



# Ingleton Church of England Primary School

Newsletter

March 2015

Dear Parents,

Thank you for coming along to our Parent's Information Evening. If you could not make it then we have put the curriculum information onto the school's website. Thank you also for supporting our pupils in their fundraising recently. An amazing £117.06 was collected for Cancer Research and the total of Buddy Day was about £80 which is to be used for new caps and tabards for the Buddies. The pupils were fantastic and really enjoyed taking part. Thank you to everyone who helped and especially for the lovely baking we had on sale.

**Friends of Ingleton School** – the AGM was held recently and a meeting to discuss plans for this year. It was decided to organise a disco for pupils. This will be held after school in the school hall on **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March for Comic Relief**. We are looking for a new Chair and Treasurer for our 'Friends' as Catriona Emmerson and Michelle Vickers are leaving their posts soon. We thank them both very much for their years of support to 'The Friends group' and to this school.

A **Car Boot Sale** will be held on the village playing field on **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July**. Also, a Table Top Sale is to be organised on another date. Further details will be available soon.

**World Book Day - Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March** – Pupils can come to school dressed as their favourite book character and also bring in a photo of themselves taking part in 'extreme reading' (prizes will be awarded to all who take part)

**Parents Evening – Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March** (evening for Classes 2 and 3 and Year 2)

**Class 1 parents can be seen during the afternoon of Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March** starting from

## **Comic Relief – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March**

We are inviting pupils to come to school wearing 'something red' (we will ask for £1 for the non uniform – to be given to Comic Relief) Pupils will also be selling refreshments on the day so you might like to send in some money with your child to buy something. A sponsored run is being organised and we are thinking of taking the pupils along to the village playing field (if the weather is ok) to run around the field there and down and along a public footpath and return to the playing field. Further details will be sent out later.

## **Sport's events**

We are taking part in the following events with local schools;

**Cross Country run – Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March** – pupils from Classes 2 and 3 are at Staindrop Academy.

**Football – Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March** – Team Tournament at Teesdale School.

**Multi Skills – Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March - Class 2** – at Staindrop Academy.

**Teesdale BIG SING** – this is an annual event and pupils from Classes 2 and 3 will be asked if they would like to take part. Children from local primary schools will be singing and playing instruments. There is a rehearsal at Staindrop Academy on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March and the concert will be held on the evening of Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March. (a letter will be sent out to all pupils who would like to take part with information about tickets)

## Dates for your diaries

### March

4<sup>th</sup> - 2pm - Information meeting for parents of pupils in Class 1 and Year 2

5<sup>th</sup> - WORLD BOOK DAY - pupils can dress up as a favourite book character and bring in a phot of 'extreme reading'.

6<sup>th</sup> - Cross country running event - Staindrop Academy

11<sup>th</sup> - Safety Carousel - class 3 will attend an event with other local schools to find out about how to keep safe with the emergency services.

13<sup>th</sup> - Comic Relief - Pupils can wear red clothing and take part in a cross country run in the village. Refreshments will be on sale to pupils during the day and a disco is being organised after school. ( 5pm - 6.30pm) \_ £1 on the door.

16<sup>th</sup> - Termly Parents Evening - Classes 2 and 3 and Year 2

17<sup>th</sup> - Parents Meeting - Class 1

18<sup>th</sup> - Class 3 take part in a singing workshop in school with students from Teesdale Academy.

19<sup>th</sup> - Teesdale Big Sing - rehearsal at Staindrop Academy.

Football Tournament - at Teesdale Academy

20<sup>th</sup> - The Bishop of Durham is visiting school to take collective worship and to visit Class 3 RE lesson.

27<sup>th</sup> - last day of term ( Easter holiday 2 weeks - return to school Monday, 13<sup>th</sup> April.

BAG2SCHOOL COLLECTION OF UNWANTED CLOTHING - please bring to the main school door for 9am - thank you ( the school receives payment).



**Easter** Our Easter Service will take place in St John's Church on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March at 1.30pm. We invite you along to the service and also afterwards back at school for hot cross buns and tea. Class 1 pupils can take part in an Easter Bonnet Parade if they bring in a decorated hat they have made at home – all entries will receive a prize. Pupils in Classes 2 and 3 and Year 2 can bring in a decorated egg for a competition. We look forward to seeing you.

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**End of Term - Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March ( 2 weeks holiday)  
return to school Monday April 13<sup>th</sup>.**

School meals are provided 'FREE OF CHARGE' to pupils in Reception, Year 1 and 2 from September 2014 and until further notice.

### Dinner Money

The daily amount is £1.95 - weekly – £ 9.75 half term - £ 48.75

**PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR PAYMENTS ARE SENT INTO THE SCHOOL OFFICE ON TIME, CHEQUES ARE BETTER FOR US THAN CASH and BEFORE YOU ARE REMINDED – as this creates extra work for the office. Many thanks.**

**If you think you are eligible for free school meals please contact us.**

