



## 'Sowing Seeds – Bearing Fruit – Harvesting Potential'

### Fortnightly Newsletter

#### A note from your headteacher ...

It certainly has been another busy fortnight.

Last week the whole school took part in a YOYO (York Schools and Youth Trust) cluster event and were part of 'The Big Picture Project'. In our cluster of schools, each school was looking at a different part of the Bible - we learnt about the book of 'Revelation'. Class 1 took part in craft activities, Class 2 drama and Class 3 wrote poetry. The workshops were very much enjoyed by all and we look forward to seeing our work being part of the final cluster project.



*Alpha*

*At the beginning  
Life will find a way  
Peacefulness  
Hopefulness  
At the end.*

This week has been our 'Sports and Health Curriculum Enrichment Week' and we have all been even more active than normal and learning new skills. From a special assault course with Mr Shimwell, a school heptathlon on Wednesday to Class 3 challenging themselves on the climbing wall this morning. The week has been lots of fun and the highlight for many was our much loved annual Sports Day! Thank you to so many of you for coming and cheering all our children on!

(Please note that Classes 1 and 2 will be experiencing the climbing wall at the beginning of next academic year as unfortunately due to the rain and thunder, their sessions had to be postponed.)



Following on from our celebrations for The Queen's Platinum Jubilee, today your child has brought home a special book from the Department for Education. Every primary school child across the country has received one, we were lucky enough to receive some extras so that any Nursery children who do not already have siblings across the Federation have also received a copy. Happy reading and remembering all the celebrations both in and outside of school!

#### Your fortnightly class summary from...

##### **Class 1, Mrs Jackson.**

What a busy week!! The children have loved their sports week, but they have done other things too. In RE the children learnt about Mother Theresa and took turns to care for each other in the way that she had cared. They also finished their seaside collages, which look wonderful on display. Finally, we are so proud of all the children in class one that took part in sports day. A special well done to all of the nursery children who were amazing!



### Class 2, Miss Goodchild.

Class 2 have had a busy couple of weeks. Last week Years 3 and 4 had their turn for summer assessments and all worked very hard, well done. They had an outdoor science session exploring the school grounds for insects and minibeasts. They used their maths skills to tally the insects they found. All of Class 2 enjoyed a dramatic session with Yoyo, dressing up and freeze framing a story from the bible. They have thoroughly enjoyed their DT, cooking Viking meals with Miss Wilkie. They have had a brilliant week this week during Sports and Health Week. They have all taken part in a fantastic range of sports and have approached them all with resilience and amazing growth mind-sets. I've been really proud of you all Class 2.



### Class 3, Mr Chapman.

Class 3 have had a great two weeks. We've been to Beacon Alpaca Farm to learn about sustainability. We also had the opportunity to go to Easingwold Church to take part in WOOFYT (Wooden One-octave Organ For Young Technologists). Here we learnt about sound and how the organ works as well as getting to play the wooden organ. Class 3 have also thoroughly enjoyed all the activities from Sports Week, including our maths on Thursday involving lots of practical measuring.



### Friday 24th June Awards

**Class 1, Mrs Jackson.**

*Bird Award* – Alfie for his mature attitude to learning. Alfie just gets on, head down and really listens to his instructions. Alfie does everything to the best of his ability. Super progress Alfie!

*Headteacher's sticker* – Beatrix and Evie for their very detailed drawings of a new tank for the singing mermaid. This included a party room and a laundry room!!!

*Handwriter of the week* – George – for writing sentences with finger spaces and letters correctly formed. Super progress George!

**Class 2, Miss Goodchild.**

*Bird Award* – Millie for confident work in maths with time and some excellent arithmetic work.

*Headteacher's sticker* – Eliza W for confident time telling in maths. Charlie T for working hard at his sentence writing work, building up sentences, reading them back and then writing them.

*Handwriter of the week* – Charlie S for maintaining high-quality handwriting and presentation in all his work.

**Class 3, Mr Chapman.**

*Bird Award* – Daniel for his emotive poetry during the YOYO session.

*Headteacher's sticker* – BOB and Esme for scoring rounder after rounder as the last two standing for their team

*Handwriter of the week* – Poppy for good presentation when writing at length in our Paperbag Prince narratives.

### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July Awards – Sports Week 2022

**Class 1, Mrs Jackson.**

- Team Spirit - TEAMWORK: William H
- True Sportsman - HONESTY: William A
- Tried Hardest - DETERMINATION: Freya
- Giving 100% - PASSION: Eliza B
- In It To Win It – SELF BELIEF: Phoebe J
- Awesome Athlete – RESPECT: Ethan

**Class 2, Miss Goodchild.**

- Team Spirit - TEAMWORK: Esme H
- True Sportsman - HONESTY: Timmy
- Tried Hardest - DETERMINATION: Niamh
- Giving 100% - PASSION: Sare
- In It To Win It – SELF BELIEF: Charlie S
- Awesome Athlete – RESPECT: Henry

**Class 3, Mr Chapman.**

- Team Spirit - TEAMWORK: Stella
- True Sportsman - HONESTY: Enes
- Tried Hardest - DETERMINATION: Isabel
- Giving 100% - PASSION: Seb
- In It To Win It – SELF BELIEF: Joe
- Awesome Athlete – RESPECT: Charlie

**Miss Goodchild's Superstars:**

- Class 1: George and Wilf B
- Class 2: Millie
- Class 3: Charlie H

This afternoon you are warmly welcome to **Friday Celebration assembly** in the school hall at 2.50pm, this half term being hosted by myself.

*Have a fabulous weekend.*

## NOTICES:

- Classes 2022-23

CLASS	YEAR GROUPS	CLASS TEACHER(S) AND NEW PARENT TRANSITION MEETING DATE	TEACHING ASSISTANT(S)
1	Nursery Reception Year 1	Mrs Jackson Teddy bears picnic 7 <sup>th</sup> July 2pm for new starter reception children	Mrs Carass Mrs Mulligan (new)
2	Year 2 Year 3 Year 4	Miss Goodchild Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> July 5pm	Miss Wilkie Mrs Longmire
3	Year 5 Year 6	Mr Chapman Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> June 5pm	Mrs Gale



- As you know on Sunday 17 July it is the 'Hustwaite Rat Race'. to be held on the Newburgh Priory Estate. Children of Hustwaite school partaking will be in the 10am Hustwaite School wave to start the race on the day.

Do visit The Hustwaite Rat Race Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/events/s/hustwaite-rat-race/365178985558760/>

- Sessay Fun Dog Show. July 10<sup>th</sup> 10am – 12 noon. You are warmly invited to Sessay CE Primary school for their very first dog show. Registration is £1.50. There will be 8 show classes, a dog agility course, doggy tombola, refreshments and lots of fun! If you would like to register, please complete the attached Registration form and agreement form and return with your £1.50 registration fee to the school office. All dogs must be registered prior to the event.
- We would like to inform you there will be a School Dinner Price Increase as of Autumn term 2022. School continues to subsidise school dinners, but with increasing costs from catering, dinners will be £2.70 in September.
- End of year parent questionnaire – an end of year online Google form parent questionnaire will be emailed to all next Friday. We would be extremely grateful if you would complete the quick, no longer than 5-minute statement choice questionnaire as your views and feedback supports us in all areas of further school and Federation improvement. We thank you in advance for your time.
- Easingwold Community Library are once again running a 'Summer Reading Challenge 2022', where they challenge all primary school children to read 6 books over the holidays! This year's theme is 'Gadgeteers' – science is all around us. Further information available from your local library.

## DIARY DATES:

8 July (9-10am)	Hustwaite Apple Tree Nursery 'Stay and Play' session will recommence, the second Friday of every month in term time. An opportunity for babies and toddlers to come with an adult and join our Nursery children for an hour of activities/play inside and out with refreshments for adults kindly provided by St Nicholas' Church.
4 July	Class 2 New Parent Information Evening 5pm
6 July	Class 3 Play Year 5 and 6 parents invited 2pm matinee 5.30pm evening performance
8 July	School open morning for perspective parents
10 July	Sessay Fun Dog Show 10am – 12 o'clock
13 – 15 July	Years 3 and 4 Federation Carlton Lodge Residential
17 July	Hustwaite Rat Race Public Family Event – Newburgh Priory Estate. 10am Hustwaite wave.
18 July	Reports Out (email) Year 6 Camp at Hustwaite
20 July	Federation Seaside Trip
22 July	Leaver's Assembly at St Nicholas' parents invited 9:30am