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SUMMER 2019 - Newsletter 9



Sicklinghall Superstars!



Congratulations to everyone who has received a Special Mention Certificate this week:

Clara

Oscar E

Gracie-Mae

Ariana

& to all of Willow Class for helping at Sports Day



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We finally got a Sports Day! We're so glad that the sun shone for long enough to dry the ground and allow the event to go ahead. It has also been an exciting week for our new starters and leavers as they enjoy trial days in their new schools. Year 6 enjoyed a valuable morning's learning at 'Crucial Crew', a series of workshops aimed at children heading to high school and focusing on keeping safe and making good decisions. Forest School Club topped off the week with a final visit to Carlshead to build their fires. A busy week!

Sports Day - Thank you

What a fantastic Sports Day we were finally able to enjoy yesterday! The weather was great (at last), the races were brilliant and the turnout was superb.

Many thanks for your support and thank you to the PTFA for providing welcome refreshments during the afternoon. A big well done and thank you to everyone.



Summer Performance- Change of Date

Further to the message sent yesterday, we are required to change the date of our evening show at the village hall. The evening show will now take place on **Tuesday 16th July at 6.30pm**. Following the afternoon performance, pupils will return home in their costumes and should arrive at the village hall for **6.00pm** to be ready for the evening performance.

Wednesday 17th July- Road Disruption

Please note that a road race takes place through Sicklinghall between 4pm and 10pm on Wednesday 17th July. Delays on the roads around school are possible.

Cricket Development Day - Willow Class

On Friday 28th June, Willow Class enjoyed a brilliant day out in Bradford alongside Spofforth Y5 and 6 pupils. They engaged in contract negotiations, took part in workshops and honed their cricket skills with none other than the former England cricket captain, Michael Vaughan!





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As the end of the Summer Term is approaching it is **VERY IMPORTANT** that **ALL** ParentPay accounts are settled **IN FULL** for the ParentPay financial school Year End. Please will **ALL** parents check their child's account and settle any outstanding or pending debts **ASAP** to ensure that payments are received not later than **Friday 12 July 2019**. This is especially important for our **Year 6 pupils who will be leaving the School on Friday 19 July 2019**

Please also note that paid services will **not** be made available in the new academic year until settlement for this academic year has been received.
Thank you.

End of Year Reports

We plan to send out annual reports at the end of next week. This will include outcomes from assessments in phonics for Y1 pupils and KS1 teacher assessment (Y2). Y6 SATs results will be included in the report for Y6 pupils.

Summer Production - Village Hall Audience Arrangements

As was the case last year, we have been advised by the Village Hall that we need to observe their Fire safety regulations which stipulate a maximum number allowed in the building. We therefore ask that in advance of considering ticketing shows in the future, that parents/carers attend **either** the afternoon performance **or** the evening performance, but not both. Thank you for your co-operation and understanding in this safety matter.

Reminders of trips next week, w/c 8 July 2019:

Monday 8 July: 8.30am-5.30pm - Silver Birch class trip to **Beamish**

Wednesday 10 July: 9.00am-3.30pm - Cherry Blossom class trip to **Yorkshire Wildlife Park**

Friday 10 July: 8.15am-5.30pm - Willow class trip to **Bolton Castle**

Please refer to your ParentMail letter for all details.

Reminder - Drama Club - Theatre Performance

Now that the practicing and rehearsals are finished in school, Drama Club pupils are now looking forward to performing 'A Midsummer Nights Dream' at Harrogate Theatre **next Tuesday, 9 July 2019**. Please refer to the letter sent home to all Drama Club pupils via ParentMail on 18 June 2019.

Children will be transported to the theatre for the final performance on Tuesday 9 July (one way only) in school minibus, driven by Mr Shillito.

Please make your own arrangements for your child to be collected from the theatre after the last performance at 6.30pm.

Autumn Term Menu

We have been advised by our caterers that the Autumn Term menu for September 2019 will remain the same as is currently being provided - no changes.

Department for Transport Traffic Survey

We have been advised that as part of a nationwide data collection exercise, the Department for Transport will be conducting a 12 hour two-way traffic survey along Main Street in Sicklinghall. This will be carried out by enumerators parked at the roadside next Thursday, 11 July 2019.

Payments for Cherry Blossom Swimming Lessons

Thank you to all parents/carers for payments already made towards your child's swimming lessons so far this term. Cherry Blossom's swimming lessons have cost £704.00. We have so far received **£491.00**, leaving a shortfall of **£213.00**.

Please could parents check their contributions to date and make any further payments where applicable via



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ParentPay or inform us ASAP that they do not intend to make a voluntary contribution. Thank you.

SWIMMING LESSONS in 2019/2020 - Willow Class

A reminder please that all swimming consents for September's Willow class are required via ParentMail by the end of TODAY, Friday, 5 July 2019. Thank you.

After School Multi Sports Club

Please note that Mr Whitford's LAST after school sports club for this half term will be NEXT Wednesday 10 July 2019, 3.30-4.30pm.

Music Lessons & Prices for Academic Year 2019-2020

Parents/Carers can go direct to the NYCC Music Hub website to find out about the lessons provided, and use their online form to apply for lessons. The website includes details of the tuition fees. Please visit:

www.northyorkshiremusicclub.co.uk

Spotted

This week, Mr Shillito has spotted the following children in and around school this week:

Cherry Blossom - Amelia for her resilience

Silver Birch - Harriet for being helpful

Willow - Helena for her great sense of humour



End of Term / Whole School Picnic

A reminder that our last day of term is **Friday 19 July 2019** when we will hold our whole school picnic at 12pm.

Please note there is **no school meal provision** on this day, - please can all children bring in their own packed lunch from home to be enjoyed as a whole school picnic lunch outside on the field.

School closes at **2:30pm** on this day and there will be no Chill Out Provision. School reopens to pupils after the summer holiday on **Tuesday 3 September 2019**.

Attendance Aces

Each Thursday, we award an attendance point to the year group with the highest attendance figure in the school.

**Congratulations to Yr4 with 100%
Well done!**

Year Group	This Week (%)	Half Term Points
Reception	96.8	1
Year 1	96.8	
Year 2	99.5	3
Year 3	98.2	1
Year 4	100	2
Year 5	98.2	1
Year 6	95.9	

Summer Reading Challenge 2019



This _____ year's

Summer Reading Challenge, which is run by The Reading Agency in partnership with public libraries, is now underway. Don't forget to sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge at your nearest library during the holidays! This year the theme is Space Chase, celebrating 50 years since the first Apollo moon landing.

The challenge is to read 6 library books of your choice and collect space themed stickers and other prizes on the way - everyone who finishes will receive a limited edition Space Chase medal and a certificate. Space Chase is for children aged 4 to 11 but this year there is also a special mini challenge with free stickers for younger siblings too! For more information visit: <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/>



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Mini Medics - First Aid for Kids

Ruth Watson, of Watson Training Services, is running First Aid courses over the Summer holidays for children aged 7-13yrs.

Please collect a flyer from the cloakroom wall document holders if you are interested to know more/book a place.

DIARY DATES TO KEEP - 2018-2019

Multi-Sports After School Club-KS2 - Wednesdays-w/c
Mon 03 Sept: 3.30-4.30pm. Please note that this does NOT run on the last week of each full term, - ie.the last week of the Autumn, Spring & Summer term.

Forest School After School Club - Summer Term 1
Thursdays 3.30-5.00pm: 6 sessions: 02, 09 & 16 May; 13 & 20 June & 04 July (please note the club is NOT running on 23 May, 06 & 27 June, or 11 & 18 July)

After School Garden Club-Spring Term 2 & Summer Term
Mondays 3.30-5.00pm: 11 sessions: 04,11,18,25 March; 01,08 April; 13 May; 03,10,17,24 June (please note the club is NOT running on 20 May or 01 July)

After School Drama Club - Summer Term 1 & 2
Tuesdays 3.30-4.30pm: 10 weeks: 30 April; 07,14 & 21 May; 04,11,18,25 June; 02 & 09 July. Performance Tue 09 July 2019 @ Harrogate Theatre

Summer Term 2

Swimming for Cherry Blossom class every Monday: 13 May-08 Jul 2019

Mon 08 Jul: 8.30am-5.30pm SB Class trip to Beamish Museum
 Tue 09 Jul: pm/eve - Drama Club-Harrogate Theatre performances
 Wed 10 Jul: CB Class trip to Yorkshire Wildlife Park
 Fri 12 Jul: Willow Class trip to Bolton Castle
 Mon 15 Jul: 2.45pm Farewell Assembly for Mr Shillito & Miss Brown
 Fri 19 Jul: 12pm Whole School Picnic lunch (NO school lunch provision today)
 Fri 19 Jul: 1.30pm Leavers assembly
 Fri 19 Jul: **2.30pm** School closes for Summer holiday (NO COZ provision)

High School Transition Days	
Rossett School	Wed 10 & Thur 11 July 2019
St Aidans School	Thur 11 July 2019

School Summer Production

Please find below dates of our rehearsal and performances for our Summer production.

Date:	Rehearsal/Performance	Collection Arrangements:
Friday 5 July 2019	Dress rehearsal at Village Hall, (to take place during the school morning) Please arrive at school for normal time of 8.50am	
Tuesday 16 July 2019	Afternoon performance: 2pm start time and Evening performance: Pupils arrive 6pm for 6.30pm start	Parents collect from Village Hall @ 3.30pm Parents take home after performance

Mr Shillito's weekly diary for Jul 2019:

w/c	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
w/c 08.07.19	SCPS	GB/ SCPS	GB	SCPS	G'B
w/c 15.09.19	SCPS	GB	SCPS / GB	SCPS / GB	GB / SCPS

Please note this may be subject to change



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