



NEWSLETTER

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News from the Classes

In *KS1* this week we tried to experience having a “square meal,” just like on board the Endeavour. We had square plates, hard biscuits (which we had made ourselves), soup and sauerkraut. Some of us pulled strange faces as we tasted it but others loved it (see display in classroom!)

On the last week of term Miss Wilson is bringing in an incubator containing eggs to hatch. If your child has any allergies, fears or phobias or you have any concerns about this please speak to us next week.

School trips where you get to make and eat chocolate couldn't be better! *KS2's* day at York's Chocolate Story on Tuesday was certainly chocolate filled, not only with making, but full of Science and History. Mrs Grace was impressed with how the children represented the school brilliantly, were well behaved and very polite. We are proud to be part of Castleton.

Years 5 & 6 worked very hard (70 minutes non-stop!) at the Hockey Tournament at Caedmon on Wednesday afternoon. They came fifth out of eight and were all very polite and well mannered. Thank you to Mrs Medcalf for all her work with the sport activities.



Red Nose Day

What a lovely sea of red today with the children (and staff) in their red clothes and many thanks for all the wonderful cakes that have been brought in for the cake stall at end of school to raise money for this worthwhile cause! Thank you again to Helen Medcalf for helping out with this and for organising a “fun” football club tonight.

Special Educational Needs Policy

We are currently consulting on our draft Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Policy. You can find this policy in draft form on our school website. Alternatively, you can request a paper copy from the school office. If you would like to comment on this policy please do so in writing by 12th May as this is when this policy will be formally adopted by the Governing Body.

Sewing Club

Mrs Wilson has asked us to remind you that the girls will need their A4 ring binders at Sewing Club next Tuesday and that the finish time is now 4.30pm.

PTFA Coffee Morning, Saturday, 21st March

Clare Peacock would be very grateful for volunteers to help and for donations of cakes, savouries and raffle prizes (to be brought in on Friday, 20th March) for the Coffee Morning at the Village Hall on Saturday, 21st March, 10am to 12 noon. She will be putting a list up in the foyer for you to indicate what help you can give.

Next Week

Assessment Week

Sunday	Mothering Sunday Service, Castleton Church, 10.30am
Monday	Swimming
Tuesday	Year 6 Booster Class Sewing Club (finish 4.30pm)
Wednesday	Years 3 & 4 Multiskills, Eskdale, return around 3.45pm Years 5 & 6 Careers Afternoon at Prior Pursglove, return around 3.30pm NO Netball Club
Friday	Football Club
Saturday	PTFA Coffee Morning, Village Hall, 10am to 12 noon