



Together We Can

**Attendance to date this term
95.8%**

Dates for your Diary

26th June - Nursery transition day

27th June - Warriors/World Cup Day

28th June - Yr 5 to Malton Secondary

29th June - Sports Day

3rd July - Jumble Sale 2pm/Peat Rigg KS2 Parent Meeting

4th July - Beaumont's Recycling.
Please use your own bag—Beaumonts no longer provide plastic bags for recycling

6th July - Reserve Sports Day

10th July - Acorns to Filey

13th July - Swimming Gala at Ampleforth

17th July - End of year production

18th July - Year 6 to Florios

19th July - Year 6 to Filey

20th July - last day of term/leavers assembly/leavers lunch/Yr 6 V Parents rounders match

1st August - Warriors 2pm—4pm.

Attendance by year group to date this academic year -

Rec - 88.1%
Year 1 - 96.6%
Year 2 - 95%
Year 3 - 97.8%
Year 4 - 93.6%
Year 5 - 96.9%
Year 6 - 95.6%

Newsletter

Thursday 21st June 2018

A word from Mrs Mitchell.....

On **Wednesday 27th June** we will be having a World Cup celebration day at school. Groups of children will be allocated a country to explore and we will host a day of fun activities from around the world. In the afternoon we will host a party, where the children are invited to bring in a traditional treat from any country competing in the world cup. During this day children are encouraged to come in fancy dress, with a world cup theme or theme surrounding any country competing in the world cup- let your imaginations run free!

SPORTS DAY - Children will need to come to school in their PE kits on sports day, with a water bottle and hat. Parents are invited to spectate during the mornings round robin activities if they wish (from 9.15-10.30am) As usual, we will be relying on parents to offer their help during the afternoon races with things such as the finish line and helping Mr Clarke set out equipment. Please could you let Mrs Mortimer know if you are able to help on the afternoon of Friday 29th June (reserve sports day on Friday 6th July in case of bad weather).

Also we are on the hunt for heavy duty potato/hay sacks. If you have any spare, we would be very grateful!

We have had a parent comment box in our reception area for the last two years—it isn't used and, while we view this positively and interpret that as a sign of excellent communication between the school and parents through other mediums, it is still an option. Please use it if you wish as it is checked regularly. It can be used for anonymous suggestions/issues as well as simple positive comments about the school and staff. Parents of bus pupils may send comments in with their children to put in the communication box.

You were recently asked to complete a parent survey. These surveys are our way of gaining parent voice this half term. Please complete and return if you haven't already done so. We will be holding our parent forums from September 2018—the first one will be on Thursday 20th September at 2.45pm.

Transition Fortnight . This year instead of a transition day, we will be having a whole fortnight of transition activities to prepare your child for their new year group next year. Children will spend time over the fortnight in their classes for next year.

Thank you

Sian Mitchell

Contact Details

It is imperative that I have correct email and mobile numbers for you - please ensure any changes to your details are given to the office as soon as possible.

Please email admin@leavening.n-yorks.sch.uk with any comments about this newsletter.

Help with gardening.

We are on the look out for a local reliable person to commit to between 1-2 hours each week, term time and on a flexible/fit around you basis to keep our Early years and Key Stage One outside areas tidy and maintained. Ideally a keen interest in gardening as we also want to clear out our green house area and old chicken run and start to use these to grow produce and create a wildlife/bird watching area. Rates of pay to be discussed. If you are interested please speak to Mrs Mortimer. We would be keen to start this asap.

We are also on the look out for any of the following—

Old bird tables

Old kitchen utensils

Old children's toy kitchen

Sand tray

Water tray

Large construction toys

Crates

Thank you

Year 6 trip to Crucial Crew

On Friday 8th June Year 6 travelled to the TA barracks in Scarborough for the annual Crucial Crew event. They took part in 9 different scenarios aimed at keeping children safe. Topics included Electricity, RNLI, Gas Board, Fire Safety, Internet Safety, Alcohol abuse, Drug Abuse, Domestic Violence in the home and finally NHS keeping HAPPY; mindset for children.

We shared the travel with children from Langton. Mrs Marshall reported that our children were a pleasure to be with; exceptional behaviour all round Well done Year 6!



Jumble Sale

Oak Trees will be hosting a jumble sale in school on **Tuesday 3rd July at 2pm** to raise funds for school. All friends, family members, neighbours etc are very welcome. Prices will be from 20p—£1. Oak Trees would really appreciate any donations you have of clothes, toys, books, games, bric-a-brac etc in a clean saleable condition.

This is a great opportunity to have a good clear out over half term.

I would appreciate it if these items could be brought into school as close to 3rd July as possible so my office doesn't fill up!

Any leftover clothing items will be donated to Beaumont's Recycling the following day but we would appreciate some volunteers to take any other leftover items to one of the charity shops in Malton.

Thank you.