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TREETOPS - Book

Before &
After School
Care here... 

SCHOOL DINNERS

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(£12.75pw) Please
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WEEKLY Roundup In the news this week:

- **HUGE THANKS** go to **Year 6** for organising such a **brilliant Sports Day!** They were amazing - organised, fun, thoughtful, and encouraging. All the children and families taking part had a great time and really appreciated Year 6's hard work. Maybe we have some future teachers in the making... Thanks Year 6 - you're fab!
- The **Sizzling Summer Fair** was a roaring success, raising a total so far of £405.25 We still have hamper raffle tickets on sale until Wednesday and bun/cakes for sale this afternoon.
- **Year 6** enjoyed their **'Moving On' journey** where they had time to reflect upon their time and achievements at Luddenden CE School and their next steps.
- We are thrilled to announce that **Mr Charnley and Miss Bardsley have been appointed as Assistant Heads** - during a gruelling interview process they both blew us away with their skills, knowledge and ideas for our school. **Well done & Congratulations** to them both!
- Calderdale library services visited school to tell us all about the summer reading challenge - see page 2 for more details.
- All the teachers have been busy writing all sorts of wonderful things about the children - look out for **End of Year Reports** being emailed out **early next week**

Important dates for next week:

- Thursday 16th July - 2pm - Year 6 leavers' performance
- Friday 17th July - 9:15ish - Church Service @ St Mary's

See P3 for details of a Design a Road Safety Poster competition

Just so you know in good time....



Years 4, 5 and 6 will be swimming on Wednesday mornings when we come back in September

We will be having a special assembly to find out all about this on

Thursday 9th July

THE
READING
AGENCY

READ to the BEAT

Summer
Reading
Challenge

Visit Calderdale Libraries to take part in the Summer Reading Challenge!

**Read 6 library books to earn a
medal, certificate and prize.**

**YOU CAN CHOOSE ANY BOOKS
YOU WANT!**

**There will also be lots of fun
story and craft events across
library branches all summer!**



**Challenge starts on
Saturday 4th July
Register for free in
any Calderdale
Library**

Calderdale
Council



**Find out more about our
upcoming events at
calderdale.spydus.co.uk**





Design a road safety poster and win shopping vouchers

Calderdale Council would like young people to help raise awareness of road safety. Your challenge is to create a poster that promotes road safety to your community using one of the themes below:

- **Buckle Up!** - Seat belts keep everyone safer. Little ones need the right car seat too.
- **Stop, Look, Listen, THINK** - Use the Green Cross Code every time you cross.
- **No Distractions** - Phones away, headphones off, eyes up. Messages can wait until you're safely across.
- **Use Safer Crossings** - Zebra crossings, traffic lights, islands — they're there to help you.
- **Watch Out for Parked Cars** - Look carefully when crossing between parked cars.
- **Be Bright, Be Seen** - Wear bright or reflective clothes, especially when it's dark.
- **Know the Risks** - People aged 12–15 are more likely to be in collisions — think safety.

One winning design will be chosen from each theme. The designs will be used in promoting road safety by Calderdale Council and partners. The winners will be announced at our community road safety Vision Zero event at People's Park in Halifax on Thursday 13 August and presented with their prizes.

- The competition is open to young people aged 18 and under who live or go to school in the Calderdale area.
- The poster should be A4, can be hand drawn or done using a computer but it should be your own work. You should not use AI to create the poster or include any elements which would breach copyright.
- Please state on the back of the poster the category you are entering, your first name, age and contact details for your parents/guardian or organisation.
- Entries must be submitted by 17:00 on 9 August 2026 to visionzeroposter@calderdale.gov.uk or can be posted/delivered to Halifax Town Hall, Crossley Street, Halifax HX1 1UJ.

For full terms and conditions and information on GDPR, please visit the event link below.

Find out more about the Vision Zero event at www.westyorks-ca.gov.uk/vz-event or scan the QR code.





Bring your own picnic & chairs or blanket

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CHILDREN UNDER 4 GO FREE**



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luddendenchurch.org.uk

FOLLOW ON
FACEBOOK



This week's Gold Book Superstars are....

Oak Class

- ◆ Leo-Stephen is one of the most well-mannered boys I have taught. He always uses please and thank you and what is really pleasing is that other teachers in the school often tell Mr Charnley what a polite boy he is. Manners cost nothing but mean everything. Well done Leo.
- ◆ Alexia has brightened up the classroom all year with her smile and laughter. She always greets Mr Charnley, Mrs Wilkinson and Mrs Hoyle with a happy bounce in her step and a kind, friendly greeting. Every single day, Alexia shows us how kind and caring she is, particularly to the younger children in school who love her as much as she loves them. She even makes sure that Mr Charnley is all right, which is very much appreciated and, on some days, very much needed! Alexia is a star in every way, and she will be missed a great deal next year, but she should know that she will always be part of our school family.
- ◆ Jack is an absolute star! It has been a joy to watch him flourish this year in confidence. He has such a wonderful personality, a cheeky smile and a brilliant sense of humour. Jack was a delight on the journey to Leeds for Maths City, and a highlight of the year for Mr Charnley was sitting with Jack on the train and hearing his superb knowledge of trains and buses – Mr Charnley learnt a lot that day! Jack has shown real character throughout the year and, having seen him on his transition days, he is ready for the new challenges of high school. He will be greatly missed, but he will always be part of our school family.
- ◆ Mason has been a joy to have in Year 6 this year. He is a real character, with a brilliant sense of humour and a smile that can often get him exactly what he wants! Mason loves making people happy and he is always ready with a joke or cheerful comment when someone needs lifting. Mason is also someone the adults can rely on, as if a job needs doing, he is often the go-to. He, like Jack and Alexia will be missed by many members of staff, particularly Mr Culpan, as they've both been Team Jay all year. Mason should know, just like everybody else, that he will always be part of our school family. We will miss him a lot.

Elm Class

- ◆ Olivia for all of her thoughtful writing this week and term. I was very impressed by Olivia's lovely comments in her card to the Open the Book volunteers and she has shown a good understanding of language when writing balanced arguments.
- ◆ Eli and Reuben for their fantastic sporting attitudes and helpfulness during Sports Day. They both took part in everything and did it with a smile before helping to clear away things from the pitch.
- ◆ Bohdi for his enthusiasm during our lesson on the Ancient Greek Olympics. It was a joy to see Bohdi bring his love of sport into our history lesson.

Sycamore Class

- ◆ Dougie showed fantastic resilience during sports day! He was apprehensive during the sack race, but found the courage to give it a go and really enjoyed it! Additionally, Dougie has been spotted by a number of adults this week, showing kindness to his friends on the playground when they were feeling sad. Well done, Dougie!
- ◆ Vin has worked so hard this week, despite it being so close to the end of term and very warm. If anything, this seems to have given him more energy! In Science, he created a brilliant diagram showing the muscles of the human body. Mrs Hoyle also noted that he was incredibly focused in Geography when designing a house suitable for the people of Yakutia. Perhaps he will be a future architect! Well done, Vin.

Acorns & Willow Class

- ◆ Exceptional behaviour on our trip to Playtopia. They were so sensible walking to the bus, crossing the roads, etc! We had lots of fun in Playtopia! They were aware of others and kind to each other. Superstars!

Star Room

- ◆ Sammy has made us so proud with the progress he has made lately. He is now interacting much more and focusing on his favourite activities and songs. He is a happy, confident and settled member of the star room. Well done Sammy!

TEAM POINTS

The Team Point Pixies have been flying round and adding up all the team points.

They have been counted and verified...

and the winner is...



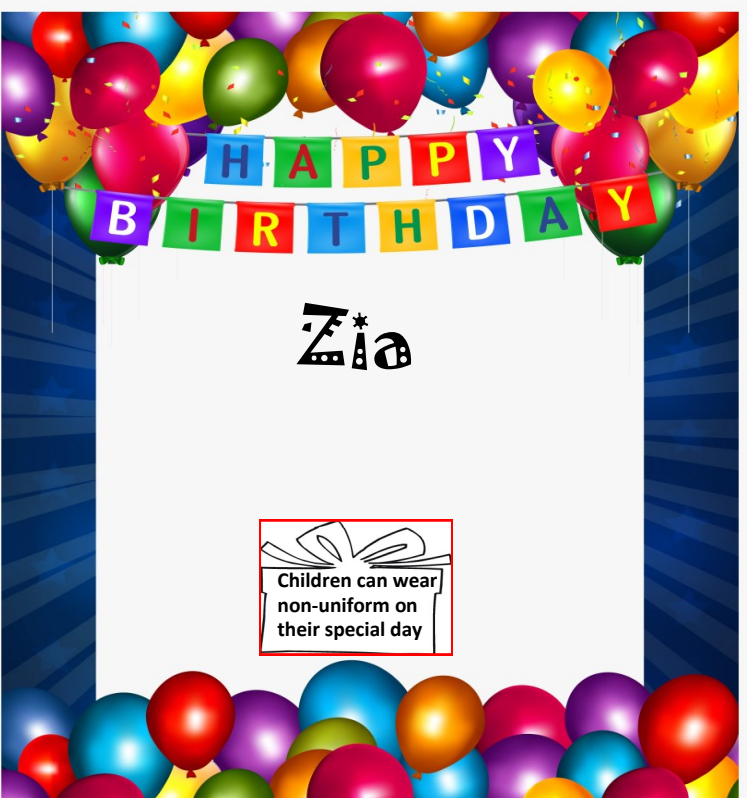
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WELL DONE TREASURES!!!



BRILLIANT BLUE PUPILS

Riley, Scarlett, Charlie, Pippa,
Vin, Effie, Florence

Zia

Children can wear non-uniform on their special day

WEEKLY MEAL PLANNER:

- All meal choices are homemade, from scratch by chefs using high quality raw ingredients that are unprocessed and where applicable, seasonal. All Milk products are made with organic milk
- All meat products are Red Tractor accredited
- All fish products are M.S.C accredited

If you have any questions or special dietary requirements please don't hesitate to get in touch!



How many planet friendly options are you choosing this week?

WEEK 1	Main Course	Vegetarian Option	Served With	Dessert
MONDAY	Meatballs In Tomato Sauce With Pasta	Cheese and Onion Roll	Sliced Potatoes Sweetcorn	Orange Cake Fresh Fruit Salad Yoghurt
TUESDAY	Hot Dog	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Herby Potatoes Fresh Salad	Summer Fruit Crumble & Custard Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY	Creamy Chicken and Vegetable Pie	Veg Sausage and Yorkshire Pudding	Duchesse Potatoes Carrots, Gravy	Chocolate Cake and Ice Cream Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
THURSDAY	Chilli Con Carne with Rice	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Baked Beans	Steamed Rice	Choc Chip Shortbread Biscuit Fresh fruit Yoghurt
FRIDAY	Battered Fish	Quorn Southern Burger	Chips Peas	Arctic Roll Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
WEEK 2	Main Course	Vegetarian Option	Served With	Dessert
MONDAY	Chicken Goujons	Veggie Hotdog	Wedges Sweetcorn	Summer Berry Traybake Fresh Fruit Salad Yoghurt
TUESDAY	Pasta Bolognaise & Garlic Slice	Cheese and Onion Pie	Herby Diced Potatoes Baked Beans	Cherry Biscuit Fresh Fruit Salad Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY	Chicken Fajitas	Pesto Pasta with Garlic Slice	Cous Cous Fresh Salad	Caribbean Sponge & Custard Fresh Fruit Salad Yoghurt
THURSDAY	Sausage and Yorkshire Pudding	Macaroni Cheese	Roast Potatoes Broccoli	Jelly and Ice Cream Fresh Fruit Salad
FRIDAY	Battered Fish	Falafel Wrap	Chips Peas	Fruit Muffin Fresh Fruit Salad Yoghurt
WEEK 3	Main Course	Vegetarian Option	Served With	Dessert
MONDAY	Pepperoni Panini Pizza	Veggie Burger In a Bun	Wedges Spaghetti Hoops	Fruity Flapjack Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
TUESDAY	Crispy Chicken Wrap with Salad & Mayo	Pesto Pasta & Garlic Slice	Criss Cross Fries Sweetcorn	Eve's Pudding & Custard Fresh Fruit Salad Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY	Ham and Cheese Panini	Quorn Dippers	Potato Puffs Fresh Salad	Iced Sponge Finger Fresh Fruit Salad Yoghurt
THURSDAY	Sausage Roll	Veggie Ravioli	Curly Fries Broccoli	Rice Pudding & Fruit Jam Fresh Fruit Salad
FRIDAY	Battered Fish	Veggie Sausage Roll	Chips Peas	Chocolate & Raspberry Brownie Fresh Fruit Salad Yoghurt

**The supplier reserves the right to change, modify, substitute or remove, without notice, any item on this menu as deemed necessary.*