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HEADTEACHER NEWS

A short half term but very enjoyable. Here is a round up for this week.

INTERNET SAFETY WEEK: This week we have been celebrating Internet Safety Week. We began the week with an assembly where we heard about a familiar tale with a twist, 'Old Macdonald had a Phone', where the farm came to a standstill when the animals all got a smartphone and stopped doing the jobs they needed to on the farm. Eventually, they agreed on some rules for a healthy balance of doing their jobs and using their phones but definitely not at tea time.

Each class have had daily activities not only about online safety rules but also focusing on looking after our minds and body by making sure we have a healthy balance of technology and other activities in our lives. There have been some fantastic discussions and great learning. Well done everyone.



OUR CHRISTIAN VALUE OF PRAYERFULNESS: This half term's Christian value has been prayerfulness. In Yesterday's collective worship, each class presented their answers to a question they had been considering all term. These answers were added to our wonderful hall display alongside the photos of the places the children feel calm and at peace. Thank you for sending in the photos.

PTA VALENTINE DISCO: When other schools were closing early due to the blizzards, the PTA held our annual disco. There were games, dancing competitions, face glitter, hot dogs and party foam. Many thanks to PTA for organising and the volunteer parents who helped on the night. It was a lovely way to end the term.

GIRLS AND BOYS FOOTBALL: On Monday, our boys had a tough match against Otley St. Josephs, who played with energy and skill. At half-time we were 4-2 down, but our ASJ boys were determined to win. The final score was 6-4 to us. Well done boys!

On Wednesday, the girls played two league matches against Sacred Heart and Holy Family. We lost our match against Sacred Heart 4-1, but won our match against Holy Family with an incredible 15-1. Well done girls for playing with such passion.

PARENT CONSULTATION EVENINGS: On **Wednesday 6th and Thursday 7th March** we will be hosting our spring term parents' evenings. Our online booking system will go live on **Monday 26th February at 7pm**. Any parents/carers with children on the SEN register, you will be contacted individually to book a 20-minute appointment with your child's class teacher. This will happen before Friday 1st March. Please look out for your child's support plan and parent questionnaire, which will be emailed out the first week back after half term.

RECEPTION PARENTS: Please look out for a letter about changes to staffing in Reception or follow this link: <https://www.adel-st-john.leeds.sch.uk/parent-letters/parent-letters-1>.

UPCOMING DATES

TERM ENDS

Friday 9th February at 3:15pm

NEXT TERM STARTS

Monday 19th February at
8:50am

SAVE THE DATE

SPRING TERM PARENTS' EVENINGS

Wednesday 6th and Thursday 7th
March 2024

Booking system goes live on
Monday 26th Feb at 7pm

OPEN CLASSROOMS

Reception

Tuesday 20th Feb at 9:00am

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Year 2

Wednesday 21st Feb at 9:00am

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Year 3

Thursday 22nd Feb at 9:00am

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Year 5

Friday 23rd Feb at 9:00am

Dear God,

Amen





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Congratulations to our Well Done and Gold Award Children



FOUNTAINS ABBEY ARE THIS HALF
TERM'S HOUSE POINT WINNERS.
WELL DONE FOUNTAINS ABBEY

House Points

House Team Names	This Week's Total	This half term's total
Bolton Abbey	1,429	4,898
Fountains Abbey	1,329	5,959
Rievaulx Abbey	1,191	5,921
Kirkstall Abbey	1,192	5,702





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DATES FOR THE DIARY (new dates added in red)

19 Feb 24	Spring Term 2 Starts. OOSC opens at 7:30am. Year 2 Walk around Adel Y5&6 Boys football v St. Peter's at ASJ
20 Feb 24	Reception Open Classroom at 9:00am
21 Feb 24	Year 2 Open Classroom at 9:00am
22 Feb 24	Year 3 Open Classroom at 9:00am
23 Feb 24	Year 5 Open Classroom at 9:00am
26 Feb 24	Y3 Trip to Herd Farm
27 Feb 24	Change of date from 19th Mar: Relationships and Health Education Parental Meeting at 9:00am Y5/6 Boys football v Weetwood at ASJ
29 Feb 24	KS2 Choir trip to Leeds grand Theatre
6 Mar 24	Parents' Evening
7 Mar 24	World Book Day - dress as a word Parents' Evening
12 Mar 24	Year 6 Basketball Festival
20 Mar 24	T4 Trip to Royal Armouries
21 Mar 24	Science Day - whole school celebration of the wonder of science
27 Mar 24	Please note, change of date from 26 March 2024 to the 27 March 2024. Year 3 and 4 Easter Production: 2:00pm and 6:00pm

Easter HOLIDAY CLUB

AT ADEL ST JOHN THE BAPTIST C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEK 1 TUESDAY 2ND - THURSDAY 4TH APRIL 2024
WEEK 2 MONDAY 11TH - THURSDAY 14TH APRIL 2024

FUN-FILLED DAYS FULL OF CRAFTS, GAMES, BAKING AND OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

8am - 5:30pm
Breakfast and a light afternoon snack provided
£28 per day

Please provide your child with:

- Packed lunch
- Water Bottle
- Suitable clothing depending on the weather

To book your child's place please complete a booking form which can be found on our school website in the OOSC section or via the school newsletter

Our Holiday Club is ONLY for children who attend Adel St John the Baptist C of E Primary School

LIVE AT CARRIAGEWORKS THEATRE

STEVE BATE MBE • AS SHE LIKES IT
CLAYTIME • WILD VISIONS, UNTAMED MYTH
BANFF MOUNTAIN FILM FESTIVAL
AN EVENING WITH AGGERS • THE THREE BEARS
CHARLIE COOK'S FAVOURITE BOOK
And much more!

Leeds Ticket Hub 0113 376 0318
carriageworkstheatre.co.uk

LEEDS ARTS EVENTS & VENUES

EVERY DAY COUNTS

School and future **success** starts with good **attendance**!

DAILY LATENESS EQUATES TO...

3 DAYS LOST 15 hours lost to learning	6 DAYS LOST 30 hours lost to learning	10 DAYS LOST 50 hours lost to learning
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REMEMBER Your education is important - don't miss out!

100% Your attendance is excellent!	OUR TARGET FOR ALL STUDENTS
97% Well done!	6 DAYS ABSENCE 30 hours lost to learning You're on the right path for success, keep it up!
95% We're concerned	10 DAYS ABSENCE 50 hours lost to learning A poor attendance gives your less chance of success.
90% Seriously worried	19 DAYS ABSENCE 95 hours lost to learning Very poor attendance has a serious impact on your education and may reduce your life choices.



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TRY SYNCHRONISED SWIMMING @ FEARNVILLE LEISURE CENTRE

Wednesday 14th February
10.00-10.45

Do you have a child interested in performing in the water? Would they like to try learning a new skill set with other like minded children? Come along and give Synchronised Swimming a try for just 50p!

Children must be able to swim 50m unaided or be at Stage 5
All children must be able to swim Breaststroke

Bookings now being taken, book online or call 0113 3760398 to book your child's place

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SCAN ME
TO BOOK ONLINE



JUMP IN THIS FEBRUARY HALF TERM

Join us for an afternoon of fun on our infatables! Suitable for children 2-12yrs
(bouncy castle 2-5yrs, terminator 6-12yrs & maze 2-12yrs)

TUESDAY 13 FEBRUARY
09.30-10.30 & 11.00-12.00

PROMOTIONAL PRICE £3.00pp

A parent/guardian must be with children under 8yrs at all times
BOOK YOUR PLACE NOW BY CALLING IN TO THE CENTRE OR EMAIL PUDSEY.LC@LEEDS.GOV.UK

DIVE IN AQUATICS CENTRE, JOHN CHARLES

LEARN TO DIVE CAMP: BEGINNERS & IMPROVERS

Dates Available: 12 February & 15 February

Time: 09.00-14.00

Cost £32.00 standard or £23.00 Leeds card Extra (per day)

Children must be able to swim 50 metres or at Stage 5 and be confident in deep water

Those attending the full day camp will enjoy a morning of dryland & pool activity, quick pit stop for lunch (remember a pack up) and same again in the afternoon. Children under 8 must have an adult in the building for the duration

Bookings now been taken, please call 0113 3760398 to book your child's place

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FEBRUARY HALF TERM GYMNASTICS SESSIONS @ Kippax Leisure Centre

GYMNASTICS CAMP 6-15yrs: 15 February 10.00-12.00

GYMNASTICS CAMP Invite Only: 15 February 10.00-12.00

GYMNASTICS LESSON 4-5yrs: 15 February 12.00-13.00

Price:

1 Hour £6.50 Standard / £5.00 Leeds card Extra

2 Hours £11.00 Standard / £7.50 Leeds card Extra

*Children under 8 must have an adult in the building for the duration

To book please call the centre on 0113 3781276 or email kippax.lc@leeds.gov.uk

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