



Headteacher – Mrs. Fiona Newton

Chair of Governors – Mr. David Graham

Website – www.askam.cumbria.sch.uk

E-mail office@askam.cumbria.sch.uk

March 2018

Governor Vacancy

We currently have a vacancy on our governing body for a partnership governor. If you know anyone who might be interested, please do ask them to get in touch with the clerk to the governors clerk@askam.cumbria.sch.uk by Thursday 29th March.

Partnership governors are appointed by the governing body after seeking nominations from parents and others in the community.

There are some disqualifications which apply to this post. They cannot be:

- Parent of a registered child at the school
- Anyone eligible to be a staff governor
- Elected members for the LA
- Anyone employed by the LA in connection with their education functions
- Registered pupils at the school



Easter Egg Competition

We would like to invite all children to submit a decorated egg. Could children please bring their entries to school on the morning of Tuesday 27th of March when they will be judged and prizes awarded in our Thumbs Up Thursday assembly. Entries can be any theme they choose.

Community Police

I have recently been in contact with Louise Johns P.C.S.O. regarding a number of community matters including concerns regarding dog owners not clearing up after their dogs and reports of drug syringes being left in the park areas.

Louise has informed me that the current Dog Control Orders have not yet been revised by the Barrow Borough Council and legal services are working on this. If anyone has any information about offenders, times of day, locations etc. please contact Louise via 101 101@cumbria.police.uk



School Meals



I have recently had a meeting with Orian who provide our school meals, and they are increasing the price of each meal and other costs associated to providing the meals. Unfortunately, this means we need to pass this cost on to parents. From Monday 16th April, school meals will cost £2.40 a day/ £12 a week.

Reading Stars

Last Friday, 'Floppy the Owl' (named by a pupil in Reception class) was awarded to Year 5 as they had the highest percentage of children reading at least 4 times a week although other classes were very close. To receive a star on their book mark, children must return their reading record, signed at home, on Wednesday morning please along with their homework.



Best Wishes,

F Newton
Mrs. Fiona Newton
Headteacher

