

## This weeks Earth Award Winners



## Our Stars of the week—Calder



## Copley Kids Can.....



## PUPIL ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Congratulations to all the pupils who have been elected into the roles of safeguarding, Eco Team and Befrienders.

### SECONDARY SCHOOL APPLICATION

#### Important reminder for Secondary School Transfers - September 2019

The closing date in which you can apply online, to select your preferences of schools, is 31st October 2018. Please visit [www.calderdale.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.calderdale.gov.uk/admissions) to complete your application.

	Befrienders	Eco Team	Safeguarding
Bankhouse	Layla	Henry	Charlie K
	Charlie C	Amelia	Nell
Greenpark	Milo	Rosie	Elsie
	Sofia	Archie	Jackson
Riverwood	Rebe	Rosa	Savannah
	Ted	Amos	Reuben
Springwood	Elsa	Chloe	Evan
	Archie	Joe	Grace
Calder	George	Jonah	Sophie P
	Jess G	Molly H	Toby
Lydbrook	Ellie	George	Oscar
	William	Avaline	Georgia
Woodhouse	Leila	Harrison	Alex
	Scarlett	Phoebe	Flo

### READING APPS

We are trying to encourage all our children to read more at home.

There are lots of free resources, ebooks and activities linked to reading which the children can enjoy on a laptop or computer.

Our recommendations are:

Oxfordowl.co.uk

RisingstarsUK.com

Topmarks.co.uk

Thank you to parents for considering the Haulage company issues with parking, we haven't had any more incidents reported to us this week

I am currently in conversation with the Highways department around possibly putting some zigzag lines opposite the traffic island to ensure cars are not parking here. This is causing concerns when parents are having to walk around the parked car into the flow of traffic. Please can we avoid parking directly opposite the crossing area outside of the new school, on the far side of the road.



### What's happening in school week beginning 15th October

Mon 15th Oct	•
Tues 16th Oct	
Wed 17th Oct	• Year 4 swimming
Thurs 18th Oct	• Groovy Moves after school club
Fri 19th Oct	• Cross Country event @ Ryburn • Calderdale eye test for EYFS • SOW—Springwood

### Weekly attendance % & number of pupils late in each class

Northdene	96	0
Bankhouse	96	0
Greenpark	97	1
Riverwood	97	0
Springwood	96	6
Calder	95	0
Lydbrook	96	3
Woodhouse	93	4

### Parent school meal taster

Thank you to all our parents who came along to sample our school dinners. The feedback was all positive and we would all like to say a big thank you to our chef Aaron.



### PARENTS EVENING

**Monday 22nd October and Tuesday 23rd October**

Appointment times will be sent home with your child next week

### Swimming Gala



Our annual KS2 swimming gala will be on Thursday 25th October, 13.30—14.45 at Halifax swimming pool. Letters have been sent home informing you if your child is swimming.

Tickets will be available at £1.00 each with a maximum of 2 per family.

### ART PROJECTS IN SCHOOL



Thank you to FOCSA for agreeing to help fund some exciting art projects taking place in school this term. I purposely designed the school with white walls so then we could add the colour through the children's work. We have teamed up with ARTWORKS, a new art gallery/studio at Shaw Syke In Halifax. They will be working with all the children over the next month or so, initially creating a huge 3D sculpture for the hall based around Eric Carle's Hungry Caterpillar book.

The staff will be having two training sessions. The first you can see on the photo below making the most of our new amazing learning spaces in school.

On November 13<sup>th</sup> the artists will be working with each class in turn to develop each segment of the caterpillar. We would love for any eager parents to come along and support the sessions with the children. If you are free on that day and can help, these are the times each class will be in the studio. We have capacity for two parents for each class so please get in touch via the school office if you would like to help out. If you can't make it to this session the next phase will be the construction of the butterfly from the story so we will keep you posted.

[9.15-10.00 Y1](#)

10.05-10.40 Y2

11.00-11.40 Y3

1.00-1.40 Y4

1.40-2.30 Y5

2.30-3.25 Y6

Please can all the children bring an old shirt on the 13<sup>th</sup> Nov as it could get quite messy!

Our Reception children are doing a separate event as they need to be outside for their wonderful creation for the caterpillar.

