



Baildon Church of  
England Primary School  
and Nursery  
**NEWSLETTER**  
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## Religious News

At Collective Worship on Monday, Miss Brace introduced the book 'Only One You' which is uniquely illustrated with painted 'rockfish', symbolising everyone swimming in the ocean of life. The moral of the book is that 'there's only one you in this great big world - make it a better place.' This continues the focus this term of how we are all different but all have a part to play in the world. We have purchased pebbles for all children and staff and, over the next fortnight, everyone will get the chance to decorate their own unique pebble which will then be incorporated into our Peace Garden.

Next Thursday, Reverend Sandra will be in school to lead our annual Harvest Festival. Once more, we are asking parents to send in donations of tinned or dry food so that we can help those who are less fortunate than we are. These will be donated to the food collection which is organised through the three churches in the parish. These donations all go to Abigail Housing which is a charity which supports asylum seekers. Children are invited to bring in their donations from Monday and place them in the hall collection boxes.

*Do all that you can to live in peace with everyone.*

*~ Romans 12:18*

### NEXT WEEK IN BAILDON

- 1<sup>st</sup> October Football
- 3<sup>rd</sup> October 9am-10am PTFA Coffee Morning
- 3<sup>rd</sup> October Stay and Play Nursery
- 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1.15-2.15 PTFA Coffee Afternoon
- 3<sup>rd</sup> October Stay and Play F2Patterson]
- 4<sup>th</sup> October Harvest Festival
- 4<sup>th</sup> October Cross Country
- 4<sup>th</sup> October Nursery Reading Evening 5.30pm
- 5<sup>th</sup> October Stay and Play 30 hour Nursery Children
- 5<sup>th</sup> October Stay and Play F2Perry

### NURSERY AND RECEPTION OPEN EVENING 2019

Our Nursery Information Afternoon and Evening will take place on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October at 1.45pm and 6.15pm. We will be holding our Reception Information Evening for the 2019 Intake on 30<sup>th</sup> October at 6.15pm. The Afternoon session will take place at 1.45pm on 31<sup>st</sup> October. Further information is available from the office.

PLEASE, PLEASE LABEL YOUR UNIFORM –  
it would really solve lots of problems in school.

On Tuesday, Mrs Adams led an assembly to introduce the theme of problem solving, our fourth characteristic of effective learning.

**Problem Solving was introduced as I can think and actively evaluate my work to help me solve problems.**

Congratulations to the following children who have demonstrated problem solving this week:

FS2 Arthur W, Alex L

Y1 William I, May W

Y2 Toby O'M, Phoebe G

Y3F Henry H, Mary H

Y4 Ellis B, Matilda T

Y5 Reece H, Zara D

Y6 Isabel B, Jamie M

Next week we will be looking at creativity as our learning characteristic.

### STAFFING UPDATE

We gathered as a school this morning to say goodbye and happy retirement to Mrs Cowling. As part of our extended assembly, Mrs Cowling was presented with a gift voucher for one of her favourite restaurants which was purchased with donations from parents. Many thanks to everyone for your donations and for your presents and cards.

We also presented Mrs Marshall with flowers today as a thank you for her contribution to school over the years working in Breakfast Club and as a Lunchtime Supervisor.

## ATTENDANCE Week of 17<sup>th</sup> September

F1am 88.33%

F1pm 92%

F1 30 hours- 96.67%

F2P 99.66%

F2PY 98%

Y1M 96%

Y1S 98.67%

Y2F 98.67%

Y2D 87.33%

Y3HM 99.33%

Y3W 98.67%

Y4HW 99.33%

Y4M 96.67%

Y5B 100%

Y5G 95.67%

Y6B 99.33%

Y6V 98.62%

Congratulations to F2P who are the attendance winners in Early Years and KS1 with 99.66%.

Well done!

Congratulations to Y5B who had 100% attendance to win the KS2 cup. Well done!

**SPORTING UPDATE-** We had our Year 4 football team in action on Monday night and Mr Holmes was very impressed by their attitude and behaviour. On the night, the team won 2 matches and drew 1 and are currently top of the league. The Cross Country competitions got underway this week with Year 5 and Year 6 in action. Congratulations to the Year 5 Girls team who finished 3<sup>rd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> overall. Congratulations to the Year 5 Boys team who finished 2<sup>nd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> overall. The Year 6 Girls teams finished 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> overall with the Year 6 Boys teams finishing 2<sup>nd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> overall. Congratulations to all the runners, some of whom were representing school for the first time. Thanks to the parents who transported and supported.



**SCHOOL  
MEMBER**

We were delighted to receive notification and a certificate yesterday to say that we have been nominated and supported financially by our local Music Service/Hub as a Music Mark School Member. This is in recognition of the value that we place on music and offering a broad and balanced curriculum. The letter thanks us for the hard work school does to ensure that pupils are able to access and engage with a high-quality music education. Many thanks to Mrs Armstrong who leads Music in school and all the other members of school who contribute to the music provision in school.

### FILEY TRIP

Following the disappointment of having to cancel the Year 2 trip to Filey last Friday due to Storm Bronagh, 60 excited children accompanied by 10 adults set off early yesterday for the re-arranged visit. Luckily, the weather yesterday was sublime and everyone enjoyed time building sandcastles on the beach and tucking into fish and chips. This year, we were delighted to have a discussion with Jeanie from Keeping Filey Green who explained how Scarborough Council are addressing the issues with seagulls by producing 'full proof bags' one of which she gave to the group to test. Many thanks to the adults who accompanied the children

### BUS DRIVER PLEA

We have a new driver on the school bus who has asked us to request that people let him pass on the road so that he can gain safe access to the school to drop off the children safely. Your co-operation would be greatly appreciated.

### UNIFORM BANK

You may be aware that there is now a Shipley Area School Uniform Bank which includes our school. It is a not for profit voluntary project which aims to reduce the financial burden on local families.

In future we will be co-ordinating donations of uniform to the Project but in the meantime please speak with your class teacher or Mr Hiley in the office if you would like to be referred or for further information.