

## Junior School News

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2017

### FEDERATION NEWS

If you are interested in becoming a Governor, please leave your name and contact details at one of the school offices.

#### CPTT (Children, Parents, Teachers Together)

##### Fireworks!



It's that time of year again when we start to prepare for our Fireworks Night!! Save the date for this fun-filled, super exciting evening of delicious food & drink, great music, fun games &

a fabulous fireworks display to top it all off!

**When & Where?** Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 5.30-7.30pm, on the Junior School field.

We need to work together to make this happen, so please have a think about how you would like to get involved. Look out for volunteer forms coming home next Friday. Tickets go on sale to volunteers first, w/c 9<sup>th</sup> October.

**Contact:** All classes in the school have a parent and child CPTT Rep for you to contact should you need, or feel free to get in touch with co-chairs Charlie & Emma, or Sarah at [CPTT@ladysmithfederation.net](mailto:CPTT@ladysmithfederation.net)

##### CPTT Meeting

All parent and teacher CPTT representatives are meeting next **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October at 6pm** in the Infant School hall. This is an important meeting to attend in order to organise the Fireworks event. Please send someone in your stead if you cannot make it - many thanks.

New Reception parents watch this space - looking to recruit Reception Reps in the New Year! Here is a reminder of who our class representatives are for each class:



Year / Class	Parent	Child
Year 3: 3KW	Hannah Waterfield; Alex Dolphin (deputy)	Jack Hemment; Tomas Dolphin (deputy)
Year 3: 3LD	Kate Holmes	Rosie Holmes
Year 3: 3NW	Olivia Harker	Henry Scudder
Year 4: 4RM	Emma Newbury	Oliver Newbury; George Newbury
Year 4: 4AN	Robert Boyd; Hannah Pounds (deputy)	Alexander Boyd; Tom Pounds (deputy)
Year 5: 5AS	Bill Blight	Leah Blight
Year 5: 5IE	Jemma Searle; Alex Dolphin (deputy)	Evie Manning-Searle; Isabel Dolphin
Year 5: 5GM	Vanessa Johnson	Stanley Clarke
Year 6: 6NM	Livia Stan; Emma Tilbury; Emma Watson	Raisa Stan; Cerys Lewis; George Morrison

#### Ambition Adventure Achievement

##### Ambition

Chloe was concerned that some people were leaving litter on the floor so she created a poster to encourage people to pick up their rubbish. The poster can be seen in the notice board at the bottom entrance to school.

##### Adventure

The children are enjoying the use of the reading bus at lunchtimes and after school.

##### Achievement

In assembly we celebrated the sporting achievements of Clia, Millie and Nina who received medals at a recent swimming competition. Lucy received an award for her hard work and achievements in drama at 'Stage by Stage'. Megan achieved a certificate in swimming and Ellis received a gold award for his running.

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Year 6: 6JE	Cassie Monkman	Millie Rosa Monkman
Year 6: 6MC	Ed Drew	Ollie Drew

Andy Barton (treasurer) with Harry Barton  
Sarah Dart (summer fair chair) with Ella Dart  
Emma Whittingham (co-chair) with Bryn Matthews  
Charlie Nixon (co-chair) with Melody Nixon

## **Federation Governor Update**

We are fortunate to welcome Amy Grashoff, Simon Stennett and Robert Boyd to the Ladysmith Federation Governing Body, replacing three of the four governors who left at the end of last year. Amy and Simon were able to attend the first meeting of the year on Monday (25 September). All three have children at the schools and additionally bring a wealth of experience and knowledge. Above all, they bring their enthusiasm and willingness to give up their time to help the school leaders make the federation the best it can be for our children.

Ian Gibson was re-appointed as Chair of Governors, and all governors were allocated a specific role. The full list of responsibilities will be posted on the governor section of the Federation website.

The meeting discussed policies and received an update on the schools' budget positions. Governors reviewed the improvement plans for the two schools and the overall Federation Improvement Plan, which set out the management teams' plans for the coming year and how they will meet the Governors' 3-5 year strategy. The meeting heard that all teaching staff are working on a range of initiatives, often across both schools, including how they can make best use of school grounds to make sure children have inspiring and creative play opportunities that support their learning.

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## **Football**



We are really proud of Chloe who has joined Devon's first deaf youth football team. She has participated in several matches and recently, her team won two games with Chloe scoring one of the goals and saving another.

## **Parents Evening**

You should have received a reply slip with a time for your parents evening meeting. If you have not made an appointment yet, please contact your child's teacher.

## **Accelerated Reader**

On Monday, the children will all receive a leaflet explaining how accelerated reader works and how you can support your child at home. In the meantime, quizzes are now accessible from home. Children will need their login details and can access quizzes at <https://ukhosted67.renlearn.co.uk/2236322/>

### **Dates for the diary:**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> October – Parent's meetings
- 3<sup>rd</sup> October – Wildlife Champions Conference at Stokehill
- 4<sup>th</sup> October – CPTT rep meeting at 6pm @ the Infant School
- 4<sup>th</sup> October – No Pens Wednesday
- 18<sup>th</sup> October – Half termly open evening – 3.30pm – 5pm
- 20<sup>th</sup> October – Last day of half term
- 3<sup>rd</sup> November – Fireworks night

### **Sweet Success**

Congratulations to Peyton and Emily and the army of volunteers who managed to raise £175.50 for the 'Friends of Buburi' charity last week.



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