

7th September, 2018

Dear Parents,

Newsletter

Welcome to the start of another school year. I hope you have all enjoyed the summer break and that you and your child/ren are ready for this busy time. As ever, the term will be packed with exciting activities and learning experiences. I am excited to be taking responsibility of three amazing schools and with your continued support the schools will continue to thrive. We all want the children to have the best opportunities and working together with families helps us to do this. Please remember that staff and I are available to discuss any issues or concerns you may have.

Lealholm Show Well done to everyone for their entries into the Show. There were some lovely pictures on display and the following prizes were awarded: Bradley- 1st Handwriting, Tyler- 2nd handwriting, Daniel -2nd handwriting, Bentley- 2nd Crayon work, Noah- 1st Crayon Work.

Pringles tube well done to all those children that entered the 'Summer Pringle Tube Challenge', as part of our work on being resourceful. Olivia made a nightlight, Theo -Thomas and friends with a track going up the side, Chloe a button tube, Ava made a periscope, Rose made a bird feeder, Noah made a Lego money box, Chloe made a travel doodle box, Florence made a knitting box, Carl made his into bongos and Xavier made a bird feeder.

Jack and the Beanstalk Reading Initiative Well done to all the children who read regularly throughout the summer, please ensure that you sign their reading journals daily. The winner this week is Florence.

Summer Reading Challenge: Ava, Rose and Chloe W.

Team Points: Infants: Red Tyler, Yellow Emma, Blue Robbie, Green Chloe
Juniors: Red Chloe, Yellow Bentley, Blue Moses, Green Robert.

Sport Throughout this term we will be having sports sessions with K Winspear, swimming every other Tuesday starting next week and activities with Whitby Primary Schools Sports Association.

Swimming Please remember swimming costumes and a towel on Tuesday.

School Uniform All children are expected to wear their school uniform:

- royal blue sweatshirt with school logo
- blue/white polo shirt
- girls: navy or grey skirt/black or grey trousers (not denim)
- boys: grey/black trousers (not denim)
- Sensible flat heeled footwear, black/navy.

Jewellery Please note that no jewellery should be worn in school. Small stud earrings and only are acceptable.

All items of clothing must be clearly marked with the child's name.

PE Kits Please send PE kits and water bottles into school. Please ensure that all items of PE kit, bottles and school uniform are labelled clearly with your child's name.

School Dinners Please remember to send weekly dinner money into school on a Monday morning £12.00 per week – cheques payable to Yorkshire Endeavour Academy Trust. We also need at least two weeks notice for any changes so that Mrs Atkinson can order the food accordingly.

We would also like to wish Mrs Woods a speedy recovery and hopefully she will be back with us soon.

Yours sincerely

H Ward
Headteacher

Key Dates- Autumn Term

SEPTEMBER

Tuesday 11th Swimming Session
Wednesday 19th KS1 Animal Visit to School
Tuesday 25th Swimming Session

OCTOBER

Tuesday 2nd Flu Vaccinations
Wednesday 3rd Y5/6 football
Tuesday 9th Swimming Session
Thursday 18th Pink Day
Friday 19th Harvest Festival Lealholm Chapel 2.00 pm
Tuesday 23rd Swimming Session
Thursday 25th KS2 Cross Country CCW
Friday 26th Bonfire Safety Assembly
Friday 26th Autumn Sale

NOVEMBER

Tuesday 6th Swimming Session
Tuesday 6th Y5/6 Basketball Eskdale TBC
Thursday 15th Athletics TBC
Tuesday 20th Swimming Session

DECEMBER

Tuesday 4th Swimming Session
Wednesday 5th Dodge Ball
Tuesday 11th Christmas Play Over 60's
Wednesday 12th Christmas Play
Thursday 13th Pantomime Visit
Tuesday 18th Carol Service TBC
Tuesday 18th Christmas Lunch
Thursday 20th Christmas Party
Friday 21st Close for half term 3.30 pm

Holiday Dates 2018-2019

Monday 3rd September Staff Training Day
Tuesday 4th September School Opens Autumn Term
Friday 26th October Close half term 3.30 pm

Monday 5th November Return to School
Friday 30th November Staff Training Day
Monday 3rd December Staff Training Day
Friday 21st December Close for Christmas Break

Monday 7th January Staff Training Day
Tuesday 8th January School opens for Spring Term
Friday 22nd February Close for half term 3.30 pm

Monday 4th March Return to School
Friday 12th April Close for Easter Break 3.30 pm

Monday 29th April School Opens for Summer Term
Monday 6th May Bank Holiday
Friday 24th May Close for half term 3.30 pm

Monday 3rd June Return to School
Friday 19th July Close for Summer Break 3.30 pm
Monday 22nd July Staff Training Day