

A fortnightly newsletter from your headteacher...

Another busy fortnight of the final half term.

Firstly, thank you to everyone for selling, buying and contributing to our Summer Raffle. We have raised an amazing £569 - a BIG THANKYOU to everyone.

Class 1 have been very busy! In science they have continued their work on the senses, specifically their sense of smell and sense of taste. First, they tried to guess what aroma was in the little unlabelled pots! They then tasted various samples of foods and concentrated on sweet, salty, sour and bitter. The children's faces were a picture! After watching the Federations special water safety assembly, everyone made a water safety poster to show their understanding. The children have also been weather reporters as part of their topic. In RE the children have been learning about 'Prayer'. Class 1 alongside Mrs Warriner have produced the most beautiful display which is now up in St. Nicholas church foyer ready for the whole community to enjoy.



Class 2 have been looking at mountains linked to their topic Water, Water Everywhere this is because most rivers begin life as a tiny stream running down a mountain slope. Y3/4 have had fun exploring roman numerals, the Y3s particularly loved their practical lolly stick activity and being able to draw on the tables! They have all also enjoyed some Olympic themed maths. Y2/3 were using their maths to explore long jumps by estimating and measuring distances, making comparisons or finding the difference between the Olympic record and their own jumps! Y4 have explored the shot put Olympic records and were finding the difference between their best throws and the Olympic record as well as working out their average throw.



Class 3 have been busy learning about forces in science. They have conducted fair experiments this week looking at air resistance. They had been practising hard for their production and were about to do the dress rehearsal before their bubble had to self-isolate. Well done to all the children for all their hard work, learning their lines and the songs, and sourcing and making all the costumes and props. Mr Chapman and Mrs Gale are super proud of all of Class 3.

Remotely, they have finished off their Saltburn PowerPoints and have been doing taskmaster style challenges in our Forest School session.



Friday 9 July Awards

Class 1, Mrs Jackson.

Bird Award – Eliza W for working hard in both Maths and English and her overall attitude to her work. Eliza wants everything to be just right!

Headteacher's stickers – Phoebe L for her perseverance in learning her spellings. You persevered, even practising at lunch time!

Sare for asking thoughtful and mature questions in RE.

Handwriter of the week – Alfie for independently adding labels to his water safety picture, plus his careful letter formation in phonics.

Class 2, Miss Goodchild.

Bird Award – Jospeh for working incredibly hard with his reading and answering his comprehension questions with confidence. Esme B for trying hard with her artwork this week during forest schools.

Headteacher's stickers – Freddie for his enthusiasm in maths. Annabel and Mollie for their excellent 2-digit column addition. Lucas for his fabulous explanation poster. Felix for persevering and solving the roman numerals tri-jigsaw problem.

Handwriter of the week – Archie for working hard at his cursive and beginning to join.

Class 3, Mr Chapman.

Bird Award – Isaac for trying hard with his personal target to increase the use of higher order punctuation in his independent written work.

Headteacher's sticker – Seb, Jess and Bob for being hungry to do more science in their playtime, investigating air resistance.

Handwriter of the week – Millie for fluid cursive handwriting in all her work.

Friday 16 July Awards

Class 1, Mrs Jackson.

Bird Award – Eliza B for independently cutting and sticking and making her own little book of numbers. *Headteacher's stickers* – Wilf B for his picture and labelling of the Yorkshire Show.

Handwriter of the week – Rufus for practising and writing out his spellings in the cursive style.

Class 2, Miss Goodchild.

Bird Award – Millie for really good measuring and number work during our Olympic maths. Rory for his enthusiasm during the Olympic maths tasks.

Headteacher's sticker – Jessica B and Gabby for being incredibly helpful and taking on some big tidying up tasks! *Handwriter of the week* – Millie for a super effort with her cursive handwriting this past week, especially in her RE writing. (She's on fire this week!)

Joseph for making a big effort to join his writing consistently.

Class 3, Mr Chapman.

Bird – Alex for commitment to the cause and trying to complete as many Forest Schools Taskmaster Challenges as possible.

Headteacher's sticker – Isaac and Freddie for being fabulous friends and trying their very best to keep Class 3's spirits up.

Handwriter of the week – Peter for his amazing PowerPoint presentation.

I continue to host my Friday Celebration Zoom Assembly. This is an opportunity for all our classes / children in school, alongside you the parents/carers at home, to still be able to all come together at the end of the week to celebrate individual and group achievements. As always everyone is warmly invited.

Celebration Assembly invite .

Miss Bennett is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting. Topic: HUSTHWAITE Friday Celebration Assembly

Time: 2pm Every week on Fri, until Jul 23, 2021, 6 occurrence(s)

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system

Weekly: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/tZYqdemtpjkqE9Gr8gylwam5o4raUdAg6_nR/ics?icsToken=98tyKuGqqTkqH9yXsBCCRpwQB4joc-_xiHpfj_p6jkfiGglEYw6jObZQM4d7Md-G Join Zoom Meeting

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Passcode: 743347

Next Wednesday is our Federation Summer Fun Day – all children in school and learning remotely will enjoy dressing up in their summer beach wear and doing a range of fun summer activities.

On Thursday 22nd July at 2pm it is our end of the year Leaver's Service to which our whole Sessay family is invited.

Leaver's Service invite. Topic: Husthwaite Leaver's service Time: Jul 22, 2021 02:00 PM London Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89592071745?pwd=SkZhdUJZdzZjSG05dHJoMIFpc0twUT09 Meeting ID: 895 9207 1745 Passcode: 49Hv86

Please note we will break up at 2.30pm on the last day of term, please pick up from the playground.

Have a lovely weekend and enjoy the beautiful weather that is forecast.

NOTICES:

• The following is a uniform reminder for September as we have had a few queries.

School uniform:	PE Kit:
Red or grey sweater/cardigan	Plain white or red t-shirt
White or red polo shirt	Navy/black shorts
Grey or black skirt, trousers or shorts	Tracksuit bottoms and sweatshirt (for outdoor PE)
Grey/white socks or tights	Plimsolls/trainers
Black sensible shoes.	
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- I would like to let you know there will be a School Dinner Price Increase as of Autumn term 2021. School continues to subsidise school dinners, but with increasing costs from catering, dinners will be £2.60 in September.
- Treetops at Husthwaite Summer holiday club is being run out of Treetops at Sutton on the Forest. 2nd to 13th August, 7.30am to 6pm each day. and book in the normal way.
 If you require further information or wish to make a booking, please contact Helen Morris at hamorris1@outlook.com. 07882 677625
- Easingwold Community Library are once again running a 'Summer Reading Challenge 2021'. Where they challenge all primary school children to read 6 books over the holidays!
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- White Rose Maths books Parents and carers can collect a series of exciting and FREE workbooks to use at home, from 2nd August onwards at any of Morrisons' network of stores nationwide. All you need to do is to call in at the 'Children's Little Library' in your local Morrisons store during your regular shop, and collect your free copies! <u>https://whiterosemaths.com/morrisons/</u>

DIARY DATES:

Tuesday 20 July Reports will be emailed out

Wednesday 21 July	Summer Fun Day! Non uniform, wearing your beach
	wear!
Thursday 22 July 2pm	Year 6 Leaver's Service.
Tuesday 7 September	First day of academic year 2021-22.