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## **Guy Fawkes Night**

Fireworks zooming in the air  
Sparks and flashes everywhere  
Fireworks go high out of sight  
Popping and banging long into the night.

by Sam Marshall

Fireworks whizzing through the air  
Bang and fizzle everywhere  
Another one zooms up very far  
Bursts into a fountain like a star.

by Louise Van Gent

## **Botton School Cards**

We have just printed 3 more beautiful cards:

*Snail* by Luke Class 5

*Apple picking* by Aiden Class 3

*Sunflower* by Raigards class 4

They will be sold in the Gift Shop and Bookshop  
for 70p each, and from me or at the for 60p.

Marie-Reine

## **Advent Gardens**

Advent will begin for school on Sunday, 2<sup>nd</sup>  
December with the Advent Garden in the School  
Hall at 3 pm. All are welcome and should plan to  
arrive in good time. Schoolchildren will sit with  
their classes. The Church Advent Garden for  
younger children will begin at 3.30 pm.

## **Welcome to Kindergarten**

Welcome to Ruby Hollins, aged four, and her  
mother, Nicky, who have moved from near Leeds  
to Dove Cottage, Low Mill, York, YO62 7UY  
(Tel 01751 430203.) Ruby begins attending  
kindergarten this week.

## **Shoots & Roots**

Invitation to all Young Folks 11 – 20 years  
Music & Drama Group. Meets Fridays @  
Castleton Chapel Rooms 6-8pm Free

Interested in music, song, local heritage, drama,  
art? Come along and see what's on offer or call  
Jeanette 01287 660200

<http://www.myspace.com/shootsroots>

Project funded through **HLF & Festival on the  
Moor**

## **Advent Sale Posters**

Parents should find one or two posters for the  
Advent Sale enclosed with this edition of the  
Courier. We want to attract a large number of  
visitors and we have a beautiful poster, based on a  
drawing by Julie Easley, which, printed up by the  
Camphill Press, was not cheap to produce. Please  
do not waste the posters; please take the trouble to  
place them carefully and imaginatively where they  
will be seen - attaching to car windows can be  
quite a good idea - and, if you really find you run  
out of possible locations, return any surplus to me  
so that they can be used by others.

Thank you – Michael

## **Letter Inserting Reminder – 22 to 27 November**

Please remember that it's letter inserting this  
week. This is a big fundraiser and any failure to  
show up plays havoc with the schedule. The  
following, as 'underlined' persons, should please  
remind their teams in plenty of time: Griffiths,  
Cordel, Welburn, Grainger, Davis, Toyota, Rams  
botham, Jarvis, Darrell.

# Calendar

## **Blitz Clean: Saturday 5/ 1/ 08**

Class 1/2 Carol Burnham

## **Coordinators' Meeting**

Botton Farm: Monday 14 January 2008

**Craft Group:** Thursdays 8.45 Botton Farm

**Eurythmy Classes:** Thursdays 8.45 School Hall

**Anthroposophical group:** Dec.7th, Jan.18th,  
Feb.15th, Feb.29th, Apr.25th, May 9th, June 6th.

**Eskdale Trust Council:** Tuesdays at 20.00:

27 Nov, 26 Feb, 15 April, 20 May, 17 June.

**Letter inserting:** November 22, 23, 24, 26, 27

## **Parents' Meetings**

Tuesdays at 20.00:

20 Nov Class 7/8

11 Mar Class 3/4 18 Mar Class 7/8

22 Apr Class 1/2 29 Apr Class 5/6

13 May Class 7/8

## **Events**

Sun 2 Dec Advent Garden

Sun 9 Dec School Advent Fayre

Thank you again to Catherine Hollis who types all the hand written articles... Please send them in good time...

**Next Copy date:** 29.11.2007

Please send handwritten articles to Marie-Reine Adams or to the school, and you can also email articles from the website or from the address at the top of the courier.

Lee and Marie-Reine

**\* IMPORTANT \* IMPORTANT \* IMPORTANT \***

Here is the rota for the Advent Fair - please note that organisers have to get in touch with their helpers to arrange shift times. We hope you are happy with your slots.

<b>STALL/ACTIVITY</b>	<b>ORGANISER</b>	<b><u>HELPERS</u></b>
GINGERBREAD HOUSES	ANDY & HELLENA BARNETT	JULIE TYRKA LOUISE RICHARDSON CLASS 5/6
CANDLE DECORATING	MARGARET GRIFFITHS	FIONA FEARNLEY SABINE HOPE (1H)
WAFFLES	MICHAEL CORDEL	JOANNE KING SHARON GOLDING DANIELLA/SIMON
TISSUE STARS	SUE BOHLEN	KARI WHITE CLASS 7/8
GNOME GARDENS	CAROL BURNHAM/ TRACEY STEELE	GNOMES: YOKO TOYOTA SHINO NOONAN KATERINA NEMCOVA  GARDEN: KATHERINE SHAW
CANDLE DIPPING	MARK ELLIS	PETER RAMSBOTHAM ANTONIA MCARDLE
TOMBOLA WOW	ANTHEA&NIGEL STOCK	CLASS 3/4
SECOND HAND BOOKS	SIMON GRIMSHAW	GABRIELLA VASAS- TURNBULL(3-5) LYRE 1:30-2:30
HOME PRODUCE	FEE VAN GENT	JEM GRIFFITHS(1-3) DIANE HAMMILL(3-5)