



**West Cliff  
Primary School  
Newsletter  
10.01.13**



**Celebration Assembly**

Our celebration assembly will be on Friday morning at 9.05. Please come and see your child receive their certificate if you possibly can.

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| <b>Puffin Class -</b>   | <b>Wednesday Harland</b> |
| <b>Starfish Class -</b> | <b>Sam Brown</b>         |
| <b>Turtle Class -</b>   | <b>Maya Gildroy</b>      |
| <b>Penguin Class -</b>  | <b>Sophie Holden</b>     |
| <b>Seahorse Class -</b> | <b>Grace Hall</b>        |
| <b>Dolphin Class -</b>  | <b>Chloe Coverdale</b>   |
| <b>Seal Class-</b>      | <b>Maisie Pike</b>       |

**Happy New Year !! and Welcome Back**

It is lovely to see so many smart children returning to school in the New Year ready to learn. This term we are continuing to concentrate on 'Looking Like a Learner', and we are mapping out the journey of our dreams and aspirations - the message being 'Anything is Possible!' All of our children will be making a dream book to map their aspirations, so please spend time with your child talking about their aspirations and helping them find pictures or information about how to achieve these. You may also want to start a dream book too.....

**Looking like a Learner**

We want every child to 'look like a learner' so they can learn as much as possible, every single day. Last half term, our School Council discussed suggestions from across the school about what it meant to 'look like a learner' and the poster on the back of this newsletter was produced to reflect our school-wide beliefs. Please talk to your child about their learning perhaps asking them how they have shown the learning behaviour and attitudes at school each day. The children chosen to receive a certificate in Friday's assembly each week will be those who have demonstrated the learning behaviour and skills shown on the posters, which will be displayed around school. Our aim is to encourage children to become independent and lifelong learners in order to achieve their goals.

**Olympic Visitor**

We are going to be visited on Wednesday by Olympian Rachael Mackenzie who is a Thai boxer. Your children will be researching her achievements before her arrival so ask them all about her.

**Congratulations**

**Miss Locker!**

I am sure that most of you have guessed by her lovely little bump, but Miss Locker is expecting a baby in the summer. Huge congratulations to Miss Locker and her boyfriend Andy.

**Monday Magic**

Monday Magic menu will be fish and chips or pasta in tomato sauce topped with cheese followed by shortbread biscuit.

**Ocean Fun Club (before and after school)**

Can I please remind you that wherever possible you need to book your child into Ocean Fun Club and pay in advance - all money should be given to Mrs Grady in a marked envelope. Please note that Ocean Fun Club is now in Seahorse classroom before and after school.

**Choir**

Miss Boorer will be starting a recorder group for old and new members from Year 1 upwards on Thursday lunchtime at 12.30 p.m. Please see Miss Boorer before next week if you wish to join.

**Football Club**

Football will be on as normal from next week. Mr Stabler's will be for Year 2 and 3.

**Netball Club**

Netball Club will now be on a Thursday night after school.

**Cooking Club**

Cooking Club starts on Tuesday for Year 3 and 4. Letters have been given out to those children who have shown an interest

**Moshi Monster Club**

Can I please remind you that children should only bring moshi monsters to the club that they want to swap. Please do not bring any that are precious, only bring spares!!!

**Mini Monsterz Trip**

Our yellow team are going to Mini Monsterz tomorrow for collecting the most team tokens. Please send the consent slip back if you have not yet done so. I hope all of our children are going to have the New Year's Resolution that they are not going to appear on their class behaviour sheet this term, and collect as many team tokens as they can!

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