

Scarcliffe Primary School

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School Newsletter Friday 21st March 2025

Please see below for the latest information and upcoming events happening at Scarcliffe.

Baby Horton

On Friday the 7th March, Mr Horton and his wife, Mrs Horton, welcomed their baby boy into the world - Albie Douglas Horton. I'm sure that you will all join me in wishing them a huge congratulations Mr Horton is currently on paternity leave and will return on Monday 24th March.



Poetry by Heart

Last week, Olivia competed in the Redhill Trust Poetry by Heart final at The Bolsover School. She performed the poem, 'The Boneyard Rap,' in front of an audience of adults, primary and secondary pupils. We are very proud of Olivia's efforts. Well done Olivia!



Redhill Reading Book Awards

On Friday 14th March, 4 pupils from Class 4 attended

the Redhill Reading Book awards final at The Carlton School. Madison, Willow, Martha and Minty had spent time reading 6 recommended books, then in January voted for their favourite. At the event, the author of the 2024 book awards (Simon James Green) visited, did a Q&A with the children and spoke all about what inspired him to become an author. He also signed our books! The winner of the 2025 competition was Matt Goodfellow, author of, 'The Final Year.'



School Trips

On the 3rd April, years 2 and 3 will spend a night at Lea Green on their first school residential. We hope they have a fantastic time!



Easter plans

To celebrate Easter, raise money for school and just for a little fun, we have decided - once again - to hold a boiled egg decorating contest for the children to get involved in. Children are invited to decorate an egg (or eggs) at home and bring their entry to school on Wednesday 2nd April 2025. The eggs will be displayed in classrooms and children will then be able to look at the work everyone has done. We are asking for a voluntary contribution of £1 to enter, with money raised going towards end of year treats for the children. The winning egg from each class will get a prize!



We will also hold our annual egg hunt in school on the same day.

We have been very fortunate to receive a donation from The Blakemore Foundation which we have used towards buying prizes and treats for our children.



School uniform

A little reminder of the school uniform policy. Please can children stick to the following?

- Blue or white polo shirt
- Royal blue sweatshirt with or without the school logo
- Black or grey trousers, shorts, skirt or pinafore dress
- Black shoes

If anyone would like to purchase uniform displaying the school logo, this can be done via My sprint Sports (the link to their website is on our school website.)

Toys in school

Some small toys and other items from home have been making their way into school recently. Please can children be reminded not to bring toys to school unless otherwise agreed by their class teacher? Thank you for your support.



