



# Thirsk Community Primary School

## Welcome back

It has been good to see all the children returning to school this week and it seems that the good weather has followed. Amongst other letters, you may have seen a note regarding sun cream and keeping safe in the sun. Please have a read through so that you know what to send into school.

## Term dates:

Holiday dates and dates for 2018/19 inset training days are on the final page of the newsletter. Please have a look through so you know when they are.

## Tour de Yorkshire:

We are creeping ever closer to the Tour de Yorkshire and like last time we are going to be making a piece of land art. However we need lots of white plastic bags. If you do have any stored away at home they would most gratefully be received and used in a productive way. If children could bring them to the School Office.

## Keeping Safe:

It has been brought to our attention that an incident outside of school occurred where pupils were unsuspectingly involved in a potentially inappropriate conversation with an adult whilst playing an online game. **Can I ask all parents and carers to be vigilant with what your children are accessing on-line.** Also to please check that you have the appropriate filters in place to ensure that your children are kept safe whilst accessing the internet.

## Plants

Can anyone help donate some plants or seedlings for the after school club and garden area please.

## Dates For Your Diary

### April

- 23rd Mr Burgess Tag Rugby
- 25th KS1 WOW Day  
4AW Swimming
- 27th Mr South –Middlesbrough  
F.C Move and Learn (5P)
- 30th PTA meeting 9-10 am hall  
PTA meeting 7pm-8pm

### May

- 1st Tchoukball Competition
- 2nd 4AW Swimming
- 4th Mr South –Middlesbrough  
F.C Move and Learn (5P)

## Pat Turner



**Sophie Hill R/1S** for always trying hard, listening carefully and following instructions the first time. Sophie is a very kind friend and always helps others.

**Emily Murphy 3PR** for approaching all tasks in a positive and determined way with a smile on her face. Also for being a kind and compassionate friend to others.





## Summer Term Clubs



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Judo 3.30 - 4.30 Yr2- Yr6			Drama 3.20-4.20 Yr1-Yr2	Multi Sports 3.20-4.20 Yr 1& Yr2
	Football Yr3/4 & 5/6 3.20-4.20		Cricket & Football Yr1/2 3.20-4.20	C4L club KS2 (selected pupils only) 3.20-4.20
	Dance Club 3.20-4.20 Yr3-6	Yr 6 SATs Club For 4 weeks	Yoga 3.20-4.20 Yr3-6	

### Class Assemblies

18th May 1R/S 8th June 3PR

28th June 6T



### The Tour de Yorkshire Land art project

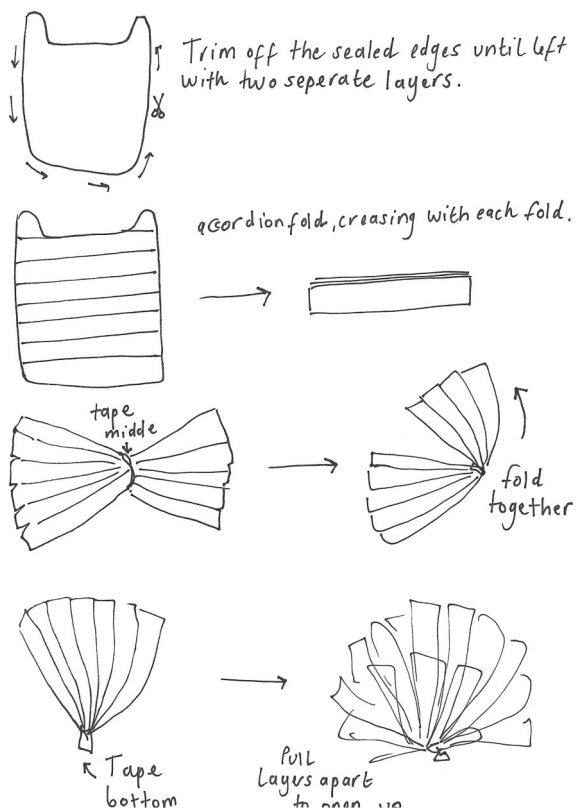
As part of our land art installation we are making a Giant white rose on our School field. This will be made using old carrier bags/bin bags. The bags need to be turned into a pom-pom rosette shape and glued to larger sheets to create our petals. We need as many as we can get in order to make it as big as possible, so we are calling for help from our pupils and parents/carers/family and friends!

I have attached a simple instruction sheet and a photo showing you how to transform a carrier bag in a few easy steps. This really does not have to be perfectly neat, it should only take a few minutes and even just a scrunched up attempt can be used in the design. All you need are bags and sellotape!

We are hoping that everyone can make and bring in at least one pom pom rosette to be used. They do not take long to make so the more you can make the better!!! Ideally we need white and green, but do not worry if the bags have prints or colour on as they can all be incorporated.

Please can they be brought in as soon as possible and preferably before 27<sup>th</sup> April so we can start to put it together before the 5<sup>th</sup> of May. If you are unable to make any yourself but would be able to donate any rolls of white or green bags this would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you in advance.



# Summer Term Menu 2018

	Week One 16 <sup>th</sup> April, 7 <sup>th</sup> May, 4 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup> June, 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Week Two 23 <sup>rd</sup> April, 14 <sup>th</sup> May, 11 <sup>th</sup> June 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Week Three 30 <sup>th</sup> April, 21 <sup>st</sup> May, 18 <sup>th</sup> June, 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Jacket Potato	Salad Bar
<b>Monday</b>	Sausages Chipped Potatoes Baked Beans  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Eve's Pudding & Custard Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Organic Meatballs with Tomato Sause & Pasta  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Summer fruit crumble & custard Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Macaroni Cheese with Bacon  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Chocolate Crispie & Orange segment Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Jacket Potato Option	Salad Bar
<b>Tuesday</b>	Chicken Korma & Rice  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Oat Cookie with Cheese & Apple Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Margarita Pizza  Add Vegetables Potatoes of the Day ~*~ Chocolate & orange Flapjack Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Honey Glazed Chicken with Vegetable Rice  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Forest Fruit Square & custard Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Jacket Potato Option	Salad Bar
<b>Wednesday</b>	Lasagne  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Medley of Melon & Pineapple Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Roast Chicken with sage & onion stuffing & gravy  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Rice Pudding Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Minced Beef Crumble  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Strawberry/Fruit Short- cake Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Jacket Potato Option	Salad Bar
<b>Thursday</b>	Chicken fajitas  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day  Salad ~*~ Chocolate Cornflake Pudding with Banana Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Savoury minced beef & Yorkshire pudding  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Chocolate Surprise Cake & Chocolate Sauce Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Turkey & Sweetcorn Pie  New potatoes Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Peach Melba Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Jacket Potato Option	Salad Bar
<b>Friday</b>	Breaded Salmon Fillet with Tomato Ketchup  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Arctic Roll & Mandarins Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Fish Fingers with Toma- to Ketchup  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Iced Pineapple Sponge Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Battered Fish  Add Vegetables Bread of the Day ~*~ Fruit Salad & Ice Cream Or Yoghurt or Fruit	Jacket Potato Option	Salad Bar



# School Term and Holiday Dates 2018-19

	AUGUST 2018	SEPTEMBER 2018	OCTOBER 2018	NOVEMBER 2018	DECEMBER 2018	JANUARY 2019
Monday	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28
Tuesday	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29
Wednesday	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30
Thursday	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24 31
Friday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25
Saturday	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26
Sunday	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27
		20	20	20	15	19
	FEBRUARY 2019	MARCH 2019	APRIL 2019	MAY 2019	JUNE 2019	JULY 2019
Monday	4 11 18 25	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29
Tuesday	5 12 19 26	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30
Wednesday	6 13 20 27	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31
Thursday	7 14 21 28	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25
Friday	1 8 15 22	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26
Saturday	2 9 16 23	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27
Sunday	3 10 17 24	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28
	16	20	12	17	20	16



Pupils must be taught for a minimum of 190 days. The number of term days shown is 192.

Three recommended professional development (PD) days for teaching staff have also been highlighted; pupils will not attend school on these days.

Schools will need to identify a further two PD days from the calendar. Please could you send your remaining two PD days to the Education Office, Harrogate via email [schoolwelfare@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:schoolwelfare@northyorks.gov.uk) when you have agreed them.