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Letter 30

Friday 11th May 2018

Dear Parents/Guardian,

NEXT WEEK AT SCHOOL

Collective Worship theme: Growing up and being healthy

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| Monday 14th May | Y6 English grammar punctuation and spelling assessment 2.00pm Collective worship road safety led by James and Katie in Y6 3.30pm Tennis Club with Adam Scaife | Weekly Attendance Class 1 85.6% Class 2 90.9% Class 3 97.80% Class 4 99.4% Highest Attendance 99.4% Well done to: Class 4 School attendance total for the week 93% |
| Tuesday 15th May | Y6 reading assessment NO Guitar lessons | |
| Wednesday 16th May | Y6 maths paper 1 and 2 assessment 2.00pm Collective worship led by Hayley Liversidge 1:00pm NO Violin lessons 10.05am NO Brass lessons 1.30pm-2.40pm NO Keyboard lessons 3.30pm Fun French club | |
| Thursday 17th May | Year 6 maths paper 3 assessment 3.30pm Gymnastics club with Su Dixon | |
| Friday 18th May | Optional wear red, white and blue clothes to celebrate Harry and Meghan's wedding on Saturday. | |
| <p>Please may I remind you to send a letter or email to school as soon as your child has returned to school, dated, explaining their absence for us to keep as a record at school.</p> | | |

SCHOOL NOTICES

School Office -IMPORTANT

Due to the SAT's assessments with year 6 next week, Miss Hollinshead is needed to invigilate the tests so the office will not always be manned on a morning. Please therefore leave a phone message which we will check as soon as we return to the office.

Tour de Yorkshire

It was lovely experiencing such a community spirit on Saturday afternoon watching the bike race through the village. I was also most excited to see our fantastic land art shown on TV as a back drop for the sprint scores - it looked wonderful. It even appeared on the highlights produced by the Tour de Yorkshire for our stage. Well done to preschool as their scarecrow won first place in the scarecrow competition. They received £20 as a prize to buy some new books for their classroom.



Thank you for all the donations towards the tombola and thank you to Mrs Green and Ruby, Mrs Walker, Jenson and Lewis for manning the stall. It raised £117 for the Yorkshire Air Ambulance - a wonderful service which relies on donations.

SATs Assessments

Next week children in Year 6 will be taking their SATs tests. The following week, the Year 2 children will be doing their formal tests. Please make sure your child/children have breakfast each morning, bring a water bottle to school and have plenty of sleep, to help them do the best they can.

The Year 6 SATs have to be carried out under very strict conditions; papers are then collected for marking externally and returned to school in July. All other assessments are marked internally. The local authority carries out moderating visits to ensure that we are abiding by the Department for Education guidance. Please ensure all Year 6 children are in school and on time each day next week unless seriously ill.

We wish all our children doing assessments over the next two weeks to stay calm and positive. We know they will all try their hardest and we celebrate not just their academic achievements but also their progress in becoming responsible, caring young people.

Year 4 Tennis Competition

Well done to our four year 4 children: Oliver, Freya, Cherrie-Rose and Phillip who took part in the small school tennis competition. They did brilliantly coming in 3rd place, well done!

Instrumental Lessons

Due to the SATs assessments there are no instrumental lessons in school next week.

Royal Wedding

Our younger children in school will be doing some activities regarding the royal wedding next week which fits in with the British Values Curriculum work. They will be getting a special bun for their dessert with a union jack bun case and flag. Children are welcome to wear red, white and blue clothes on Friday to mark this special occasion.

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Hollywood School Ball -Raffle Tickets

you may not be able to come to the ball, but you can still help... how? Tonight we have sent home 3 booklets of raffle tickets for each family for you to try and sell helping raising money for school. The raffle will be drawn on the night of the summer ball - Friday 8th June. Please return the ticket stubs and the money to school by Wednesday 6th June. If you require any more tickets please contact the school office. Many thanks.

OTHER ITEMS SENT HOME TONIGHT

Year 6 Tennis Comp
Year 6 SATs week plans
Explorer's club poster
Class 3 Viking/ Saxon visit
3x raffle ticket books per family

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT ELECTONICALLY

Yours sincerely



Mrs F. Sharp
Headteacher