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PUPILS OF THE WEEK



HEAD TEACHER'S AWARD



Sebastian—Y4 —Well Done!

WOW WORK OF THE WEEK



Attendance Winners



Last Week's Attendance Winners

Whole School— 92.2%

Winners—Year 4—99.4%

House Points Winners **SAVILE** = 507 Points

Well done!



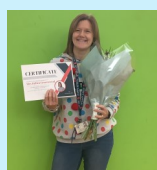
Children in Need

Thank you for all of your support on our Spotty day last week to raise funds for Children in Need. Everyone had a great day! We raised £83.35 which will be sent to the BBC Children In Need's 2022 Appeal.

Thank you!



Mrs Greenwood



Last week we celebrated Mrs Greenwood's career at Elland School—she has worked here for 25 years!

In our Celebration Assembly, Miss Hartley gave a speech and she was presented with a certificate and a bouquet of flowers in honour of her amazing service!



Father David has asked us to mention the St Mary's Church Festive Coffee Morning, which is being held on Saturday 3rd December.

All welcome.

Christmas Dinner



Roast Turkey or Vegetarian
Toad in the Hole

Mini Sausages wrapped in
Bacon / Stuffing / Roast &
Mashed Potato / Peas / Car-

Our Christmas Dinner this year is on Wednesday 14th December 2022. You can choose your options via SchoolPing.














Please could you complete your **order by Friday 2nd December**, even if your child normally has school dinners, so that the Cook has the correct numbers for ordering. All nursery children are welcome to stay for Christmas lunch. Collection time will be 12 noon instead of 11:30am.

Children in Years 3 to 6 will be charged £1.90 (unless on Free School Meals). Please pay via ParentPay. Thanks

Church Links

This week in Collective Worship Father David spoke to the children about Friendship.



<h3>Year 4</h3> <p>We have been looking at mummification in our Ancient Egyptian topic. We dressed Henry up using tissue paper but don't worry, we didn't pluck his brains out through his nose using the hook that they used to do in the process.</p> 	<h3>Chewing Gum</h3> <p>We have had a number of cases of children chewing gum in school this week.</p> <p>This is a polite reminder that chewing gum is not allowed in school. Please could you ensure that your child/ren do not bring it. Thanks</p>		
<h3>Year 5</h3> <p>Year 5 have blown me away with their reading so far this year! Since the start of September, they have read an incredible 4,946,929 words. I am so proud of each and every child that has contributed to that total in the past 9 weeks.</p> 	<h3>Christingle</h3> <p>The Christingle Service for the Children's Society takes place at 4pm on Christmas Eve in St Mary's. Each class now has a Collecting Candle, please do consider sending a little change to help fill the Candle in the next couple of weeks.</p> <p>Thank you as ever, Fr David</p> 		
<h3>Year 6</h3> <p>Year 6 have been looking at circuits in science, they have been learning the scientific symbols for the different components and what is needed to light a bulb in a circuit. The children were given tin foil, a battery and a bulb and as a group asked to create a circuit with the bulb lit. they all worked well together to create these and one group even went on to light two bulbs in their circuit!</p>      			
<h3>Other Events</h3> <div data-bbox="71 1115 354 1496">  <p>Starting School September 2023</p> <p>How to apply for a school place</p> <p>Children born between 1 September 2018 and 31 August 2019 are due to start primary school in September 2023.</p> <p>To apply for a school place you must apply online by 15 January 2023 or www.calderdale.gov.uk/admissions</p> <p>For advice and guidance regarding the application process please contact 01422 395057, option 1, and a Customer First Advisor will be able to assist you.</p> <p>If you would like a leaflet about applying for a primary school place please contact your preferred school and register your child's name. The leaflet will then be distributed by the primary school at the end of November 2022.</p> <p>Information relating to Admission to Primary School 2023, including oversubscription criteria, is available at www.calderdale.gov.uk/admissions</p> <p>The application process opens on 18 November 2022 and the close date is 15 January 2023</p> <p>Offers of school places will be made on 17 April 2023.</p> <p>Calderdale Council</p> </div> <div data-bbox="391 1115 673 1496">  <p>Calderdale Adult Learning</p> <p>Courses at Elland School</p> <p>Contact Michelle Hoyle 01422 373159</p> <p>Maths Class Thursday</p> <p>09:30-12:00</p> <p>Places still available - everyone welcome!</p> <p>Courses at Cross Lane School</p> <p>Contact Nicola Dumbreck 01422 372614</p> <p>IT for Beginners</p> <p>Tuesday 3rd Jan - 7th Feb</p> <p>09:30 - 11:30</p> </div> <div data-bbox="726 1115 1524 1496"> <p>The CALDER VALLEY BRICK SHOW is taking place at the end of January in Mytholmroyd and once again raising some funds for the amazing Forget-Me-Not Children's Hospice.</p> <p>This event is a family-friendly showcase of LEGO brick models brought together from across the UK.</p> <p>We will be offering children the chance to be creative with the LEGO bricks that they have at home to build a small (approx A4 size) model and then display in a special area of the event.</p> <p>All participants receive a certificate recognising their imagination and a special LEGO brick as a keepsake.</p>  </div>			
<h3>Health Update</h3> <p>If your child has symptoms of COVID-19, please keep your child at home and contact school to advise us of any absence.</p> <p>NHS latest advice:</p> <p>If a child or young person aged 18 or under tests positive for COVID-19, they should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 3 days. This starts from the day after they did the test. Children and young people tend to be infectious to others for less time than adults. If they're well and do not have a temperature after 3 days, they can return to school.</p> <p>For further advice: https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation-and-treatment/when-to-self-isolate-and-what-to-do/</p>			
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