



Newsletter Friday 12th January 2018

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Whalley CE Primary School

January

19th Friday Celebration Assembly - Sycamore @ 2:45pm

26th Non-uniform day (chocolate fine)
 Friday Celebration assembly @2:45pm—Willow

Chocolate Bingo 6:30pm

February

2nd : Celebration Assembly - Chestnut Class

9th: Celebration Assembly - Poplar Class

Clubs WB 15th January

- Mon:** Football
 Gymnastics (competition prep)
- Tues:** **No netball**
 Danceworks
- Weds:** **No Netball**
 Ribcaged drama
- Thurs:** Cheerleading
- Fri:** KS1 & Y3/4 football (Pro Sport)

Dinner Money

The cost of school meals for this half term is £55 (25 days at £2.20). This can be paid online using 'School Money', in cash or by cheques payable to Lancashire County Council. If you have not yet registered for the online payment service, please contact the office for a password.

Netball Club

Netball clubs will recommence from week beginning 22nd Jan on Tuesdays and Wednesdays when hopefully there will be slightly more light and better weather.

Happy New Year

Welcome back to everyone at the start of the new year. I hope all the children feel refreshed after the longer than usual Christmas break. Thank you on behalf of the staff for all the generous gifts and cards which we received.

Admissions

A reminder for parents with children due to start school in September that the online applications for places need to be submitted by the 15th January.

Website links issue

One or two links on the school website do not appear to be clickable on mobile devices, yet they seem to work on a desktop PC. This is particularly an issue with the holiday section. I have included a copy of the 2018-19 holiday pattern on a separate page of this letter and the issue is being investigated by the Webanywhere support team.

Whalley Remembers—invitation

The New Year is now well behind us and it is time to get into gear and plan the Armistice 2018 Celebrations for Whalley and surrounding villages that want to join in with us. To this end I am holding an open public meeting in Whalley Primary School on Tuesday 6th February at 7pm – you are all invited to come along.

The beginning of the Great War was marked in the Parish Church by a day long period of quiet with the names of the Whalley fallen read out at regular intervals. 2018 marks the Centenary of the end of that terrible war and the whole community should join in a celebration of peace. Lots of ideas are now coming in but I would like this to be a whole community event; so I have distributed this to as many local organisations that I can find! Please forward it on to any I may have overlooked or anyone who may be able to contribute.

I look forward to seeing you on the 6th Feb – put it in your diary!!

Clifford Ball. (Details on the attached flyer)

Rotary Competitions

Details of the latest Rotary Club competitions for writing, art and photography can be found attached to this letter

Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri
Sausages in Yorkshire pud	Meat & potato pie, mushy peas	Roast chicken dinner	Mince and mash	Hot dog, chips & mushy peas
Cheese omelette, potatoes & beans	Tomato Pasta, garlic bread	Veggie sausage roll	Pizza, wedges & beans	Battered fish, potatoes & peas





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Join us on Friday (26th January) for our family chocolate bingo night! Fun for all the family!

We will play 3 games of bingo with hamper prizes for lines and full house! Tickets will be available (Wednesday 17th Jan) from the school office. Tickets are £10 per family for 2 adults and up to 3 children and this includes 12 bingo cards to use as you like throughout the evening.

There will be refreshments on sale which include a licenced bar of wine and beer, and mixed soft drinks. And there will be some snacks available too.

If you haven't been before then this is a fun evening from 6.30pm – 9pm, and is a great way to meet other parents and children from school.

All profits go back into school spending.

Any questions, please ask a member of friends or the school office.

Thank you. Friends x

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SCHOOL TERM AND HOLIDAY PATTERN

Whalley CE School - 2018/2019

AUTUMN TERM 2018

INSET Monday 3rd September

Re-open on Tuesday 4th September

INSET Friday 19th October

Mid Term Closure Monday 22 October- Friday 26 October (inclusive)

Closure after school on Thursday 20 December

INSET Friday 21st December

Number of openings **72**

SPRING TERM 2019

Re-open on Monday 7 January 2019

Mid Term Closure Monday 18 February- Friday 22 February (inclusive)

Closure after school on Friday 5 April

Number of openings **60**

SUMMER TERM 2019

Re-open on Tuesday 23 April

May Day Closure Monday 6 May

Mid Term Closure Monday 27 May- Friday 31 May (inclusive)

Closure after school Friday 19 July

INSET DAYS Monday and Tuesday 22nd and 23rd July

Number of openings **58**

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Youth Service



The Rotary Club of Clitheroe

Young Artist 2017-18

The Rotary Club of Clitheroe wants you to get creative

The theme is "A different perspective"

One picture no larger than A1 (594mm x 841mm)
On paper or canvas unframed

Watercolour, pencil, charcoal, pastels, collage or acrylic.
Give your work a title and if you wish, a description of no more than 50 words for your inspiration and how you have chosen to reflect the theme.

One entry per person

Name, age and contact details must accompany each entry.

This competition is open to KS2 pupils

Closing Date – 22nd January 2018

For further details please e-mail Martin Hill
martin@gmartinhill.plus.com



Cumbria & Lancashire

Youth Service



The Rotary Club of Clitheroe

Young Photographer 2017-18

The Rotary Club of Clitheroe wants you to get snapping

To produce a portfolio of three photographs based upon the theme, 'A Different Perspective' in colour or black and white on photographic paper. Prints to be submitted separately. Each print, including any mount should be no larger than A4 size. Mobile Phones may be used.

No actual examples will be shown here as it will be up to the individual competitors to show their interpretation of the chosen topic.

District competition winners will be asked for a digital copy in jpg format and ideally 5MB for an A4 sized print, on disc (CD-R) or memory stick, as part of the national final submission. Please ensure every photograph, disc or memory stick submitted is clearly labelled with the name of the entrant.

In addition, each entrant should provide a brief sentence of what each photograph represents in relation to the theme.

The only limitation is your imagination!

One entry per person

Name, age and contact details must accompany each entry

Juniors – KS2 (Year 3, 4, 5 & 6)

Closing Date – March 10th 2018

For more information contact Jenny Woodward
Jenny@w84it.net



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Youth Service



The Rotary Club of Clitheroe

Young Writer 2017-18

The Rotary Club of Clitheroe want you to get writing and use your imagination and creativity

Produce a written or typed story entitled "A different perspective".

An A4 page or up to 500 words is a suggested submission.
The entry could be fiction or non-fiction, a story or a poem, as long as the piece relates to the theme.

One entry per person

Name, age and contact details must accompany each entry.

Juniors – KS2 (Year 3, 4, 5 & 6)

Closing Date – 26th March 2018

For more information email Peter Dixon
pjdixon2003@hotmail.com



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PUBLIC MEETING

TO BE HELD IN WHALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

TUESDAY 6TH FEBRUARY 2018 @ 7PM

TO DISCUSS WHALLEY MARKING THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE END OF THE GREAT WAR.

THIS YEAR ARMISTICE FALLS ON REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY AND IT WOULD BE FITTING THAT THE WHOLE COMMUNITY OF WHALLEY AND SURROUNDING VILLAGES CELEBRATE THE ARMISTICE AND REMEMBER THE 65 BOYS AND YOUNG MEN WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES FOR THEIR COUNTRY IN THE GREAT WAR.

THE PURPOSE OF THIS MEETING IS TO DISCUSS HOW WHALLEY MIGHT MARK THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE ARMISTICE, FORM AN ACTION GROUP AND GENERATE A PLAN FOR EVENTS.

ALL WELCOME!!



Tickets £6 for Adults
£3 for children from

Whalley Post Office



Jim's Garage, 21 King St



www.whalleyvillagehall.org.uk



01254 433971



Tickets sold on the night
if available

Bar including soft drinks

SATURDAY 20TH JAN 2018 @ 4PM

RIBCAGED ARE PUTTING ON A PANTOMIME FOR ALL THE FAMILY. There will be plenty of opportunity to join in the fun!



Whalley
Village
Hall



Accrington Road, Whalley, BB7 9TD

We have been asked to advertise the pantomime which takes place in January at Whalley Village Hall. Children may recognise Ric Hoyle in the poster as he has worked in school regularly with Ribcaged.

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