

Be the best you can be!

Weekly Newsletter W/e 20th September 2019

Breakfast Club

Our Breakfast Club children have been very busy this term learning some new skills. They have been making octopi out of wool and using their new found sewing skills to create little cushions. Our staff in Breakfast Club have been very impressed with the children's hard work and fantastic end results!





Breakfast Club and After School Care

We just wanted to clarify that nursery aged children are welcome to attend our Breakfast Club and After School Care (if they stay all day for the 30 hours). Nursery children are not permitted to attend after school clubs (arts, gym, football etc). If you wish to book Breakfast or After School care, please email Mrs Bennett on <u>sbennett@clarborough.notts.sch.uk</u>

Midday supervisors

We would like to put together a 'bank' of supply midday supervisors so that if any of our regular ones are poorly or absent for any reason, we have a list of people we can contact to provide cover in order to keep our provision at the high standard it currently is. If you would be interested in having your name on this list, please contact the office or email <u>lgoad@clarborough.notts.sch.uk</u>

Lunch cover is needed between 12.15pm and 1.15pm. No experience is necessary and training will be given. You will be required to undertake a DBS check.







RNLI

We would like to say a big thank you to everyone who has donated 5 pence pieces to school this week for the RNLI. You have been very generous and it is very much appreciated. We have raised a total of **f33.60**. We would also like to send a big 'shout out' to Matthew and Harriet G who suggested we do this fundraising, what a kind thought children!





Child absence

Just a polite reminder that if your child is absent from school, you must let school know before 9.15am. This can be done via Parentmail, by leaving a message on the school answerphone or by emailing <u>lgoad@clarborough.notts.sch.uk</u>. We also need to know a reason why your child is absent so that we can allocate the correct code on the register. If you do not provide us with a reason, we will note it down as 'unauthorised – reason unknown'. Many thanks.

Job vacancy

Would you like to be part of a hardworking team who strive to ensure all children can be the best they can be?

We are looking to recruit a highly skilled teacher to become part of our Key Stage 2 team for two days a week until July 2020.

Here at Clarborough, we offer a stimulating learning environment, supportive staff and pupils who are engaged and hungry to learn.

We would encourage you to visit our school before you apply. We look forward to meeting you.

If you would like to book an appointment to look round or request an application form, please contact the school office on 01777 708065 or email lgoad@clarborough.notts.sch.uk

The closing date is 11.00am on Monday 7th October.

Martial Arts

On Thursday this week, Master Blinston from Lynx Black Belt Leadership Academy visited school and did some taster workshops for the Key Stage 2 children. These consisted of the children taking part in a warm-up, some fitness exercises and learning some basic martial arts moves. The children had great fun!



Recycling

Just a reminder that we recycle a variety of different items in school and are grateful for any donations you can make. We take:

- Crisp packets
- Batteries
- Stamps
- Bread bags
- Baby food pouches and snack wrappers
- Pens



Macmillan Coffee Morning

Our annual Macmillan Coffee morning will be held on Friday 27th September between 8.30am and 9.30am in the school hall. We will be selling a variety of cakes with tea, coffee and juice. We will also be serving bacon rolls. We would appreciate donations of cakes, buns, tray-bakes etc which can be brought in to school the day before or on the morning. Everyone is welcome.



Donna Webster from Bake My Day has also donated some cake slices for us to sell and baked a cake for us to raffle. Thank you so much Donna!



Unwanted clothes or shoes...?

If you had a summer clear out, please put your old clothes, shoes or bedding to one side, as we will be having a 'Bag2School' collection on **Wednesday 25th September**.

Your child should have brought a bag home, we do have spares so if you need more, please ask at the office.

Donating items helps to raise much-needed funds for school. Spread the word – if you know of any other family members or friends that are doing the same, please include them too.

ICT sessions

On Thursday 26th September at 3pm - 4pm one of our Governors, Mr Herdman will be holding a drop-in session in Class 1 for any parents/carers that would like support with regards to ICT. Any ideas you can bring will inform future computing sessions that he will deliver.

Mr Herdman would be very grateful if you could email <u>lgoad@clarborough.notts.sch.uk</u> if you are intending to come to this session so that he can tailor it for the correct number of people.

Star of the week

This week's 'stars' are:

- Class 1 Henry H Class 2 Toby H Class 3 Leah B Class 4 Ruben W Class 5 Emilia A
- Class 6 Tillie M

Attendance

Week ending 13th September

Class 1	86.67%
Class 2	95%
Class 3	95.83%
Class 4	94.58%
Class 5	100%
Class 6	93.75%



Well done to class 5!

Out of school achievements

Just a polite reminder that the deadline for anything you wish to appear in a newsletter is 4pm on the Thursday of that week. Anything later than this will be included in the next week's newsletter.



A big well done to Piper O'C from Class 2 for winning some rosettes recently in horse riding.

> A big well done to Austin D in Class 1 for being awarded Performer of the Week at his football training with Retford United last week. Keep up the Good work Austin!





Well done to Ben A in Class 1 for achieving his Stage 4 swimming award and also a certificate for performing a skulling sequence. Great work Ben!



School dates for your diaries:

September

27th Macmillan Coffee Morning

October

9 th	Individual pupil photos
17 th	Harvest Festival at church
18 th	Last day of term
21 st	Half term begins

November

4 th	Autumn 2 term starts
	Environmental arts week
8 th	Pop-up exhibition
12 th	Parent consultations
13 th	Parent consultations
14 th	Flu vaccinations – Reception to year 6

December

3 rd	Scholastic book fayre begins
5 th	Year 6 Christingle making
10 th	Scholastic book fayre ends
12 th	Foundation stage Nativity
13 th	Foundation stage Nativity
	Key Stage 1 Nativity in church 2pm
16 th	Key Stage 1 Nativity in school 2pm
17 th	Key Stage 1 Nativity in school 9.30am
18 th	Key Stage 2 carols around the tree 3pm
19 th	Last day of term for pupils
20 th	INSET day

January 6th

Term begins



Community

We are holding an afternoon tea in Clarborough Church this Saturday afternoon from 2pm, with live music provided by Rev. Mark on our new baby grand piano. Everyone welcome, please spread the word.

Clarborough and District WI are teaming up with the Parish Council to organise a 'Grand Autumn Clean Up' and we need as many helpers as possible. The date is set for Sunday September 22nd at 10:00. Bacon butties will be available before setting out and tea and cake waiting for us on return at about 11:30. All equipment will be provided, but we do need to know how many people to expect and so please book by emailing clarbdiswi@hotmail.com or phone 01777 949 847. See you there!

