



DEAN GIBSON
RC Primary School

NEWSLETTER

Friday 22 September

2023



EYFS CLASS NEWS

What an amazing week we have had in Robins class. The children have settled in to our new EYFS setting amazingly and we are so proud of them all. This week we have done lots of work on 'Me and My Family' and the children have talked about their wonderful families and what makes them special. They were all so creative and drew family portraits and made wonderful sculptures using pebbles. The fantastic art gallery is up in our 'home corner' and looks amazing. The 'home corner' has become very popular by all, as the children wanted to play 'mum's, dad's and families'.

Our book of the week was "We're Going On A Bear Hunt". The children thought hard about how the bear must have felt at the end of the story and did their first piece of writing about this. They came up with great ideas of how they could make the bear feel happy and not sad and upset. We followed the children's interest and made a Cave in the reading area with a huge bear that lives inside, where the children can sit quietly and read stories to make him feel happy again.

All nursery and reception children's amazing work can be found on Tapestry. Please contact the office if you are having difficulties logging on to the system.

We can't wait for more fun and learning next week.

Our second swimming session was today and it was great to hear how much the children were enjoying picking up this life skill.

Guided by the Holy Spirit, we listen, learn and care.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Rose & Sons will be in school on Wednesday 27 September to take the annual school photos.

MASS IN SCHOOL

Father Hugh will celebrate an opening mass of the term for us in school on Thursday morning, 5th October. Please do join us if you can as we give thanks for the many blessings in our lovely school.

BLUE PETER BOOK CLUB

The Blue Peter Book Club is all about sharing the joy of reading! Did a story make you laugh out loud, whisk you away on a thrilling journey, or introduce you to unforgettable characters? By sharing your book reviews you could earn a book-tastic Blue Peter badge. Please follow the link for more information and let us know if you decide to take part:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/joinin/blue-peter-book-club?fbclid=IwAR23zHCrx25Qw2svqOYwiX8i-rcBj5SDcZa05U0nF5jz7xrLvCLGVVzw0EU>

PTFA

Our wonderful PTFA are having their AGM on 2nd October. Everyone welcome. Due to some members stepping down, they would also welcome any parents who would like to get involved with the PTFA.

CLUBS FOR AUTUMN 1

Our clubs are up and running (excuse the pun!). Don't forget our school times have changed, so after school sessions will run from **15.20 until 16.05**.

INTERNET SAFETY TRAINING

Bamboozled by filters and want to know how to keep your child safe online? All parents are invited to an internet safety training session at Ghyllside School on Tuesday 19th December between 6 and 7pm. Our staff are attending earlier in the day as part of their professional development. Just let the office know if you hope to be there so that we can give Ghyllside an idea of numbers.

TENTEN PARENT LINK

<https://www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers-for-home/parent-newsletter/>

FLU IMMUNISATION FORMS

Please can you return your child's immunisation forms as soon as possible. The nurses still require a copy of your form regardless of whether you want your child to partake in the immunisation.

MID-DAY SUPERVISOR VACANCY

We have a vacancy for a Mid-day Supervisor. This will be for 5 days per week for 1 hour a day. Please contact the office for an application.

Week ending 22 Sept	Swifts (3) (4)	Kingfishers (5)	Eagles (Y6)
Caring	Macey & Charlotte	Sarah	Iris
Curious	William & Mabel	Spencer	Tyler B
Resilient	Agnes & Isla	Paige	Alfie
Good Values	Max	Sadie	Zairah

Week ending 22 Sept	Nursery	Robins (Reception)	Sparrows (1)	Finches (Y2/3)
Star of the Week	Boheme	Martha	Emmy	Grace
Best Worker		Alice	Kousha	Lyra

Week ending 15 Sept	Swifts (3) (4)	Kingfishers (5)	Eagles (Y6)
Caring	Layla	Evie G	Ben
Curious	Lucas	Rosie	Poppy
Resilient	Harvey	Eli	Anna
Good Values	Ronnie	Elijah	Seb

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Star of the Week	Everyone	Everyone	Marley	Isla
Best Worker		Penny	Edward	Sam

END OF TERM

School closes for the half term holidays on **Friday 20th October at 15.20** and reopens for autumn 2 on **Monday 30th October at 08.50.**



Fancy scoring some goals this weekend?!

Football classes
18 mths - 6 years
Dean Gibson
Sundays



9am 18 mths - 3.5 yrs | 10am 3.5 - 6 yrs
Visit www.sportivos.co.uk to book a taster



MAKE YOUR CHILD'S DEVELOPMENT MORE FUN!

DISCOVER RUGBYTOTS

CLASSES NEAR YOU!

SATURDAY Kendal Dean Gibson School	8.45 - 9.15 2 - 3.5 years	9.20 - 10.05 3.5 - 5 years
SUNDAY Kirkby Lonsdale Lunesdale Sport Centre	8.45 - 9.15 2 - 3.5 years	9.20 - 10.05 3.5 - 5 years

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