



Pudsey Waterloo
Primary School

10th May 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

It is lovely to see the weather finally warming up and some of the learning moving outside into the sunshine this week. Please remember to send your child into school with a water bottle, sun hat and sunscreen (for the very warm weather) so they can enjoy their time outside safely.

Adventure Week- 'Try Something New'

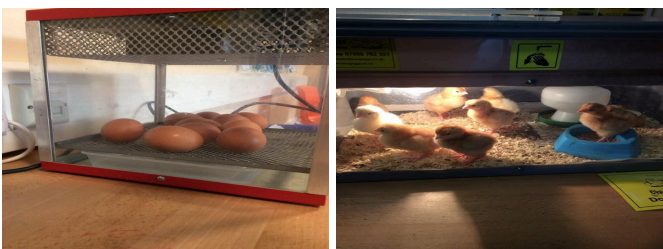
The week beginning 20th May will be Pudsey Waterloo's Adventure theme week. You will soon be receiving letters about some of the exciting activities we have planned for each year group. Please make sure you return any consent forms promptly to ensure your child can take part in their activities.

As part of our Adventure Week, we will be encouraging children to 'Try Something New' over the half-term holiday. On Monday, children will come home with a sticker with 'Next week I am going to try...' on it. We would like all children to fill out their sticker for Friday 24th May. They might choose to write about a new food they would like to try, or perhaps a new hobby such as roller skating. Children will then come to school wearing their sticker on Friday. Their sticker will act as a prompt to encourage conversations with their friends about what their 'Something New' activity is going to be.

During this week your child may also come home wearing a sticker that reads 'Ask me what I did today'. We hope these will act as a prompt to spark conversations with your child about their Adventure Week activities. They can share with you what they enjoyed and how they felt when they were taking part.

Reception special delivery

On Tuesday Reception had a special delivery of some chicken eggs. We didn't have to wait long before they started to hatch! We have been learning about the life cycle of a chicken and will continue to learn how to care and look after the chicks. We now have nine cute fluffy chicks and will hopefully be able to have a cuddle with them soon.



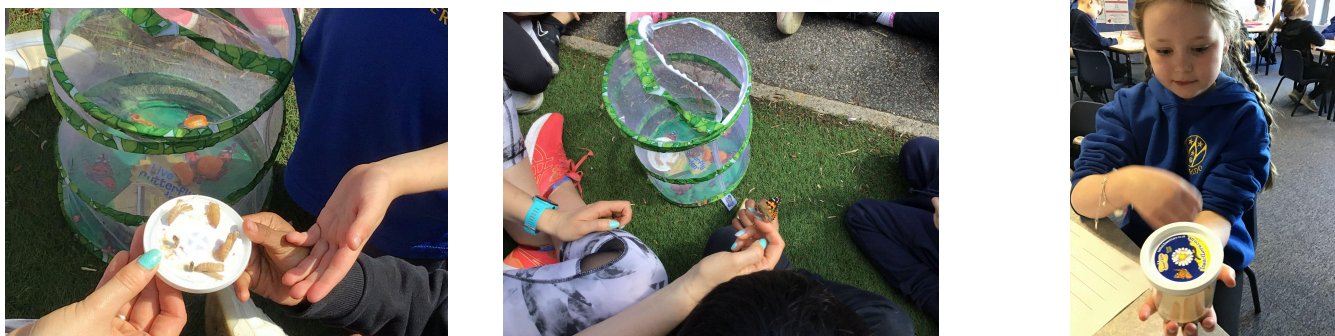
Year 1 Yorkshire Wildlife Park

Year 1 had an amazing trip to Yorkshire Wildlife Park last week. The children had a fantastic time seeing the different animals up close. As part of the visit, we had an educational classroom session where children found out more about the animals in the park and then were able to hold some smaller creatures. All of the staff in Year 1 are extremely proud of the children as they represented the school brilliantly!



Year 2 Butterflies

At the start of summer one, the year two children received a parcel with two tubs of caterpillars! Over the last 4 weeks the children have made some great observations about the changes that our new pets have gone through as they turned into butterflies. The children were amazed when they emerged from the chrysalis and enjoyed setting them free into the wild!



Dance Spectacular

A group of KS2 children have worked really hard over the last few weeks practising a dance routine choreographed by Leeds Rhinos Foundation. On Friday 3rd May the children went to Headingley Stadium to perform the routine in front of a very large crowd. The children performed brilliantly and did it with huge smiles on their faces. Miss Olbison and Mrs Walker, who also attended with the children, were very proud of how amazing they were and how well they represented the school.

Pudsey Carnival

We will be taking part in the **Pudsey Carnival on Saturday 18th May**. We are entering a walking float, so all the children and parents are invited to take part. The theme of the carnival is musicals and we have selected the musical 'Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat'. The children and staff are currently working hard over the past four weeks to make the props for us all to carry. We will be meeting at school at **11.45am**, ready to leave for the parade at 12:00pm and return back to school at around 1:00pm. We would like the children and parents taking part to wear bright coloured clothing if they can and don't forget you can enter in the school decorative t-shirt competition. All hat entries need to be in school by Thursday 16th May to be judged. We look forward to seeing you on Saturday 18th May!

Leeds Marathon 2024

Miss Bowes is running the Leeds Marathon in aid of the charity Leeds Mind. She has been training for this since January and if you would like to sponsor her please follow the just giving page from the picture/link below to give her some support in the last few weeks of her training. The big day is this **Sunday 12th May**.



https://www.justgiving.com/page/natalie-bowes-1711054797037?utm_medium=fundraising&utm_content=page%2Fnatalie-bowes-1711054797037&utm_source=copyLink&utm_campaign=pfp-share

Social Media Accounts

Remember to subscribe to the Pudsey Waterloo Twitter feed and Instagram account to get more regular updates on everything happening in school.

<https://twitter.com/PudseyWaterloo>

<https://www.instagram.com/pudseywaterloo/>



Bags2School

We have a 'bags2school' collection booked for Tuesday 4th June. Please drop any bags, clothes, shoes and accessories of good quality outside of the school office by 9am. Thank you!

School Grid

We have now successfully launched the new School Grid Meal ordering system in school. If you have not already signed up and started ordering your children's meals please do so as soon as possible or to ensure your child gets their choice of meal. If there are any issues logging in, please call the office.

If your child has special dietary requirements or allergies you must make sure you add them to the new system so our kitchen is aware if you are planning on changing them to school meals.

Over the next few weeks all debts and credits will be swapped from Schoolmoney to School Grid so please bear with us and everything should fall into place when the transfer is complete.

We still need you to give us two weeks' notice if you wish to change between dinners and packed lunches but if there is an emergency and you need your child to have a one-off school meal you will need to log in to School Grid and pay when you order the meal.

Wobble and Toddle

Pop in for a cuppa and a chat whilst the children can have a little play and do some craft activities. Please see the dates below. There is no need to book - just turn up on the day. Anyone is welcome along with their little one from newborn up to school age.

- £2 entry includes tea, toast and activities for the tots.

The Wobble and Toddle Sessions for the rest of the term:

3rd June

17th June

1st July

15th July

Key School Dates

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| KS2 SATs Week | Monday 13th May – Thursday 16th May |
| Adventure Week | Week Beginning 20th May |
| 5IM Class Assembly | Wednesday 12th June at 9:05am |
| 5BT Class Assembly | Wednesday 19th June at 9:05am |
| 2DW Class Assembly | Wednesday 26th June at 9:05am |
| 1JB Class Assembly | Wednesday 3rd July at 9:05am |

Learners of the week

The following children have received a good worker award. Well done to....

| | Friday 3rd May | Friday 10th May |
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| Nursery | Peyton Campbell | Georgie Wormald |
| Reception | RJO - Albie Spencer RBM - Zaina Donacio | RJO - Savannah-Rae Grayson RBM - Rory Burke |
| Year 1 | 1JM - All of year 1 1JB - Skyla Musgrave | 1JM - Zulekha Jan Qayim 1JB - Ellie Taylor |
| Year 2 | 2NB - Lilly-Rose Roden 2DW - Sadie Norfolk | 2NB - Arthur Williams 2DW - Winnie Eden |
| Year 3 | 3FD- Kayden Sykes 3PW- Savannah Eastwood | 3FD - Heidi Steel 3PW- Curtis Galloway |
| Year 4 | 4RH - Caelan Townend 4KL - Hugo Lavin | 4RH - Leo Wilkie 4KL - Piano Mohammed |
| Year 5 | 5IM - Oscar Lokuciejewski 5BT - Indie Oldroyd | 5IM - Summer Smith 5BT - Anya Bateson |
| Year 6 | 6NW - Rhian Townend 6SW - Dexter Petty | 6NW - Daliya Amini 6SW - Georgia-Rose Howell |

Important Reminder to all parents;

Please **DO NOT** send any products containing nuts into school, either in your child's lunch box or as a breaktime snack. This includes any **chocolate flavoured foods which contain nuts**. We have a number of children in school who have severe allergies. Thank you for your help with this.

School Attendance

Our whole school attendance this week is: 93.9%

Training Days for This Academic Year

- Monday July 22nd 2024
- Tuesday July 23rd 2024

Holiday Requests in Term Time

All holiday requests must be submitted to Mr White prior to going away on an '**Exceptional Circumstances Request Form**' which can be collected from the school office or printed from Leeds City Council's website. Leave of absence will not be granted in term time unless there are reasons considered to be exceptional by the Headteacher. Across Owlcotes Trust we interpret exceptional to mean "very unusual, significant, unavoidable and short". By 'unavoidable' we mean an event that could not reasonably be scheduled at another time. Unauthorised absences of 5 days and above have to be reported to Leeds City Council and fines may be issued. Please see the link below for more details:<https://www.leeds.gov.uk/schools-and-education/>

Absences

If your child is absent then you need to call school before 9am, if possible, and inform us of the reason for their absence so we can code the absence on our registers. Any un-reported absences are recorded as unauthorised so please make sure you keep us informed.

If your child has a medical appointment, please notify the office beforehand. If possible, bring in a letter or text so we can code the absence correctly.

If you need your child to take time off during term time then you need to fill out an Exceptional Leave form which you can collect and return to the office before you take them out of school. This will be submitted to the Head Teacher.

School Dinners

If you would like your child to swap between school meals and packed lunches then please remember you need to give us two weeks' notice in writing to the office before you change, so our kitchen can amend their orders. Please note all children must stick to their choice all week as the kitchen needs to order meals in advance.

School Uniform

All school PE kits can be purchased through the company 'Sports Bulk'. Their contact details are: phone 01274 724455 or www.sportsbulk.co.uk or alternatively school uniform from Whittakers Schoolwear shop based on Farsley Town Street.



THE MEN'S & WOMEN'S CHALLENGE CUP FINALS

WEMBLEY STADIUM
SAT 08 JUN 2024



CHAMPION SCHOOLS OFFER

GET U16s TICKETS FOR ONLY £5
WITH ONE FREE ADULT TICKET FOR EVERY 10 U16s
ADDITIONAL ADULT TICKETS CAN ALSO BE PURCHASED



CONTACT SHAUN

ON 0844 856 1115 OR AT SHAUN.TENNANT@RLCOMMERCIAL.CO.UK

**Pudsey Community Project
Youth & Children's Work**



Games Cafe

Monday

With board/card games and tack shop
£1 entry

6-7pm for school years 4-6
7.15-8.30pm for school years 7-11

Tuesday

Cooking sessions for school years 7-11
6-7.30pm - £1 per session
A 6-week course running each half term
to learn basic cooking skills
Limited places so booking is essential, contact
naomie@pudseycommunity.org.uk



Cooking Sessions



Youth Club

Thursday

With esoccer, air hockey, table tennis,
wi, xbox and tack shop
£1 entry

6-7pm for school years 4-6
7.15-8.30pm for school years 7-11



**NEARLY NEW
KIDS' CLOTHES**

Newborn-12yrs Clothes
School Uniform (all ages)
Coats
Shoes
Summer & Winter Clothing

Pudsey Community Project
Carlisle Road/Fartown
Pudsey
LS28 8LP



For current opening times, please
see our Facebook page or website.

Search Facebook for 'Reduce
Reuse Kids Clothes' or check
www.pudseycommunity.org.uk



Pudsey Community Project, Fartown, LS28 8LP
For more information, or to register your child in advance,
please contact naomie@pudseycommunity.org.uk

All clothes are free -
donations welcome!



Our foodbank provides up to four weeks of emergency food support which can be delivered or collected in person. We will also signpost to other relevant support. We operate six days a week and can usually respond within 24 hours. We take referrals from agencies and self referrals. If you are in need of help, or would like to refer someone else, please call us on 07553504540 or fill in our referral form at pudseycommunity.org.uk/refer

We cover Pudsey and Calverley & Farsley council wards (Pudsey, Swinnow, Calverley, Farsley, Rodley, Tyersal & Woodhall).

We aim to move people on from emergency food parcels to our community pantry, which provides longer term support.


EVERY WEDNESDAY
AT PUDSEY COMMUNITY PROJECT

PUDSEY SENIORS' LUNCH CLUB

We are delighted to be able to offer an opportunity for people to make connections, meet new people, and gather socially.

We serve a two course freshly prepared meal and tea/coffee for £4

**Every Wednesday
12pm - 1.30pm**



PUDSEY COMMUNITY PROJECT
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07818923884



Who are we?

Pudsey Community Project exists to transform our locality (Pudsey ward and Calverley/Farsley ward) with and for the local community, especially for those who are most vulnerable and disadvantaged.

We operate:

Pudsey Foodbank - we deliver emergency food parcels to those in crisis and signpost to other relevant support. We can usually respond within 24 hours.

Pudsey Community Pantry - part of the Your Local Pantry franchise, our pantry is open four times a week and provides members with long term access to low cost food.

Pudsey Seniors' Lunch Club - we run a weekly lunch club aiming to reduce social isolation among older people in our community.

Reduce Reuse Kids' Clothes - a free kids' clothes project, aiming to save people money and reduce the amount of clothes going to landfill. We have clothes for kids aged 0-12 and school uniform for our local primary and high schools.

Youth & Children's work - we have a Games Café, Youth Club, Lego Club and Cooking Course over three evenings a week.

We are planning to start a monthly **Repair Café** in the new year.

We are a volunteer-run charity and dependent on donations to be able to continue to provide food and other activities. We are so grateful for our 100-strong volunteer team and all our donors who make our work possible. We work with many partners across the local area and the city including schools, children's centres, and local charities. We have a special close partnership with Pudsey Parish Church, who provided the vision and means for us to start up.

Please do contact us for help, volunteering or donations. Thanks for your support!



• PART OF THE YOUR LOCAL PANTRY FRANCHISE •

**Get more for your £££s at
Pudsey Community Pantry**

**A MEMBERSHIP FOOD SHOP LOCATED AT
PUDSEY COMMUNITY PROJECT, FARTOWN, LS28 8LP**

**PAY £4 PER SHOP AND CHOOSE AROUND £20 WORTH
OF FOOD**

**OPEN TO HOUSEHOLDS LIVING IN PUDSEY OR
CALVERLEY & FARSLEY COUNCIL WARDS**

**OPENING TIMES:
WEDNESDAY 6PM-8PM
THURSDAY 2PM-4PM
FRIDAY 10AM-12PM
SATURDAY 10AM-12PM**

Sign up online or in person
www.yourlocalpantry.co.uk

 @pudseycommunitypantry



SATURDAY 12 OCTOBER 2024

GRAND FINAL

COMMUNITY STAND

BE VAN FRENCH

£2.50 JUNIORS
£25 ADULTS

CONTACT SHAUN.TENNANT@RLCOMMERCIAL.CO.UK
TO BOOK YOUR PLACE AT THE GRAND FINAL AND BE IN THE CHANCE TO WALK OUT AT OLD TRAFFORD, PLUS MORE GREAT PRIZES!

2024 EVENTS

All registered participants will be entered into a draw to win Leeds United signed merchandise. The top fundraiser from each event will win a signed Leeds United shirt!

Leeds Half Marathon
Sunday 12th May 2024
Headingley Stadium
Charity places available in Yorkshire's biggest and loudest half marathon.

Skydive
Saturday 8th June 2024
Black Knights Skydive Centre
One to tick off the bucket list - feel the adrenaline rush as you freefall from 11,000ft.

Great North Run
Sunday 8th September 2024
From Newcastle to South Shields
Run for the Foundation in the UK's biggest and best half marathon that attracts 57,000 people and the world's top athletes each year.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: FUNDRAISINGOFFICER@LEEDSUNITED.COM

JOIN THE ADVENTURE

THE BOYS BRIGADE
The adventure begins here

ANCHORS 4 - 8 Years
Juniors 8 - 11 Years
Company 11 - 14 Years
Seniors 14 - 18 Years

WE MEET AT
ST MARK'S METHODIST CHURCH
SWINNOW LANE, LS13 4RG

FIND OUT MORE ABOUT YOUR LOCAL GROUP AT
[FACEBOOK.COM/26THLEEDSB](https://www.facebook.com/26thleedsbb)

The Boys Brigade is a company limited by guarantee, registered in England at 30001488. It is registered charity in England & Wales number 1049898. 1974-2024. Registered Office: The Priory, 100, Westgate Road, Leeds, LS2 9PL, UK.

OPEN EVENINGS

19 & 20 JUNE 2024 5PM - 8PM

We look forward to welcoming prospective students and their parents to our open evenings, aimed at children currently in Year 5. Find out about the admissions process, explore our excellent facilities and discover what life is like at Heckmondwike Grammar School.

ENTRANCE EXAM

REGISTRATION OPENS 15 MAY
register by 12.00 noon Monday 24 June 2024

"Secondary School of the Year 2024"
The Sunday Times Parent Power Guide

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