

2012 Lake District Panoramic Calendar By Landscape Photographer Ged Hickey

A stunning selection of photographs of mountain & lakeside views have been brought together in this amazing must have Calendar for 2012.

The collection consists of photographs from Windermere, Derwent Water, Wastwater, Striding Edge and Ashness Bridge to name but a few.

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GENEROUS Head teacher Jonathan Harrison, principal and mother Jan Harrison, and pupils hand over £100 to record-breaking marathon runner Andrew Ronnan who collected the cheque on behalf of Asthma UK

Family values 'key' at school

■ But head criticises
'inclusion' policy in
state education

By **NAFEESA SHAN**
Education reporter

STUDENTS at a Ribbles Valley school were praised for their hard work over the course of last year.

Staff and parents joined youngsters from Moorland School, Clitheroe, for its annual prizegiving ceremony.

The Grand in Clitheroe hosted the awards which saw more than 40 prizes handed out to the school's top performers.

Headteacher Jonathan Harrison told the ceremony: "As a former Moorland School pupil I never envisaged that one day I would be representing our children, parents and staff as the headteacher."

"If there is just one thing that we do well at Moorland, that would be to produce rounded, happy and decent young citizens, who are resilient, hardworking and tenacious."

"So why Moorland? Our parents make huge personal sacrifices to send their children to our small family school, because they believe in old-fashioned family values, they believe in personalised education through small class sizes, and they believe in their children coming home from school happy."

"There are many good practices and teachers within state education, however clearly the policy of 'inclusion' is ludicrous as the learning environment can be completely disrupted for the majority of pupils by one or two poorly behaved children."

PRIZEWINNERS

Moorhouse Number: Brendan Burby.	Year 8 Merit: Callum Smith
Science: Amber Ahmed	Year 9 Effort: Georgia Sharples
Merit: Hannah Brough	Year 9 Merit: Gabriel Ashworth
Effort: Thomas Entwistle	Year 10 Effort: Luke Gott
Reading: Rowan Granby	Year 10 Merit: Mueed Bari
Seal	Mather Mathematics: Matthew Brown
Art: Benjamin Sharpe	Harper English: Bethan Shaw
Knowles	Berner Geography: Charlotte Wood
English: Niamh Burby	Grant History: Mueed Bari
French: Hannah Brough	Religious Education: Jack Rimmer
Mathematics: Niamh Burby	Ware French: Bethan Shaw
Science: George Russell-Carney	German: Jack Rimmer
Cocker Spelling: Jack Whitfield	Cocker Science: Mueed Bari
Hartley Music: Hannah Brough	Hartley Music: Dalton Mullin
Speech & Drama: Jack Whitfield	Art: Shannon Seaton
Art/Design Technology: Bethany Wilman	Spanish: Stefan Mols
Middle Junior Merit: Sebastian Wilman	Marchbank Young Citizen: Tommy Tsang
Year 5 Merit: Jamal Ahmed	Stewart Information Technology: Sian Pinnington
Year 6 Merit: Niamh Burby	Pedley Trophy for Endeavour: Felix Ellis
Effort: Victoria Mols	All-round Sports Person: Stefan Mols
Good Manners: Jamal Ahmed	Outstanding Contribution to School Life: Dominic Frankland
Smart Appearance: Kyle Worrall	Scholar of the Year: Jack Rimmer
Excellent Attendance: Thomas Entwistle	Boarder of the Year: Jack Rimmer.
Most Improved: Bethany Wilman	
Year 7 Effort: Ibraheem Mehd	
Year 7 Merit: Isobel Smith	
Year 8 Effort: Rebecca Brown	

Bridge kitten finds a home

A KITTEN found clinging on to a tiny crack on the underside of a bridge has new owners.

The grey animal, nicknamed Smokey, was saved from drowning when Ian Hesketh heard its cries.

Following an appeal in the Lancashire Telegraph, a number of people contacted the Safe Depot

storage facility in Blackburn which was caring for the kitten temporarily.

Mr Hesketh said Smokey would be looked after by a retired couple off Livesey Branch Road, Blackburn.

Smokey had been inches from the water when it was spotted behind the Safe Depot facility in George Street West by Mr Hesketh.



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