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## Goodbye and Good luck Mrs Durrans

Today we have said good bye to Mrs Durrans who is retiring after 17 years working at our school. During her career Mrs Durrans has worked throughout the whole primary age range, including some time as an acting Headteacher and as an adviser for the Local Authority. Mrs Durrans' favorite age group has always been the Early Years -especially Nursery. Some of her most memorable and favourite times have been the annual Nursery trips to the seaside. One of the most memorable of all being when it rained so hard in Whitby that the whole of the Nursery spent the day sharing a bandstand with other schools! After a well deserved holiday Mrs Durrans plans to do voluntary work with children and do lots of walking!

## PTA Summer Fayre

Thank you every so much for the support we had at the Summer Fayre last Friday. The total raised on the night was an incredible $£ 1824.36$. This money will be used in school to support activities such as the trip to the Theatre at Christmas and improving our ICT facilities. Again, a huge thank you to the PTA for organising this even and making it the success that it was.

## Get Caught Reading!

Next year our big, whole school focus is going to be reading. To start this off we would like some photographs of you all reading in different places! These can be anywhere from the garden to the beach to the top of a mountain! In September there will be a prizes for the most unusual.

## School Uniform

Summer Holidays is the time when most of you will think about school uniform. Can I please remind everyone about our school uniform: for boys it is either black or brown shoes, grey or black trousers (or shorts if you prefer); a white polo shirt and a red jumper. Please can I remind everyone that black jeans are not acceptable, nor are tracksuits.

For girls it is the same as the boys. However, girls (and boys if they prefer) can also wear a red cardigan or a red jumper; a grey skirt or pinafore instead of trousers. At school we sell lots of uniform with the schools logo on. However, you can also get uniform at Tesco or via the Tesco's' website. Please help us to start the school year looking super smart!

## Term-time holiday

This year we have worked really hard with our school attendance -thank you for your support with this. Can I please remind everyone that as a rule holidays away should be taken during the school holidays and not during term time. There are some exceptional circumstances where holidays maybe authorised but they are exceptional circumstances. During the summer term we have had a huge number of children being taken out of school to go on holiday. The Governing Body of the school are aware of this and are keen that this does not happen again.

And finally... HAPPY SUMMER HOLIDAYS EVERYONE!
Can I wish everyone a fantastic summer holiday and wish the Year 6's every success in the future.!

## Last Weeks Pat Turner

Zoe Collier 4AW for quiet, focussed perseverance in the classroom throughout Year 4. Well Done! Freddie Bowman 1/2S for a fantastic attitude to learning. He is eager to achieve and wants to progress. His perseverance and resilience has developed well this year. Freddie has helped new members of the class settle in and has been a kind friend.

## Celebration Assembly Winners

Rotary Endeavour Award
Beth Trenholme

## Yr 6 Awards

Ian Johnson Girl
Ian Johnson Boy
Performing Arts
Mike Paxton Music Girls
Mike Paxton Music Boy

Elise Powell
Cameron Ord
Todd Dickinson \& Logan Quinn
Ella Stimson
Owen Macgregor

## Sports Awards

Infant Boys Sports
Infant Girls Sports
Lower Boys Sports
Lower Girls Sports
Upper Boys Sports
Upper Girls Sports

Other Awards
Greatest Progress

Elliott Teagle
Courtney Koroi
William Koroi
Abbi Callum
Jack Pearson Gilbank
Hayley Eland

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