

Friday Newsletter 25th March 2022

Boris the Bunny!



The 'love Lancaster' organisers asked us if we would like to decorate an Easter bunny for a competition this year and we jumped at the opportunity! Year 2 children had produced some fantastic work on their 'Elmer the patchwork Elephant' writing project, so we decided to carry on the theme. Nearly every child in school got to paint a square onto Boris the bunny's body, then we gave him a lick of varnish and now he is ready to go! Eight schools in total have prepared bunnies and they will be hidden around Lancaster (please see the attached leaflet). Please go and find them all during the Easter holidays and then vote for our bunny to win the prize – we are up against much bigger schools, so we need all the votes we can get!

Superstars Certificates for outstanding work

The following children have all worked their socks off in class and have been awarded a certificate for their great attitude to learning:

Miss Liver – Kieran & Isabella

Miss Bloomfield – Lacey-May & Hunnie

Mrs Walker – Pavlina & Danny

Miss Stoves – Jayden M & Daria

Miss Boardman and Mr Stark – Miley & Miah



Easter Egg Raffle

We have made a great start to our Easter Egg raffle tower, which is precariously balanced on a high shelf in the hall!

As they come in for lunch, children are all getting very excited and discussing which one they want to win. We are hoping to make the tower even bigger next week and are accepting donations of eggs right up until Friday, when we will have the Easter Egg raffle in the final assembly of the term. Raffle tickets will also remain on sale until the final Friday. Good luck everyone!

Free Swimtime Holiday Club for children entitled to free school meals

The Swimtime HAF provision which is running at the Holiday Inn, offers children the chance to learn lots of different skills, including swimming lessons, first aid session, team build task, also they have a special guest on the Thursday sessions coming to entertain the kids for their end of week with a party. To book visit [Swimtime - Find a Swimming lesson near you!](#) | [Swimtime](#) Or visit the council site that lists all providers [Happy Healthy Holidays - Lancaster City Council](#)

Half Term
Activity Sessions
in Lancaster!

Swimming Lessons
Life Saving
Junior Medic

Free funded spaces
available for children
with free school
meals/pupil premium

SWIM
TIME
The City School

HAF Easter
Holiday
Club!

Monday
11 April
until
Thursday
14th April

Morecambe Football match

We have now filled a large coach with children and parents for the Morecambe V Burton Albion match a week on Saturday – we are all getting excited about the match and will provide further details to all families who have booked places next week.



Ukraine Day

It has been super to see the children in their blue and yellow clothes today. Thank you to all the parents who have donated so generously to the fund to support refugees from Ukraine. We raised a terrific £180.

Fantastic Behaviour awards

The children who have impressed their teachers over the last week are:

Miss Liver – Sanie

Miss Bloomfield – Telaina

Mrs Walker – McKenzie

Miss Stoves - Daisy

Miss Boardman & Mr Stark – Jacob Halton



Year 5 Careers workshop

Year 5 children were taught about a 'Holistic Person Journey' through the NHS, by professionals who work there. The children learnt about the different professions in a patient's journey and mapped out who would treat them if they had an accident and had to visit A&E. The children had a very busy two hours and were fully engaged in all the activities. The professionals leading the

workshop commented on how well-behaved the children were and said that they were a credit to the school – well done Year 5!

Attendance

The class with the best attendance this week was Miss Liver's class – she is very proud of you all. Well done everyone!



Seven times a week readers

Some children have been practising their reading at home every day, those reading superstars are:



Miss Liver's class – Ruby S

Mrs Walker's class – Isabella, Dalton, Lily, Marek, Danny, Daniel, Kady, Jakson, Thaaranka

Miss Boardman & Mr Stark's class – Amaan, Hollie, Ellie-Mae, Miah, Jessica, Kai, Esme

Miss Bloomfield's class – Hunnie, Ava H, Lilly, Maisie, Tulisa

Miss Stoves' class – Ahmad, Jamie, Jayden M, Kavishan, Millie,

Oliver, Vivian

Miss Liver's artists

Miss Liver's children have been exploring water colours this week and using them to create pieces of artwork. They have been finding out how the amount of water changes the depth of colour in the paints. They have been holding their paintbrushes with an improved grip and taking pride in their work. Well done children – your paintings look wonderful!



Best wishes

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