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Educating For 'Life In All Its Fullness'

3rd May 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week in our usual celebration assembly, we said a very well done to the following children for making the extra effort to impress with their work or their behaviour and attitude.

<u>Class 1</u>
Excellent Early Learners Barnaby W Freddie R
<u>Class 2</u>
Wonderful Work: Ben L Brilliant Behaviour: Eliza K
<u>Class 3</u>
Wonderful Work: Joseph A
<u>Class 4</u>
Wonderful Work: Sienna C Brilliant Behaviour: Radin A

A request from Gardening Club

Our Gardening Club with Mrs Minshull were busy this week starting to clear areas and prepare the way for refreshing and replanting a few areas round school. It was great to see their enthusiasm and will also be good to see how their work improves our school grounds both in appearance and for wildlife.

The club are putting out a request to see if families potentially have any small spades or spare plants which could be donated to them, to help them with their work. If you are able to help with this please have a chat with Mrs Minshull.



Goal posts on offer to a good home

We have a pair of wooden goal posts which are available to a good home. They are approximately 1m tall and 1.5m wide. They have been sat at school for a while but are in decent condition. Unfortunately, we are not able to use them in school, as they do not comply with the strict rules around play equipment. This is a real shame but hopefully a family can make use of them. If you would like them, please contact school and we can let you have a look. If you would like to make a donation to school for them that would be great, but I would just like to see them go to a good home where they will be used.





Our PTA Cycling FUNdraiser is back!

Join us for this active morning, scooting or cycling, all abilities welcome - separate track for younger children. Sunday 19th May @ 10:30am (cycling time is up to each child, no minimum, max 2h). Light refreshments available to purchase. Parents must be present but only children riding.

Please book your child's place here: <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/harewoodpta/>

Get your riders sponsored to complete their own challenge and share the link with friends and family: <https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/harewoodcycling2024>



See you at the start line and many thanks! PTA



'Wellbeing Statement of the Month'

May 2024

As Year 6 approach SATs week we encourage them to be themselves, be positive and show what they can do. The same goes for the rest of us when things feel difficult or we just need a boost.

Collective Worship Music - Shine, From the Inside Out – Nick Jackson

This week's song is called 'Shine, From the Inside Out' by Nick Jackson. 'Shine, From the Inside Out' is a wonderful song that's all about letting your light shine brightly, just like a star in the sky! When we sing this song, we're reminded of how special we are and how much courage it takes to show our true selves to the world. Just like how the stars shine brightly in the dark night sky, we can shine brightly with courage, kindness, and love from the inside out. Our light is one of God's ways of spreading goodness around the world. So, when you listen to, or sing this song, remember to be brave, because our unique light can sparkle and make the world a brighter place!

Here is the YouTube link for the song: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zVLG-aVKRMc>



Events and Upcoming Dates

Date	Event
Monday 6 th May	Bank Holiday Monday.
Monday 13 th May	Year 6 SATs Week.
Sunday 19 th May	PTA Cycling Event.
Mon 20 th + Tues 21 st May	Y6 Bikeability.
Friday 24 th May	School Closes today for the half term break.
Spring Bank Half Term	
Monday 3 rd June	Training Day
Tuesday 4 th June	School opens for the Summer term.
Tuesday 4 th June	Class 3 MindMate Workshop
Wednesday 5 th June	Class 3 Environment Trip to Harewood
12 th to 14 th June	Class 4 Residential
WB 17 th June	Art Week
Tuesday 18 th June	Class 1 Environment Trip to Harewood
Wednesday 19 th June	Class Photos Day
Thursday 20 th June	Class 2 Environment Trip to Harewood
Friday 21 st June	Class 4 Environment Trip to Harewood
Tuesday 26 th June	Sports Day (PM)
Tuesday 2 nd July	Sports Day backup date
Wednesday 3 rd July	Class 3 Jorvik Trip
Friday 5 th July	PTA Summer Fair
Tuesday 9 th July	Class 3 Italian Day
Wednesday 10 th July	Class 2 Trip – Skelton Grange
Friday 19 th July	Final day for pupils

Have a good weekend.

Mr A. Ratcliffe