

# Weekly Bulletin

*After School Clubs – Week Commencing 30 April 2018*

Activity	Day	Time	Activity	Day	Time
Wind Band	Monday	3:15 - 4:15	Y1 Multi sports	Monday	3:10 - 4:30
Y4/5/6 Gym Squad	Wednesday	3:15 - 4:45	Choir	Thursday	3:15 - 4:15

Our Christian Value this half term is 'Justice'.

*We believe in justice for all. We will treat everyone fairly.*

Dear Parents



**FUNDRAISING** - Huge congratulations to the whole school for raising a massive **£1,487.21** for the NSPCC via all their different sponsored events! A big thank you to everyone who contributed and to all the children for their efforts.

## ATTENDANCE FOR WEEK COMMENCING 16 APRIL

Well done to the 3 classes with the highest attendance last week:

Joint 1<sup>st</sup> - RRB and 2SB with 99.3%

Joint 3<sup>rd</sup> — 1JB and 6AH with 99%



We had eight classes with an attendance over our 97% target! However, last week, 20 children lost a total of 98 minutes of education time due to lateness. Whole school attendance for the 2017-18 year up to 22 April is 96.6%. Let's continue to try to improve these figures - we are aiming for 97%!

**2018 UNIQUE WAYS SURVEY** - There is still time to be part of the 2018 Unique Ways survey - "What is it like to live as a family of a child with a disability or additional need in Calderdale?". This is your opportunity to contribute to the biggest single report on what it is like to live as a family of a child with a disability or additional need in Calderdale. The first section is about the charity Unique Ways and the next sections are about public services in Calderdale. You don't need to be a member of Unique Ways to complete the survey.

The survey can be found online at <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Survey2018Web> and if you would like support completing it, please call 01422 343090 or email [hi@uniqueways.org.uk](mailto:hi@uniqueways.org.uk). The closing date is 30th April 2018. Each completed survey will be entered into a prize draw to win one of four £50 Love2Shop vouchers.

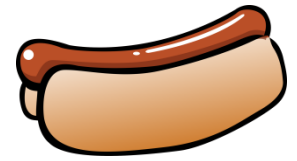
**OFFICE POST** — Please remember that when the office is busy or closed, you can leave documents/envelopes in the black post box on the wall by the office door. This box is secure and is checked every morning.

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**COME AND TRY OUR SCHOOL MEALS!** — On Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> May Mr Paul will be putting on a special menu and inviting everyone to try a school meal for the day:



Hot dog  
Chicken burger  
(& vegetarian/halal/gluten-free equivalents)  
Potato wedges  
Sweetcorn



The usual selection of jacket potatoes and sandwiches  
... *and a space rocket ice lolly!*



If your child already has a school meal on a Thursday, you do not need to do anything. If your child usually has a packed lunch and would like to try a school meal on this day, please complete the slip at the end of this bulletin and return it to school by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May. Meals will cost £2.10 as usual.

**REVISION GUIDES** — We have made some revision guides and quizzes available on the school website for parents to download and print as required. These guides will provide some useful practise for the upcoming assessments. SATs tests for Year 2 and Year 6 begin on Monday 14 May.



**BIKEABILITY** — Our seven Year 6 children all passed their Level One Bikeability tests during the Easter holidays and most also passed their Level Two tests — well done! If any other children are interested in taking their tests, sessions will be held at Halifax Fire Station during the holidays and can be booked via the Calderdale Get Active booklet.

**LOST BRACELET** — A big thank you to the parent who handed in the lost bracelet — it has now been reunited with its very grateful owner!



**CAR BOOT SALE** — The PFSA car boot sale takes place on Saturday 12 May between 9.00am and 11.00am. There are still a few places available and you need to book online at <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/lightcliffe-primary-pfsa-car-boot-table-top-sale-sat-12-may-2018-tickets-42227340111>. There will be refreshments available in the form of bacon or sausage sandwiches, tea, coffee and other snacks. This is a great chance to have a clear out and make some money or come along and grab a bargain!

**PARK TENNIS CLUB** - offer tennis coaching for kids of all ages on Wednesdays (after school) & Saturday mornings. For more info call Margaret on 07778 523867 or visit <https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/parktennisclub>



**CHESS CLUB** - Please note that today's chess club (Friday 27 April) will be the last one of this school year.

**FREE SCHOOL MEALS** - A child might be entitled to Free School meals if parents/carers are in receipt of any of the following benefits:

- Ⓢ Income support
- Ⓢ Income-based Jobseekers Allowance
- Ⓢ Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Ⓢ Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Ⓢ The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Ⓢ Child Tax Credit (provided they are not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190, as assessed by Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs)
- Ⓢ Working Tax Credit run-on - paid 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Ⓢ Universal Credit — your household income must be less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)



If you are in receipt of any of the above please follow the link below <http://www.calderdale.gov.uk/advice/benefits/schoolmeals/index.html> to apply online or call at the school office where we hold a supply of forms for parents and the staff will be delighted to assist you. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the School Business Manager, Mrs Bell in the school office or email [admin@lightcliffe.org](mailto:admin@lightcliffe.org).



**COME AND TRY OUR SCHOOL MEALS!**

My child ..... (name) .....(class)

would like a school meal on **Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> May**.

I enclose payment of £2.10  or I will pay online via School Money

*(please tick one box)*

Signed.....(parent) .....(date)

(Please return this slip by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May to the school office via your child's book bag, thank you)

Charles Woodbridge  
Headteacher

