

# The Parish Post

24th June 2022

The latest news of Skipton Parish Church CE Primary School

## This week's Pride of Parish have been:

Suffolk:	Erika & Darcie	Dalesbred:	Alice & David
Cotswold:	Jack & Joe	Dorset Downs:	Alicja
Swaledale:	Delilah & Toby	Oxford:	Millie & Emmie
Teeswater:	Tilly & Noah	Cheviot:	Poppy & Hosna

**Well done, we're all proud of you!**

We are hoping to run a holiday club in the summer, running in the middle two weeks of the six week break (w/c 8th & 15th August).

We initially plan that the sessions would run from 9am -3pm and cost £15 per child per session.

Children will need to bring a packed lunch and a drink, as no lunch will be provided.



If you have any questions, or would be interested in taking up any sessions, please feel free to email us at [wac@parish.ycst.co.uk](mailto:wac@parish.ycst.co.uk). Please could you let us know by Monday 27th June if you are interested, so we know if there will be enough interest for these sessions to be able to take place.



Our Y3/4 cricket team travelled to York this week to take part in the North Yorkshire county finals. Unfortunately they didn't make it past the group stages, but they played brilliantly and were a credit to Parish.



Last week Cotswold and Swaledale classes took part in inter-school sports at Sandylands where they had a go at multi sports, football and tennis activities. They put all of their skills learnt in PE over the year to good use! Today it was Cheviot and Herdwick's turn to have a go at javelin, discus, golf and relay races.



## What Are the Benefits of Reading for Children?

Reading allows us to be transported from our own world to another. Between the pages of a book, we can become immersed in the lives of fictional characters and learn about a culture entirely different from our own. We can also learn new words and phrases, experience a range of emotions, and acquire skills and knowledge.

Numerous pieces of research have discovered the profound benefits of reading for a child's development. One study details the effects of reading on later literacy skills, facilitating social interaction between adults and children, and encouraging children to engage with the world around them. It also states how reading can be a 'stable source of information' throughout a child's life. This stability allows them to access text in a constant fashion and can be especially beneficial for children growing up in challenging circumstances.

The more that a child is read to, and the more that they read themselves, the better they will become at it. Practice *really does* make perfect and, the more a child reads, the better their overall academic achievement and social skills, like empathy, will be.

Most importantly, it's fun!



Summer Reading Challenge 2022

# GADGETEERS

Presented by The Reading Agency.  
Delivered in partnership with libraries.

- ❖ Join free at your local library & get your collectors folder
- ❖ Read six books during the holidays.
- ❖ Collect stickers, a bookmark, a Gadgeteers game & a wristband as you go.
- ❖ Complete the challenge to receive your Gadgeteers medal & certificate!

**Starts Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> July & finishes  
Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September**

Summer Activities in Libraries in the Craven Area			
BENTHAM COMMUNITY LIBRARY			TEL: 01609 534533
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	4-5pm	<b>Lego Launch</b> - Sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge and make something amazing out of Lego.	4-11yrs
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> August	10.30am – 12noon	<b>Junk Modelling</b> – Create an amazing gadget to take home.	4-11yrs
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> August	2-3.30pm	<b>Techmakers</b> – Come and play with our Digital Kit - Makey Makeys, Micro:Bits, Raspberry Pi and more!	7-11yrs
SOUTH CRAVEN COMMUNITY LIBRARY, CROSS HILLS			TEL: 01609 534502
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	10am – 12noon	<b>Launch Event</b> - Come along and sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge.	4-11yrs
EMBSAY WITH EASTBY COMMUNITY LIBRARY			TEL: 01756 700367
Contact the library for details of events			
GARGRAVE AND MALHAMDALE COMMUNITY LIBRARY			TEL: 01609 536547
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> August	10.30am – 12noon	<b>Lego Play &amp; Build</b> – Sign up for the challenge and build something amazing out of Lego.	4-11yrs

GRASSINGTON COMMUNITY LIBRARY			TEL: 01756 752222
Contact the library for details of events.			
INGLETON COMMUNITY LIBRARY			TEL: 01609 534504
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	4-5pm	<b>Lego Launch</b> - Sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge and make something amazing out of Lego.	4-11yrs
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> August	2-3.30pm	<b>Junk Modelling</b> – Create an amazing gadget to take home.	4-11yrs
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> August	10.30am – 12noon	<b>Techmakers</b> – Come and play with our Digital Kit - Makey Makeys, Micro:Bits, Raspberry Pi and more!	7-11yrs
SETTLE COMMUNITY LIBRARY			TEL: 01609 534535
Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	10.30am – 12.30pm	<b>Lego Launch</b> - Sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge and make something amazing out of Lego.	4-11yrs
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> August	11am	<b>Stories of the Stars</b> - Join Hoglets Theatre for an adventure through the night sky with puppets, original music and, interactive storytelling. <b>BOOKING REQUIRED £2 for adults.</b>	4-11yrs
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> August	10.30am – 12noon	<b>Junk Modelling</b> – Create an amazing gadget to take home.	4-11yrs
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> August	10.30am – 12noon	<b>Techmakers</b> – Come and play with our Digital Kit - Makey Makeys, Micro:Bits, Raspberry Pi and more!	7-11yrs
SKIPTON LIBRARY			TEL: 01609 534548
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	10am – 1pm	<b>Launch event</b> - Come along to the library to sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge with Gadgeteer craft activity.	4-11yrs
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> August	10am-12noon	<b>The Detective Project</b> - Hands-on activities to learn about crime scene investigation techniques including fingerprinting and DNA. <b>BOOKING REQUIRED £3 per child.</b>	7-11yrs
Every Weds in school holidays	1pm – 4pm	<b>Gadgeteers Craft Session</b> – join us each week for a different craft activity	4-11yrs
SUPERMOBILE – SIGN UP TO GADGETEERS AND JOIN THE FUN!			
Sign-up to SRC 2022 on Supermobile – our own library gadget! For the dates and times of Supermobile library visits to Cowling, Buckden and Kettlewell in July and August visit: <a href="http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/supermobile-library">www.northyorks.gov.uk/supermobile-library</a>			
All sessions are FREE unless stated otherwise.		<a href="http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/libraries">www.northyorks.gov.uk/libraries</a>	

## Contact Details

Please could you ensure that you let school know of any changes to the contact details for you and any emergency contacts we have for your child.

## School Uniform

Please could we remind parents that children should only be wearing trainers on days when their class has PE.

We will be holding a school uniform sale / exchange towards the end of term so if you have any old (clean) uniform you wish to pass on please bring it into school in the next week or two.



## Around school this week



Many of our Year 3 and 4 pupils attended the North Yorkshire Schools Jubilee Celebration Concert in Harrogate last week where they had the fantastic experience of performing in a large venue with a wide range of musicians, including the band of the Grenadier Guards.



Zac and Daisie-Mae both competed in the Black Rat Cricket Tournament last weekend. Daisie's team came 3rd out of 31 teams and Zak's won! Well done to both of them.



Teeswater class have been learning to code in Computing classes this week.

Cotswold class have been making up their own riddles for the Young Writers Little Riddler's writing competition.

