



Together We LEARN (Learning, Enjoyment, Achievement, Respect, No Negativity)

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER— 26th March 2021

Kettlesing's Got Talent

The children all did an amazing job last week, showing off their talents for Red Nose Day. It was incredible to see so much confidence from our performers. It always seems very strange at these events, not being able to invite our parents along to cheer the children on, but you will be able to watch all of the acts on SeeSaw. You may even see a guest appearance from the very talented Teachers Rock! We hope you enjoy it.

Nursery Request

The Nursery children have started putting together a potting shed in the outside area and Mrs Bowman has asked for any kind donations of compost, empty plants pots and sunflower seeds. If you are able to help, please drop any donations at the front of school. Thank you.

A Special Visitor!

There was great excitement this afternoon as we had a very special visitor at school. Sadly we didn't get to meet him. Miss Lowde noticed a furry tail disappear into the field, so of course we needed to take the children across to investigate and to our delight we'd had a special delivery from the Easter Bunny. What a lovely way to end the week.

School of the Week!

From Monday 12th through to Friday 16th of April we will be appearing on Nick Hancock's 'Your Harrogate' breakfast show as their School of the Week. There will be a recording from some of the staff and children so please tune in if you can. This will go live at 7.35am each morning.

Good Work Certificates go to...

Will, Ellie and Freya F, Rosie, Max and Oscar.

ATTENDANCE

	Snowy Owls	Kestrels	Red Kites
Week	100%	98.18%	96.88%
Year	99.19%	99.39%	98.75%

Each week we publish the attendance from September for each class. Our aspirational target for each class is 97%. Congratulations Snowy's!

DATES FOR THE DIARY

DATE	EVENT
26.03.2021	School Closes for Easter
12.04.2021	Training Day—Sch closed
12-16.04.2021	School of the Week
13.04.2021	School re-opens

Stars of the Week

Athena

For her enthusiasm and positivity in school.

Lily T

For always being helpful and responsible.

Jake

For being a super ambassador for school.



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This has been an extremely challenging term once again, in so many ways with parents playing a huge part in their children's home learning and the challenges that this brought with it, so we would just like to thank you all for the hard work, support and the resilience that you have all shown in these last few months.

We appreciate that most of you have once again had to juggle work and schooling, and we are so proud of the great job that you have all done.

We have all had to play a part and work together and it has been incredible to have at least a few weeks of normality with all of our children back in school, with their friends once again.

We would also like to thank our amazing staff, who have all worked tirelessly to ensure that our school is the amazing place that it has always been.

There has been much to learn for our teachers, getting to grips with remote learning as a pose to face to face, but they have all done an incredible job.

Thank you also to all of our support staff, who really kept school running for all those Key Worker children. They also worked incredibly hard behind the scenes and we just feel so lucky and so proud of the amazing team that we have here at Kettlesing.

We would like to wish you all a lovely Easter and we look forward to seeing you all again next term.





KETTLESING FELLISCLIFFE
COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Safeguarding—On-Line Workshops for Parents

Marie Collins Foundation are pleased to announce a series of online workshops aimed at parents and carers to help them understand online harm and how they can better support their children - [a flyer is attached containing registration links](#).

These sessions are in addition to our normal training for professionals and are aimed specifically at parents.

The flyer is also attached to this newsletter on Scholarpack.



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Merlins Wraparound Care—Change to Pricing

With the Governors working hard to offer wrap around care at Ripley following the closure of Smarties Day Nursery, they have reviewed and aligned the terms and conditions and pricing structure across our Federation.

From Tuesday 13th April, Morning Merlins will now require a booking form to be completed and sent to the school office. The price will remain at £4.00 per child, but with no sibling discount, from 8am and will include a nutritious breakfast and drink.

Moving forward, Evening Merlins will offer a structured variety of activities each evening. These will be:

Monday: Pizza Night

Tuesday: Craft Night

Wednesday: Picnic Night

Thursday: Games Night

Friday: Film Night

Evening Merlins pricing structure will also change. It will become a flat fee of £11.50 per child from 3:30pm-5:30pm. An additional £1 fee will be charged for late bookings. High tea will be available with water or milk at 4:30pm.

Please find attached the new terms and conditions with booking forms for the Summer term.

We are really hoping to inspire our children and give them the opportunity for some socialising for outside school, as this is important for their mental health and wellbeing.

Our wrap around care provision has really suffered during the Covid pandemic and is in danger of closing if we cannot improve numbers. Please support Treetops where you can so we can continue to offer such a vital service, especially when people will be returning to the workplace.