

4th October 2018

NEWSLETTER



Happy, happy children

We have had such a lovely few weeks in school with the children being so wonderful and enthusiastic. It is the same whether they are having fun such as on our brilliant circus skills afternoon or doing work in class. They really do encourage each other to succeed as well with is very special. This photo shows our Circus afternoon – Thank you very much Mrs Hayton for organising that for the children.

Attendance

Our current attendance figure is 99.3%. That is virtually no days off this year!

Open days

We are at that time of year where we really want to promote the school to ensure that we get a good Reception and Nursery intake for next year. We are holding 2 open days – an afternoon on Wednesday 31st October when parents will be able to see the school in action and Saturday 3rd November 10-12am when we will invite the whole community for coffee and cake as well as prospective parents. Please encourage people to come along.

Parent's evenings

Our parent's evening this term will be on Monday 29th October when you will be able to talk to the teachers, and look at your child's work. Please sign up for a time on the sheet by the office. If that day is not convenient, please ask the teachers for a different time. You are also welcome to come in and see work at any other time – quite often the children are keen to show you what they've been doing.

Harvest

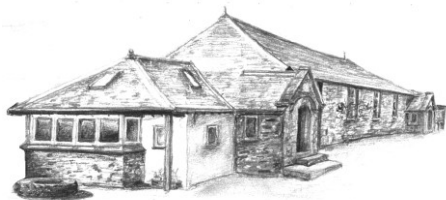
You are invited to the Harvest Praise at Selside Church at 6pm on Sunday 14th October. There will be something in that service for KS2 children. We are still finalising our school Harvest celebration but it will be on Monday 15th October in the morning, and we will also be going up to the church to see the Harvest display.

World War 1 Commemoration

There is a special commemoration event at Skelsmergh the evening of Friday 9th November. This will commemorate the end of the First World War and remember all those who lost their lives from all the local parishes. Years 3-6 will be working with the Art Store on a piece of art for the exhibition and have also been asked to take part in the opening ceremony. Further details to follow regarding times etc. but we would like as many children as possible to take part.

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Individual and family group photos

The photographer will be coming to school next Friday at 9am to take individual and family group photos. If you would like pre-school children in the photos, we will do those first at 9am.

School Fleeces

School Fleeces with our badge on are also now available through Identity priced £15.99. We are happy for the children to wear these as an alternative to a sweatshirt if you prefer.

Best wishes

Sarah Coleman and all the staff

Dates for your diary :

Thursday 4 th October	Mrs Jones for PE- Years 3-6
Monday 8 th October	Mrs Jones for PE- Years 3-6
Tuesday 9 th October	Swimming Years 3-6
Wednesday 10 th October	Learnopoly – Impact graduates with Lindale pupils at Selside
Thursday 11 th October	Cross Country KS2
Friday 12 th October	School Photos 9am
Friday 12 th October	Remembrance talk –KS2
Sunday 14 th October	Selside Church Harvest Festival 6pm
Monday 15 th October	School harvest celebration in church 9.30am
Tuesday 16 th October	Swimming Years 3-6
Thursday 18 th October	Mrs Jones for PE- Years 3-6
Friday 19 th October	Break up for half term
Monday 29 th October	Mrs Jones for PE- Years 3-6
Monday 29 th October	Parents evening 3.15-6.30pm
Tuesday 30 th October	Swimming Years 3-6
Wednesday 31 st October	Open afternoon 1.15-2.35pm
Saturday 3 rd November	Open morning, coffee and cake – all welcome 10-12
DATES COMING UP	
Friday 9 th November	WW1 commemoration event at Skelsmergh
Friday 7 th December	Christmas Fair – German Christmas market theme at Selside Hall.
Friday 21 st December	Finish for Christmas
Tuesday 8 th January	Spring Term begins

