Layla, Olivia Ba., Olivia Br., Lara and Sienna. Later in the term, we will be taking part in the swimming gala with local schools at Salt Ayre. This competition involves all the larger schools too but we will give it our best shot!



Oak and Chestnut Classes enjoyed a great time with John, The Creepy Crawly Man and all his creatures. They were very brave with creatures including a snake, giant snail and tarantula!

Term dates:

Easter: Break up Fri 27th Mar
Return: Mon 13th April

Half term: Mon 25th May to Tues 2nd June incl.
Summer: Break up Fri 17th July
Return: Wed 2nd September

Best wishes, Nicki Bradbury

