

# Dalton Digest



April 2018

Last half term was a short one but as usual lots of exciting things happened around school. The weather was unkind to us but hopefully we can now look towards Spring and some much awaited sunshine. We hope you all had a great Easter Break and settling into yet another exciting new term!!



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Success does not run toward you, you run towards success

**PROJECT "Q"**

We have launched this project to raise enough money to transform the school quad. It has become overgrown and unkempt - in need of a major overhaul. This is going to cost in the region of £30,000 and to kick start this we have received in £17500 in grants. It is our intention that foreseeable fundraising events will be for this purpose, please help us reach this goal by supporting our efforts - every little helps!!

Additional Fund Raising so far:

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Mothers Day Shop	£865
Photograph Commission	£725.66
Parents Evening Collection	£84.50

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Easter Raffle £284.50

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Non-Uniform Day    £426.00

Class	Week Ending	Week Ending
	22.03.18 %age	29.03.18 %age
Nurs am	92.14	87.33
Nurs pm	97.73	93.73
R Myers/Inns	99.40	96.77
R Alder	90.63	94.13
R Metcalfe	90.13	94.66
1 Donnelly	92.34	94.57
1 Wilkinson	91.67	94.29
1/2 Stoker	92.19	95.85
2 Brad/Lewis	99.07	96.37
2 Butler	97.50	96.56
3 Bamforth	99.26	94.98
3 Edwards	98.89	95.46
4 Julien	90.73	94.48
4 Hill	96.09	95.22
5 Walker	96.48	96.52
5 Wood	93.75	95.26
6 Markez	98.39	95.31
6 Smitten	92.05	96.34

Year 5 Pupils have taken part in Bikeability sessions in school. They learnt to look after their bikes and ride safely on the roads



The class with the best attendance this year to date is Rec Myers /Inns with 97%

Class 1/2 Stoker were treated to a story of a very different kind last term, created by two of our visually impaired students. The students worked with Caroline Wilson, a Teacher of Visual Impairment at Moor End Academy, to create a story all about their condition in order to raise awareness amongst their peers. The story allowed their peers to understand the challenges associated with their visual impairment and how they can help support them. The class then got the chance to design their own pair of glasses - there were some wonderful creations!



Pupils from Year 6 took part in an activity weekend at Winmarleigh Hall, Preston. Unfortunately the "Beast from the East" made it's return which brought freezing temperatures and snow. The children had to return to school earlier than planned!! However they were able to take part in numerous activities and thoroughly enjoyed the experience.



On the 21st March, National Poetry Day pupils from Year 1 to Year 5 took part in a poetry competition. Children from each year group learnt and recited poems,



performed actions and dressed some pupils dressed in character.

It was a superb performance.

Our Easter egg Raffle raised £230.80



**Party in the Playground**

**Friday 6th July 2018**

A fun event for everyone. Starting at 3.30pm we are having our first Summer Party. Attractions to include live music, donkey rides, bouncy castles, tombolas etc  
**Further details to follow**

### **UPCOMING SCHOOL TRIPS**

**Chester Zoo - Year 6 - 16.05.2018**

**Lincoln Castle - Year 4 - 21.06.2018**

**Legoland - Reception - 26.06.2018**

### **SPONSORED COLOUR RUN**

**Friday 18th May 2018  
(Nursery 17th May 2018)**

All pupils are invited to take part in this exciting event.

Please encourage your friends and family to sponsor your child(ren) - proceeds to Project Q

