



## Keeping Safe

This week pupils from Reception to Year 6 had a water safety talk from the RLNI. This helped to reinforce key messages about keeping safe whilst in and around water. Children also had a safety talk from the gas board in preparation for the gas works that will be taking place around the school over the Easter holiday.

## Term time holidays

Please can I remind everyone that holidays taken within term time will not be authorised unless there are exceptional circumstances as to why the holiday needs to take place during the school term. There is a form that is available from the school office that outlines what is considered to be exceptional circumstances. Taking children out of school can not only leave gaps in your child's understanding but could also result in a fine.

## Quicksticks triumph

As you will see later in the Newsletter the Year 3/4 Quicksticks team were in action again. This time in the Hambleton Schools finals – another golden afternoon for the boys and girls from team TCP!

## Taking care in the school car park

I have had further concerns raised regarding the speed at which some cars are still entering the school car park. Please can I remind everyone that it is a 5 MPH speed limit. The school car park is always very busy, especially at key times –please watch your speed!

## Minutes Late This Week

This week we have lost Minutes in lateness.

Please arrive from 8.40am to ensure your child can be settled and ready to begin lessons on time.

## EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS

0 days off school	100%	Perfection
Equates to 2 days off school each year	99%	Excellent
Equates to 5 days off school each year	97%	Good
Equates to 10 days off school each year	95%	Slight Concern
Equates to 20 days off school each year	90%	Concerned
Equates to 30 days off school each year	85%	Very Concerned

## Every Minute Counts

### LATENESS = LOST LEARNING

(Figures below are calculated over a school year)

5 Minutes late each day	3 days lost!
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!
30 Minutes late each day	19 days lost!



*"In the line for ten to nine!"*

## April 2019

- 8th Nursery Visit to Town Centre  
Height & Weight Yr6 & Reception
- 9th Family Learning  
Nursery Consultations
- 10th Easter Eggs to be brought in  
Oral Health & Hygiene Checks
- 11th Easter Egg Competition  
Family learning
- 12th **School Closes at 2.30**  
Child of Term assembly  
KS1 Disco
- 30th School Re Opens  
Nursery Home visits

## May 2019

- 1st Hockey training yr3/4  
Nursery new starters  
Nursery Home Visits
- 2nd Class Photographs  
Family Learning

## Attendance

Class	% attendance this week (all pupils)
RB	95.6
RM	93.8
1L	98.8 Excellent
1/2S	98.8 Excellent
2C	96.4 Well done
3/4A	98.7 Excellent
3/4H	97.4 Fantastic
3/4W	95.8
5BC	94.2
6T	97.6 Fantastic
6P	98.2 Excellent
Total	96.8 Well done!

## Reminder—Packed Lunches

### NO NUTS

Can we once again remind parents not to put NUTS or NUT products ie Nutella or hazel-nut chocolate spread in their children's packed lunches. We have children with severe allergies. We are a Nut Free School.

Can we also remind pupils to take all their packed lunch waste home with them please, this enables parent's to see what they have eat-



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Zest Leisure Centres

**JetRiders**

Experience our exciting JetRiders this Easter!  
Young children can enjoy an exciting, pool based adventure in a safe environment. They will learn the art of riding a motorised, inflatable jet ski as our trained staff help them to take control and guide them through a session.

PLUS  
**JetRider**  
Birthday Parties  
AVAILABLE  
NOW!

Bedale: Wednesday 24 and Friday 26 April  
9.9.30am and 9.30.10am (4-7yrs)  
Stokesley: Tuesday 16 and 23 April  
9.9.30am (8-11yrs) and 9.30.10am (4-7yrs)  
Thirsk & Sowerby: Thursday 23 April  
2.30.3pm (4-7yrs) and 3.3.30pm (8-11yrs)

£6 per session - Contact reception to book  
Booking is essential.

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Bedale Leisure Centre (01677) 427273 | Stokesley Leisure Centre (01643) 711140 | Thirsk & Sowerby Leisure Centre (01845) 323447



**Easter**  
**POOL PARTY**

Disco  
Inflatables  
and water  
guns  
Games

Putting  
some  
fun into  
swimming  
at Leisure  
Centres across  
Hambledon

Bedale:  
Tuesday 23  
April  
2-3.30pm

Stokesley:  
Thursday  
18 April  
2-3.30pm

Northallerton:  
Monday 15 April  
9.30 - 10.30am

Thirsk & Sowerby:  
Thursday 18  
April  
12pm

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### Easter Lunch

We are to have an Easter Lunch on Wednesday 10th April 2019. Lunch will be: -

Roast Chicken with Stuffing

Mashed Potatoes

Broccoli & Carrots

Wholemeal Bread

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Rice Krispie Nests

Children who normally bring a packed lunch are invited to join us for lunch on this day.

The lunch will cost £2.27 for Years 3 and above

**Payment must be brought to the office or via Parent Pay**

**Please DO Not send money in with your child as we have had problems with money not reaching the office.**

### AFTERSCHOOL CLUB NOTICE

Please note Afterschool club will NOT be on Friday 12th April

### Pat Turner Trophy



**Archie Tait 1-2S** Archie is an absolute pleasure to teach. He is so determined to succeed in everything he does. He has persevered with his handwriting over the last few weeks and is now doing well. He is also a fantastic role model.

**Joanna Brewster 5BC** for consistently giving 100% in class, she is an excellent role model to others and a brilliant mentor in supporting others in class.



## Around School

### Quicksticks Competition- Winning team!

Our Quicksticks team took on the area cluster winners at the finals last Friday, they played some tough opposition throughout the afternoon but once again TCP came out victorious! Winning all of their games. We look forward to the county finals in July -Well done!



### Cake Bake Off

Thank you to all that took part in the PTA Bake off , there were some amazing cakes.

#### From the PTA

Thank you to everyone who took the time to bake for this, many wonderful entries and this made £64.20 which will go towards vital funds for the school.

Thank you to Eufloria, Ritz Cinema and Co op for donating our prizes.

### Our RNLI talk



### From the PTA

#### KS2 Talent show

Thank you to all KS2 pupils who have either entered into this competition or helped vote for the finalists for their class. We hope everyone has had a fab time. Thank you to the panel of judges for taking the time out of their day to attend school.

Can we remind everyone about the Easter Egg competition next week, Eggs will be judged on the 11th and please remember it is the KS1 Easter Disco on Friday afternoon.



<https://www.yourschoolgames.com/schools/thirsk-community-primary-school/>

<http://www.peresults.co.uk/competitionssports.aspx?>



## Summer Term Clubs

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Judo</b> 3.30 – 4.30 Yr2- Yr6	<b>Mr Grimston's Girls Football</b> Yr 4-5 3.20-4.20			
<b>Eco- Warrior Club</b> 3.30-4.15 Yr2-4	<b>Tennis</b> Yr 3-4 Until May 14th	<b>Multi Sports</b> 3.20-4.20 Yr 1& Yr2	<b>Football Club Mr Steel</b> Yr3-6 3.20-4.20	<b>Drama</b> 3.20-4.20 Yr1-Yr2
	<b>Science Club</b> 3.20 – 4.20 Yr 2-6	<b>Rounder's Club</b> Yr 3-6 3.20-4.20		<b>Tag Rugby</b> 3.20-4.20 Yr3-6 (No club on May 3 <sup>rd</sup> )
	<b>Gymnastics</b> Starts June 4 <sup>th</sup> Yr1-2 3.20-4.00 Yr3-4 4.00 – 4.45 Yr5-6 4.45- 5.30	<b>Dance Club</b> Yr3-6 3.20-4.20		



Children and Young People's Service

## School Term and Holiday Dates 2019-20

	AUGUST 2019	SEPTEMBER 2019	OCTOBER 2019	NOVEMBER 2019	DECEMBER 2019	JANUARY 2020
Monday	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
Tuesday	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
Wednesday	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
Thursday	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
Friday	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
Saturday	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
Sunday	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
	FEBRUARY 2020	MARCH 2020	APRIL 2020	MAY 2020	JUNE 2020	JULY 2020
Monday	3 10 17 24	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27
Tuesday	4 11 18 25	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28
Wednesday	5 12 19 26	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29
Thursday	6 13 20 27	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30
Friday	7 14 21 28	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31
Saturday	1 8 15 22 29	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25
Sunday	2 9 16 23	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26

- Bank Holiday
- School Holiday
- Professional development/training days

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 [schoolwellfare@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:schoolwellfare@northyorks.gov.uk) when you have  
 agreed them.