

THE LATEST FROM LEAVENING

Friday 19th June 2020



A WORD FROM MRS MITCHELL...

I hope you have all had a decent week and are all well. This week we have been busy preparing for more of our pupils to return to school this coming Monday.

I know these are anxious times for all concerned but be assured your children are in very capable hands, support and love from all of our staff.

We are really pleased that so many of our pupils are returning before the summer break. In particular Mrs Peers who is delighted that she will get to say goodbye to some of her class in person.

We were very privileged that the Gazette and Herald contacted us to contribute to their article about primary schools returning. We are especially proud and privileged that we are in a position to be able to offer the option of returning to school for all of our school year groups as I understand we are in the significant minority doing so. This is another advantage of our small pupil numbers and extensive indoor and outdoor classroom space.

We are currently in the process of recruiting our Oak Trees class teacher for September as well as a teaching assistant in Acorns class. I will let you know when we have appointed.

I hope you have a lovely weekend and do remember that we are here to support you in any way.

Very best wishes
Sian Mitchell

In other news...

I have been trying to keep myself busy during lockdown with lots of dog walks and a bit of gardening. I've also done a bit of baking but I've had to stop that or I will need bigger jeans ☹️



I've attached a photo of some swans and their babies on a local pond. Everyone has been watching them sat on their eggs for weeks and this is the result! I've also one of Henry my youngest grandson trying on his new hat. See you all soon.

-Linda (the cleaner/caretaker!)



As things start to return to normal and the clay shooting grounds reopen, I've been able to get out and get some practice in. As well as shooting, I've been doing lots of baking and walking!

Love Miss Marshall

Xx



Leavening School in the News!

In this week's Gazette & Herald, Mrs Mitchell tells of welcoming back school children: 'Positive' response to pupils' return

SCHOOL WRITING COMPETITION: THE COUNTRYSIDE CHARITY

2020-2021

CPRE (The Countryside Charity North Yorkshire) have just launched their School Writing Competition 2020–2021: **“My North Yorkshire During Lockdown”**

They have invited all Primary Schools in North Yorkshire to take part.

Children will gain ideas for their entry by spending time in the North Yorkshire countryside during the Lockdown with their family.

On their return to formal lessons, time would be spent as a class or via home-learning, creating their entry, before a collective submission is sent to us by the deadline of Friday 23rd October 2020.

CPRE will be donating £400 to the winning school and a book token to the winning entries.



More information to follow soon...!