

# Low Ash Primary School, Wrose Road, Wrose, Shipley BD18 1AA Tel: 01274 582927 Email: office@lowash.bradford.sch.uk

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We come to the end of the penultimate full week of term and it has been, yet again, a busy one!

Year 6 went on their residential to Peat Rigg this week and have returned exhausted but happy! For those of you with children in Year 6 who went on the trip, you may have a quieter weekend than normal in store. At the other end of school our new Reception starters came in to enjoy a school lunch – some of them eating in a school dinner hall for the very first time!

## **Healthy Schools Week**

Next week is our annual Healthy Schools week where children will have the opportunity to take part in a range of activities linked to both physical and mental health. We also have a number of volunteers visiting school who have careers linked to health. Thank you to those who are helping us with this. Throughout the week each year group will also take part in their sports days. We are asking children to come to school each day next week either in their school PE kit/sports kit or in their school PE shorts/ tracksuit bottoms wearing a t shirt which represents their house colour. Please do not feel you have to find or buy a coloured t-shirt this weekend – the normal school PE kit with a white t- shirt is absolutely fine!

Currently the weather forecast is looking 'variable' for next week, so please ensure you send your child with a waterproof jacket but also a sun hat and wearing sun cream. They will then be prepared for any eventuality!

#### **Year 6 SATS results**

Our Year 6 children worked incredibly hard for their end of KS2 SATS tests which too place in May and will receive their results on Tuesday. They will also be sent home with their reports on the same day. School received all results this week and, as a year group, Year 6 have performed incredibly well. The results which Low Ash has achieved are significantly better than the national average figures. Well done to Year 6! We are very proud of all of the pupils.

### Paint needed

If anyone has any spare gloss paint – of any colour – we would love to receive donations. Over the summer, the site manager is going to be building more equipment (using pallets) for our Opal play provision. Any donations of paint would be useful for this.

## **Tesco Community Grant**

A reminder to pop into the following Tesco branches to put one of their blue tokens in the box to vote for Low Ash. Bradford Sunbridge Rd BD1 2AY, Bradford Peel Centre BD1 4RB, Crossflatts Bingley BD16 2DY, Baildon Otley Rd BD17 7HE, Northcliffe Shipley BD18 3HH.

As you know, we have been shortlisted to receive a cash reward from the Tesco Community Grants Initiative, which sees grants of £500 up to £1,500 awarded to local community projects. The initiative will run until September so there's plenty of time to cast your vote(s). Please also encourage your friends, family and neighbours to vote for us!

Important Dates for your diary - there's a lot going on!

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July Healthy Schools Week begins

Dress rehearsal for Y5/6 show

Year 4 parent and carer OPAL stay and play session







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Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July Healthy Schools Week

Year 5/6 Sports Day 9.15-10.45 Rocksteady band performance pm

Teddy Bears' Picnic for new reception children 3.45

Year 5/6 Show 6.00-7.00

Children's school reports sent home

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July Healthy Schools Week

Reception Sports Day 9.00-10.00 Year 5/6 Show 9.30-11.00

Nursery (morning) Sports Day 10.45-11.25 Nursery (afternoon) Sports Day 1.00-1.40

Year 5/6 Show 1.30-3.00 Year 3/4 Sports Day 1.45-3.15

Reception Handwashing session 1.00-2.00

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July Healthy Schools Week

Year 1/2 Sports Day 9.15-10.45

Performing Arts group performance 3.45-4.15

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July Healthy Schools Week ends

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July Year 6 Leavers' Assembly 2.30-3.15

School breaks up for the summer holiday

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September School re-opens for children

As we stated last week, as you can see from the above, we have an extremely busy but hopefully enjoyable week and 2 days in front of us.

Thank you all for your support this week. Have a lovely weekend and we will see you next week.

Beth Medhurst and Fiona Meer Co-Headteachers













