

Thirsk Community Primary School 09.07.2021

Dear Parents and Carers

We are finally heading to the end of an eventful week in school.

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Our Year 6 pupils have been away on their Residential Visit to Peat Rigg outdoor center near Kirbymoorside. I am sure that on their return there will be lots of very tired pupils and staff –a huge thank you to all the staff that have enabled this trip to take place.

This week we have had our Sports enrichment week. It has been a fantastic week with lots of different sports taking place, these included Fencing, Skipping, dancing, climbing and scooting -as well as several others. It has been a really positive week with the children really enjoying the different sports.

Covid

As you will no doubt be aware the number of cases locally and nationally has significantly increased over the last few weeks. At school we will be continuing with all the measures that we have in place to restrict the spread of the virus. However, please be aware that if there is a positive case within a bubble this will lead to the closure of the bubble. Depending on the exact timing between the onset of symptoms/ positive tests this can be ten days. During those 10 days all members of that bubble will need to isolate. Please continue to be very mindful whilst on school site, maintaining good social distancing as much as possible.

Thursday 22nd, your child's books will be sent home, please ensure they bring a carrier bag into school.

Please be very vigilant with your child, if you do suspect that they are feeling unwell please exercise caution and if possible organise a test.

End of term –change of time:

We finish on Friday 23rd July at 2.30pm.

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Class	% attendance this				
	week (all pupils)				
RW	95.9				
1B	98.9				
2L	95.8				
3B	94.8				
4TA	96.2				
5C	96.7				
5H	96.7				
6G	88.3				
Total	95.1				

Dates for your Diary:

July

16th Fish & Chip Special Lunch in a box

16th Jo Lightfoot Hockey Yr 3

19th PTA Raffle

22nd Reception Graduation

23rd Break Up for Summer holiday @ 2.30pm

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS

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0 days off school	100%	H	Perfection	5 days absence over the whole year 97% = 100%	Every Minute Counts
Equates to 2 days off school each year	99%	H	Excellent	Good chance of success and progress	(Figures below are calculated over a school year)
Equates to 5 days off school each year	97%	H	Good	20 days absence over the whole year	5 Minutes late each day 3 days lost!
Equates to 10 days off school each year	95 %	H	Slight Concern	90% Last chance of success Harder to make progress	10 Minutes late each day 6.5 days lost! 15 Minutes late each day 10 days lost! 20 Minutes late each day 13 days lost!
Equates to 20 days off school each year	90%	H	Concerned	20+ days absence over the whole year	30 Minutes late each day 19 days lost!
Equates to 30 days off school each year	85%	H	Very Concerned	Under 90% Detrimental to success and progress	"In the line for ten t

LATENESS = LOST	LEARNING	
(Figures below are calculated c	wer a school year)	2VZ
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10 Minutes late each day	6.5 days lost!	X
15 Minutes late each day	10 days lost!	3
20 Minutes late each day	13 days lost!	
30 Minutes late each day	19 days lost!	



"In the line for ten to nine!"













Enrichment week



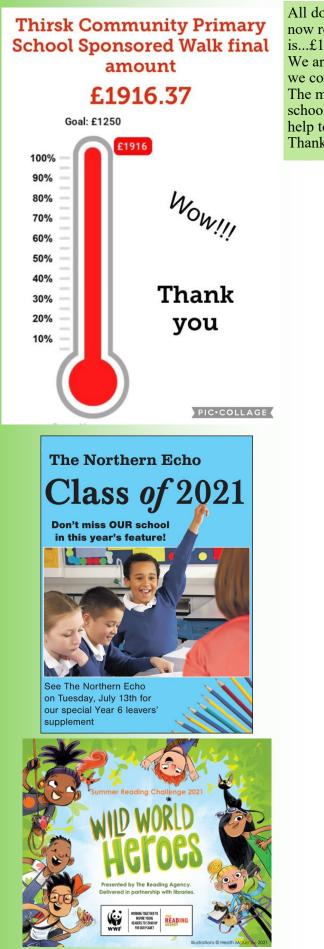












All donations have been counted and recounted and I can now reveal the total amount raised by the sponsored walk is...£1916.37

We are absolutely blown away by this number it is more then we could of ever hoped for.

The money raised for the walk will be used to create a forest school area within the school grounds. This will be a massive help to start the ball rolling

Thank you to everyone who sponsored and sent in donations.

	SUMMER HOLIDAY EVENTS AT
	THIRSK COMMUNITY LIBRARY 2021
	LITTER ART with CHRIS
	Sat 24th, Tues 27th July & Fri 27th Aug 2 - 3.30
	Cost £1 per child
C	Join in and help create our giant litter art world map with local artist Chris Geeson. Complete a country or an endangered animal. All clean litter provided. Suitable from age 3.
	Wed 28th July & 1st Sept 2.00 - 3.00 (ages 4 -11)
	Cost £3 per child (children only). Family ticket £5 for 2 or more children
	We challenge all 9 arry year-olds to read o books over the holidays!
Т	he fabulous ZOOLAB are bringing animals for you to meet and enjoy the Naturetown story (Parents of children under 8 must stay in the building.)
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	reading challe DRAWING In MINDFUL ANIMAL DRAWING on Mon, Tues,
	Mon 2 nd , Tues 10th Aug & Thu 2 Sept 10 – 11 & 11 – 12 Cost £1 per person
	Relax with some doodling. No artistic skill required! Adults and children 7+ welcome.
-	CREATE & PAINT A CLAY MODEL ANIMAL of each aver
	Thurs 12th Aug 1.30 - 2.30 & 3.15 - 4.15 (ages 5 upwards) - create
	Thurs 12th Aug 1.30 - 2.30 & 3.15 - 4.15 (ages 5 upwards) - cleater finder
	Cost £1 per person
	Enjoy getting messy and create a mini beast or animal; leave to dry, return to paint.
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	ENDANGERED ANIMAL MASKS
	Fri 30 th July 10 – 12 – create
	Fri 6 th Aug 10 – 11.30 – paint
Cr	eating paper maché masks first week and painting the week after. $\pounds 1$ per person; from 7yr
-	STORYTIME FRIDAYS
	Fridays 30th July; 6 th , 13 th , 20 th , 27 th Aug & 3 rd Sept 2 – 3pm
	Bring a rug and enjoy stories under the tree (indoors if wet) – FREE!

Summer Reading Challenge 2021

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We challenge all 4 - 11 year-olds to read 6 books over the holidays!

Our theme is Wild World Heroes so discover how to save our planet with this summer's reading challenge. Come to the library after school on Mon, Tues, Thurs or Fridays before 5pm or between 9.30 - 3 on Sat 3rd July or 10th July to sign up or throughout the holidays.

You will get a record card and stickers and rewards every time you come in to choose more books. When you have read 6 books you get a medal and a certificate all FREEI Also we have Buzzy Bee's Honey Hunt for preschool children with stickers and rewards.

