

# Newsletter

3rd May 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

## Key dates

6 <sup>th</sup> May	School Closed - Bank Holiday
w/b 13 <sup>th</sup> May	Key Stage 2 (Year 6) SATs Week
23 <sup>rd</sup> May	European Elections – Nursery closed all day to pupils
24 <sup>th</sup> May	School closes for Half Term
3 <sup>rd</sup> June	School re-opens
5 <sup>th</sup> June	Trip to Scarborough for Upper Foundation pupils
1 <sup>st</sup> July	Inset Day - School closed to pupils

## Merit Certificates

This week's achievers are:

<b>This week's focus: FRIENDSHIP</b>		
<b>The focus next week is: 'Courage'</b>		
<b>CLASS</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>REASON</b>
Y1W	Cindy H	Always being a good friend to everybody
Y1/2	Harrison T	Always being a lovely friend to the other children
Y2S	Alyssa T	Always looking after her friends
Y3/4H	Thomas B	Being a great friend by supporting his peers in lessons
Y3T	Jacob D	Being a considerate and thoughtful friend
Y4Mc	Maria R	Always seeking to comfort and build up her peers
Y5Fr	Levi W	Being a wonderful friend to those around him
Y5/6F	Ayanfe K	Being a great friend when coaching his partner
Y5/6J	Skye R	Being a reliable and dependable friend

## **Year 6 SATs Week – 13<sup>th</sup> May to 17<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

The week beginning 13<sup>th</sup> May is the Key Stage 2 SATs week for our Year 6 pupils.

Please may I stress that it is of **paramount importance** that your Year 6 child attends school during the above SATs week, as they will not have another opportunity to sit for their SATs at a later date.

## **Nursery Closed – European Election Day, Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May**

The nursery building is again to be used as a polling station on Thursday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May and therefore the nursery will be closed to pupils for the whole day.

## **Coffee Morning in School**

Thank you to those who came to the coffee morning in school today. The event was a relaxed opportunity for staff and parents and carers to have an informal chat whilst enjoying a hot drink and biscuits. There will be future meetings and events planned; keep an eye out for these in future editions of this newsletter.

## **Picnic Lunch – Majority Vote**

The children's vote to have a picnic in school proved to be a great success!

Everyone really enjoyed the informal atmosphere, whilst still keeping up their usual good standard of behaviour. When asked whether they would be in favour of another picnic lunch, the overall response was a resounding "Yes!".

## **UFS/Nursery Visit to Yorkshire Wildlife Park**

The Upper Foundation Stage children and Nursery children (with their parent or carer) who went on the visit yesterday to the Yorkshire Wildlife Park, all had a wonderful time.

The behaviour of the children was impeccable, proving them to be fantastic ambassadors for our school. Well done everyone!

## **Class Assemblies/Open Classroom Sessions**

We had a fantastic response from parents and carers to our Year 1 and 2 Open Classroom sessions this week! Thank you to everyone who attended and we hope that you found the time in class with your child, both interesting and useful.

When all three Open Classroom sessions have taken place, we will be sending out a survey for parents and carers to complete, in which they can give us feedback on the sessions. If the survey results have an overall positive response, we would like to repeat these sessions at a later date.

The remaining sessions are as follows:

<b>DAY</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>OPEN CLASSROOM</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>Year 3 &amp; Year 4 pupils</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>No sessions</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>22 May</b>	<b>Year 5 &amp; Year 6 pupils</b>

## Class Assemblies – June and July 2019

In June, class assemblies will be as follows:

DAY	DATE	ASSEMBLY
Wednesday	5 <sup>th</sup> June	Mr Field's class
Wednesday	12 <sup>th</sup> June	Mrs Jodrell's (Mrs Axup) class
Wednesday	19 <sup>th</sup> June	Mr Ward's class
Wednesday	26 <sup>th</sup> June	Miss Tokil's class
Wednesday	3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Mrs Franks' class

## Weekly Attendance

Please see this week's attendance in the table below:

Class	Attendance %
Nursery am	95.35
Nursery pm	88.89
UFSLC	96.52
UFSR	94.55
Y1W	96.33
Y1/2	96.00
Y2S	96.67
Y3T	99.31
Y3/4HL	97.33
Y4McA	95.67
Y5Fr	92.67
Y5/6F	98.06
Y5/6J	98.21
Whole School	96.35

Yours sincerely



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