



## Glaisdale Primary School

# Newsletter 17/11/2023

Dear Families and Friends,

### PTFA Fundraiser

Thank you to everyone who attended and donated towards the PTFA's Christmas shopping event on Tuesday. The PTFA managed to raise a fantastic total of £350.00 towards supporting the school with trips and experiences. A massive thank you must also be given to our PTFA volunteers for running another successful event!

### Athletics – Key Stage 2

Unfortunately, the Key Stage 2 athletics event that was due to take place on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November has been postponed until Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November.

### Moors School

We will have our final Moors School session on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November. We aim to restart sessions again in the spring.

### Sports Club

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November will be the final Sports Club of the term now that the darker nights have set in.

### Stay and Play – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December (2.00-3.00pm)

We will be hosting our next Stay and Play for children starting school in September 2024 on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December (2.00-3.00pm). All families with children who have birthdays between 01/09/19 and 31/08/20 are welcome to join us, especially if they are choosing Glaisdale as their destination next year or if they are undecided.

Have a great weekend,  
**Mr Cooper**

### Stars of the Week:

Explorers: Jasmine – for her brilliant effort with independent writing!  
Adventurers: James – for fantastic poetry and a great attitude to all his work!  
Headteacher: Chico – for amazing poetry!

**Attendance:** Our attendance this week was: 96.2%  
Our attendance this year: 95.5%  
National average for this year: 95.2%

Headteacher timetable for upcoming week	
Mon	Supporting school in Scarborough
Tues	am – Castleton pm – Glaisdale
Weds	Glaisdale all day
Thurs	Castleton all day
Fri	am – Glaisdale pm – Castleton



### Next Week's Events

<b>Monday</b>	<b>PE</b> – both classes (please arrive in PE kit/footwear)
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>No Events</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Gardening Club</b> (lunchtime) <b>Art Club</b> (3.30-4.30pm)
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Final Sports Club</b> (3.30-4.30pm) <b>Year 6 Booster Club</b> (3.30-4.30pm) <b>Moors School</b> (final session of the term)
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Music Lessons</b> <b>Key Stage 2 Basketball Event</b>

### Term Dates - 2023/24

- ~~Staff Training Day – Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2023~~
- ~~Staff Training Day – Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2023~~
- ~~First day of Autumn Term – Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2023~~
- ~~Half Term – Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2023~~
- Staff Training Day - Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2023
- Last day of Autumn Term - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2023
- First Day of Spring Term – Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2024
- Half Term - Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2024
- Staff Training Day - Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024
- Last day of Spring Term - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024
- First day of Summer Term - Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2024
- Bank Holiday – Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2024
- Half Term - Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 31<sup>st</sup> 2024
- Staff Training Day – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2024
- Last day of Summer Term - Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2024

Training days for staff when the children will not be in school are as follows:

Friday 15 December 2023; Friday 15 March 2024; Friday 12 July 2024

### Future Dates

#### November

23/11: Moors School (final session of the term)

24/11: Key Stage 2 Basketball Event

27/11: Key Stage 2 Athletics Event

#### December

06/12: Christmas Performance (6.00pm)

07/12: Christmas Performance (2.00pm)

08/12: Carol performance to Dales Folk

12/12: Whole school panto trip

14/12: Stay and Play (2.00-3.00pm)

15/12: Training Day – School Closed

22/12: Christmas Service in Church (1.30pm)

#### Later in the Year

11/03-13/03 – Eskdale Festival

20/03-22/03 – Year 3/4 Peat Rigg Visit

13/05-17/05 – Year 6 SATs Week

10/06-14/06 – Year 1 Phonics Screen Week

22/07 – YEAT Arts Extravaganza

*Please avoid booking term time holidays, especially during assessment week*

