

**AMOTHERBY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
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**NEWSLETTER 11<sup>th</sup> March 2016**

**Sport Relief – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March**

Mr Baggaley has been busy organising events for Sport Relief, so he hopes you will join in and get fit for Sport Relief!!

Amotherby CP School are proud to host a fun run during the school day, children are asked to bring £1 to take part :

EYFS 1-2 laps of the field

KS1 5 laps of the field

KS2 10 laps of the field

All children are invited to come to school and spend their day wearing their favourite sporty outfit.

Mr Baggaley will be leading a fitness session on the playground or in the hall (weather dependent) for all children and parents. We will be asking children to pay 50p and adults £1. A great way to start your day!



**BINGO Night – Great night out for all the family!**

The ASVs are organising a family fun Bingo Night in the school hall on **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March**. Doors open at 6pm for a 6.30pm start. Refreshments will be available throughout the night including Mrs Fox and her hot dogs with Mrs Matique's famous onions!! This is your chance to win an Easter Egg and all children will go home with a small prize. Come along and enjoy the fun with a guest bingo caller !!

**Cloakroom of the Week** Keeping school tidy is really important, Mrs Thorpe our caretaker is now giving out weekly awards to the tidiest cloakroom, this week the winners are Year 5.

**Funday Fridays!** Mrs Farmer and Mrs Wilkie are brightening up our spring days by asking classes to choose their favourite dinner each Friday!

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March Year 4** – Pizza and chips with sticky toffee pudding.

**Head Lice** We have had several reported outbreaks of head lice in school this week. Please check your child's head regularly. If you need further help then please ask at your local chemist or we can give you contact details for the school nurse.

**Scholastics Book Fair** Once again we will be holding a Scholastic Book Fair with a wide selection of books to buy or order. It will be open from 3.30-4.00pm each day from the **8<sup>th</sup> March until the 14<sup>th</sup> March** in the school library.

**E-Safety** Please remember to keep your child safe online, for useful guides please go to [www.kidsmart.org.uk](http://www.kidsmart.org.uk) , [www.nspcc.org.uk](http://www.nspcc.org.uk) and [www.safetynetkids.org.uk](http://www.safetynetkids.org.uk)

## New arrangements for home to school transport

All families who use home to school transport should have received a letter about new arrangements.

205R	Barton-Le-Street-Gt Barugh-Gt Habton- Amotherby School	Stephensons
283R	The Park Cottage, Hildenley To Amotherby School	Station Taxis
210R	Appleton Le Street To Amotherby C P School	Station Taxis

## Information from the Parish Council

The Parish Hall AGM will be held on Wed 23rd March at 7-30pm at the Hall. The Parish Hall was built to serve the four villages of Appleton, Amotherby, Swinton and Broughton and all but Amotherby are very under represented on the Management Committee. If you would be interested in supporting the Hall or joining us please come along!

A Car Boot & Table Top Sale will be held at the Parish Hall on Easter Monday, 9am to 1pm. If you would like a table/space please contact [anotherbyhall.trsr@btinternet.com](mailto:anotherbyhall.trsr@btinternet.com) or ring 695117.

A Parent & Toddler group is planned to start at the Parish Hall after Easter. If you would like more details or are interested in joining please contact Clare Almond [clareandjames@outlook.com](mailto:clareandjames@outlook.com) or ring 01653 489028.

Carers Support and St.Helen's Church are holding a Jigsaw Festival at the Parish Hall on Sat 19th March, 10am to 4pm. Refreshments all day and jigsaws for sale, please come and support this.

Spring is coming and the grass is growing--if you would be willing to join the rota of volunteers to help keep the grass at St.Helen's Church cut please contact Nige Ballard [anotherbypc.chair@btinternet.com](mailto:anotherbypc.chair@btinternet.com) or ring 695117.

## Dates for Diaries At A Glance

### March

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> – National Science Week**

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> – Parents' Evening**

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> – Parents' Evening**

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> - Sport Relief**

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> - Year 2 Class Assembly**

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> – Family Bingo Night**

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> – Year 6 Class Assembly**

**Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> – Meeting for Year 4 – East Barnby**

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> – Non – Uniform Day**

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> – Easter Egg Competition**

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> – End of Term**

### Holidays

**School Closes Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March**

**School opens Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April**

**Bank holiday Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May – school closed**

**School closes Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May**

**School opens Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June**

**School closes Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July**

*Sue Knowles (Head)*

