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FERRYHILL SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

INTEGRITY | CREATIVITY | EXCELLENCE



Lyle, Lyle Crocodile - Another Great Key Project

A small group of year 9 students have been part of a Key project.

On Wednesday 19th they went to a private screening of Lyle, Lyle Crocodile, a new film based on a great book by Bernard Waber!

The film follows the Primm family as they move to New York City. Their young son, Josh, struggles to adapt to his new school and friends. All of that changes when he discovers Lyle, a singing crocodile that loves baths, caviar and great music. The two become best friends!

The film covers topics of acceptance, confidence building, fear and friendship.



BTEC Exam Dates w/c Monday 30 January 2023



**Monday 30 January 2023
BTEC Engineering (Practical)
Time TBC**

**Monday 30 January 2023
BTEC Health and Social
1:30 – 3:30pm**

**Tuesday 31 January 2023
BTEC Enterprise
1:30 – 3:30pm**

**Wednesday 1 February 2023
BTEC Digital Information
8:30 – 10:30am**

**Friday 3 February 2023
BTEC Engineering (Written)
8:30 – 10:30am**

Help for families



**That Bread and Butter Thing
are a charity who organise
donations from
supermarkets and
wholesalers and give out
food to local families.**

**Membership fees are just
£7.50 a week, and for that,
they give out approximately
£35 of fresh food, fruit and
vegetables, and cupboard
staples such as bread and
cereals.**

**You can pay by cash or card
at the hubs, and our nearest
are in Spennymoor and
Bowburn. You can also have
someone collect the food for
you, and they accept Healthy
Start vouchers.**

**For more information, please
visit
www.breadandbutterthing.org/members**

STUDENT BREAKFAST SERVICE

Students are able to grab a free slice of toast or a bagel between 8:00 - 8:25am every morning before the school day starts.



LOST PROPERTY

If you know your child is missing an outdoor coat, please send them to see Mrs Langdale in room 11 with a description.

Alternatively, you can email lla@ferryhill.school to see if the coat is there, please include your child's name.

Any coats NOT CLAIMED by half term will be donated to the local Ukraine Refugee Project.

Readers of the Fortnight

Each fortnight we will celebrate the fantastic effort and progress our students are making with their Reading - well done to this fortnight's readers!!

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Year 7
Katy S
Roselilly W
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Year 8
Niamh S
Simon W
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Year 9
Catherine Q
Thomas M

HUGE WELL DONE to 7KC

This week's winners for both the best attendance AND most achievement points!!

for students

**Take what you need,
when you need it**

In school we have free sanitary products available to all female students.

Students can call into room 11 and see Mrs Langdale for these before lesson 1, at break, lunch or after school.

We have a range of Always pads and Tampax

There is also a range of Lilets Organic products and MidiBodi - reusable pants.

Students can take packs home.

As a school we are campaigning against period poverty and such products being taxed.

School Equipment now available to buy on ParentPay.

In Technology and Creativity, we already provide general materials and basic equipment for students to complete their work within areas of the department free of charge. Unfortunately, prices have increased and we will need to charge students £4.00 a term. This will include all products within Resistant Materials, Textiles, Graphics and CAD/CAM and students will be able to take their products home.



£10 Casio Scientific Calculator and Pencil Case (Pencil case, 3 black pens, 2 green pens, 2 pencils, 2 small & 1 large ruler, rubber, pencil sharpener, compass, protractor, glue stick & 2 highlighters)

£8.55 Casio Scientific Calculator

£2.50 Pencil Case (Pencil case, 3 black pens, 2 green pens, 2 pencils, 2 small & 1 large ruler, rubber, pencil sharpener, compass, protractor, glue stick & 2 highlighters)

Internet Safety Tip!

Remember to check your security settings often and check who can see your posts.

SCARTLET BAND BUS SERVICE

We have just been informed that Scarlett Band will no longer be providing a 'pay' bus service from after the autumn half term. This bus was self-financing and started off as a public service bus with the school giving permission for it to come on site to pick our students up from the safety of the site as opposed to from a bus stop outside the school. We are not aware of any other contractor who wish to offer their transport services to the students of Ferryhill at the moment so in the meantime students will have to make their own way to and from school from 31/10/22.

ASSEMBLIES

Our weekly assembly on return from half term will be focussed on 'Creating a Culture of Excellence' ran by Learning Coordinators



Extracurricular Timetable



INTEGRITY CREATIVITY EXCELLENCE
EXTRACURRICULAR TIMETABLE



MONDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
READING CLUB ALL YEAR GROUPS ROOM 14 MISS GIBBS JGI@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	STEAM CLUB (STARTS 2 ND NOVEMBER) ALL YEAR GROUPS ROOM 48/50 MR KNAGGS SKN@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	SEWING CLUB ALL YEAR GROUPS ROOM 20 MRS CASEMORE STARTS 6 TH OCTOBER BCA@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL
PRIDE CLUB ALL YEAR GROUPS WEEK A ONLY ROOM 18 MRS LUNN MLU@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	DRAMA CLUB ALL YEAR GROUPS MAIN SCHOOL HALL MRS SOWERBY BSO@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	FOOTBALL ALL YEAR GROUPS SPORTS HALL MR ELLIOTT CEL@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL
SMARTIES CLUB (CHECK START DATE WITH MRS CASEMORE) ALL YEAR GROUPS ROOM 20	NETBALL ALL YEAR GROUPS SPORTS HALL MISS STOREY IST@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	ENVIRONMENT CLUB ALL YEAR GROUPS ROOM 35 MR HENDERSON GHE@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL
SPORTS LEADERS QUALIFICATION (SPORTS LEADERS ONLY) WITH MISS STOREY IST@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	HISTORY CLUB (WEEK A ONLY) ROOM 19 MR HANDLEY SHA@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	CHOIR ROOM 55 MR POULSTON JPO@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL
DODGEBALL ALL YEAR GROUPS SPORTS HALL MR HEPPELL JHE@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	ART CLUB ALL YEAR GROUPS WEEK B ONLY, ROOM 47 MR SUTHERLAND TSU@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	
BOARD GAME CLUB ALL YEARS ROOM 12 MISS CORNER CCO@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	HOMEWORK CLUB ALL YEARS ROOM 36 MISS TEBBS AND DR WAUGH (RUNS MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS)	
DEBATE CLUB ROOM 19 WEEK B ONLY MR HANDLEY		