



Children in Need

Thank you to everyone that made a donation to Children in Need. There was a lot children (and some adults) wearing spots !! In total we raised £190.65 for this very worthy cause. Thank You

Remembrance Day –11th November

This week in school we have been thinking about Remembrance. Over the week many children have been taking part in different class activities to remember all those that have lost their lives in conflicts. This included Miss Lonsdale playing the last post and some fantastic 'field of poppies' work by Year 5.



Next week in school is our school Arts /Music Enrichment week. This was originally planned to take place in March –however we have adapted some of our activities and we are looking to having an week of music and art next week. Please don't forget Monday night is the PTA Cinema night and later in the week we hope to be able to share with you some of the Art that the children have done.

Covid update

This week I have spent some time by the gates on the way in to school. Please can I again stress that if your children walk to school by themselves that they must arrive at the correct time and queue with all the other families.

Attendance

Class	% attendance this week (all pupils)
RW	99 Excellent
1B	100 Outstanding
2L	94.6
3B	95.1
4TA	92.2
5C	97.2 Fantastic
5H	97.4 Fantastic
6G	97.3 Fantastic
Total	96.6

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS



Dates For Your Diary

November

16th	Odd Socks Day—anti bullying
16-20	Enrichment Wk. Arts/Music
26th	Individual School Photographs

November 16th—20th 2020 Arts & Music Enrichment Week

Monday	Youth Dance & Theatre	PTA Film Night
Tuesday	Youth Dance & Theatre	
Wednesday	Science with Colours	
Thursday	Virtual Art Gallery	
Friday	African Drumming workshop	

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

CHRISTMAS READING CHALLENGE 2020 @ THIRSK COMMUNITY LIBRARY

We are delighted to introduce our new free children's reading challenge similar to the summer reading challenges for this Christmas. Children from 0-11 years are invited to join the challenge to read 4 library books before 23rd December and will receive a Christmas Craft Pack created by Thirsk Yarnbombers and sponsored by the Rotary Club of Thirsk and a certificate.

Thirsk Community Library wants to encourage reading and is open for book collections from our door and Library at Home with home deliveries if you are unable to come to the library. If your child/ren would like to take part (it is open to all whether they are already library members or not) there are 5 ways to sign up:

1. Please complete the form overleaf and return to your school or to the library;
2. Return the completed form overleaf and email: library@thirskcommunitylibrary.org.uk;
3. Drop in at the library. Opening hours on our website: www.thirskcommunitylibrary.org.uk
4. Phone 01609 534589 and leave a message on our answerphone;
5. Facebook Messenger – send us a message to sign up.

We look forward to hearing from you. For further information please email:
library@thirskcommunitylibrary.org.uk

Regards,
Thirsk Community Library
Charity Reg No: 1169352



DESIGN A CHRISTMAS CARD COMPETITION

To all of our creative adventurers,

We at Go Ape have a special seasonal challenge for you. We always love hearing about your adventures with us but this year we also want to SEE and SHARE them as well!

That's why we've created a Christmas Card Competition, where you can show off your artistic and adventurous skills - as well as being in with a chance of winning some fantastic prizes! The theme of the competition is "Christmas Outdoors", and we want all our 5-10-year-old monkeys to submit a design.

Not only will the competition winner's design will be featured on our Christmas cards (with their name, age and school included on the back) they will also be awarded a Go Ape Family Pass AND a merchandise bundle. The runner up will also receive a Family Pass which can be used at any national Go Ape site! What could be a better Christmas outing?

This competition is a fantastic opportunity to test your creative skills, share your adventures and be in with the chance of making some even more amazing memories!

HOW TO ENTER

Students should create a coloured design on a piece of white A4 paper. Colouring pencils, paint, crayons and felt tips may be used but please do not stick additional material onto the entry. The design should be made up of image but should not feature any text.

Once created, the design should be uploaded as a JPEG or PNG file (maximum size should be 20MB). The entrant should either scan or take a clear photo of the design to upload via www.goape.co.uk/schools/christmas-card-competition. The competition will close on the 27th November 2020.

Competition Terms and Conditions

There is a limit of only one entry per pupil.
Entrants must be aged between 5 and 10 years old.
Please do not stick any additional material onto the entry, such as sequins, glitter.
All entries must be received by 5.00pm on Wednesday 27th November 2020.
The card should not include copyright infringing material or offensive or libellous content.

Happy crafting and best of luck to all you adventurers!

Season's Greetings!



Blue Peter

[YOUTUBE.COM/BLUEPETER](https://www.youtube.com/bluepeter)

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Year 5

A lovely display made by our Year 5 pupils for this years Remembrance Day

Many thanks to all those that gave donations—we managed to raise
£34



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