

Newsletter

Friday 24th November 2023

Dear Parents and Carers.

Time is speeding along this term and I am beginning to hear the first Christmas songs of the year! Key Stage 1 are practising for their Nativity with Key Stage 2 practising songs for Thornton Lights and their Carol Service later in the term. It is a lovely time of the year for the children, certainly one of my favourites in school, so we are all looking forward to the next few weeks.

As always, best wishes. Mrs Gill Finney, Headteacher.

Places Available

Just to let you know that we have places available in Reception and Years 3, 4 and 5. If you know of anyone wanting a place or who is moving into the area, please let them know. They will then need to contact The Admissions Team on 01524 581112, where arrangements will be made for you.

Reception on-line Applications



Closing dates for Reception places—15th January 2024.

Dates For Your Diary

Please check dates on every newsletter as new dates are **always** added. New dates will be printed in **red**.

01.12.23 - Non Uniform Day to support FOB

06.12.23 - Christmas Fair

07.12.23 – The Pantomime at The Grand Theatre – children need to be in school for 8.30am to ensure arrival at The Grand on time

08.12.23 - Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch Day

12.12.23 – KS1 Dress Rehearsal – 1.30pm for school children and staff

13.12 23 – KS1 Performance – 9.15am for parents

14.12.23 – KS1 Performance – 1.30pm for parents

15.12.23 – KS2 Carol Concert at St Johns – 2pm for parents

18.12.23 – Years 5 and 6 Party all day - children in own clothes

19.12.23 – Years 3 and 4 Party all day - children in own clothes

20.12.23 - KS1 Party all day - children in own clothes

20.12.23 - End of the Autumn Term - 3.20pm

08.01.24 - New term begins - 8.45am

05.02.24 - Anne Frank Workshop for Year 5

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Armistice Day

Thank you to all the children who walked in the Remembrance Day Service a few weeks ago. I know there were lots of children from Baines walking with a variety of groups in the area and it was lovely to see you all there. Thank you also to the children, parents and staff who walked with school and especially to Ada in Year 6 and Oliver in Year 5 who laid the wreath on behalf of Baines Endowed this year. Well done.













Merit Winners—Well done Everyone! Friday 17th November 2023

Reception - Hugo Tomlinson and Ruben Hislop

Year 1 - Jackson Penney and Elliot Hislop

Year 2 - Leonardo De Moro and Alice Heywood

Year 3 - Honey Tomlinson and Milo Kayley

Year 4 - Michael Sharpe and Amelia Green

Year 5 - Robbie Mayall-Buckley and Kaison Palmer

Year 6 - Leo Booth and Archie Tupman

Kindness Award - Matilda Pierce

Lunchtime Awards - Brody Hatch and Florence Greenaway

Attendance - Year 2

Housepoints - Romans

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Reception - Arthur Gore and Elsie Ramsbottom

Year 1 - Alexia Spencer and Indie Rodda

Year 2 - Lilian Ball and Matilda Pierce

Year 3 - Emerson Hill and Lincoln Smith

Year 4 - James Elson and Joshua Bradley

Year 5 - Olivia Buckley and Harley Cope

Year 6 - Joe Dean and Ellery Gardner

Kindness Award - Halle Hardingham

Lunchtime Awards - Margot Smith Jamie-Anne Smalley

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Football Competition

The children in Years 5 and 6 represented the school amazingly at the Football Competition on Tuesday. They played brilliantly and worked so well together, all taking turns to be substitute without making a fuss. As it was Mr Leah's last competition with Baines Endowed, he was incredibly pleased to have accompanied the children and welcomed their positive attitudes.

Thank you to Mr Leah and to the parents for all your support.



Anti-Bullying Week

The children in school took part in an enlightening week last week as they thought about what bullying means and ways that they could help anyone in school who might need support.

Mrs Hedges, Mrs Weston, Mrs Clueit and the Anti-Bullying Ambassadors put on a wonderful variety of activities over the week, starting with Odd Socks Day on Monday and ending with Blue Friday—you may have seen all our wonderful blue ribbons attached to the railings.











