

# NEWSLETTER

## Friday 25th June 2021

### SUMMER 2 TERM

**PLANNED DIARY DATES**  
(Events may be subject to change)

#### JUNE

**Mon 28th June (am);**

Transition session-  
Children to spend time in their new  
classes for September

**Weds 30th 9am**

School photographer in  
(Class groups & leavers photos)

#### JULY

**Fri 2nd**

Reports out to parents

**Mon 5th & Tues 6th**

Parent meetings

**Mon 5th (am);**

**Weds 14th (am);**

Transition sessions

**Thurs 22nd (pm)**

Year 6s to Burythorpe House

**Fri 23rd**

Last day of term

## A MESSAGE FROM MRS MITCHELL...

### Quality of Education

The children are thoroughly enjoying this half terms topic of 'Tomorrows World' with some exciting projects underway. The children in Acorns have been enjoying the new equipment and provision we are developing to further create opportunities for investigation, enquiry, making connections and fostering independence. The children in Conkers have been learning about current habitats and landscape of the North York moors (via interactive zoom sessions with an education officer from the North York Moors) They have been considering how the current climate will affect future climates and what we must do to preserve our existing habitats. Oak Trees pupils have been taking part in the Young Leaders Award through the Archbishop of York Trust and are learning and applying all the skills and qualities needed to become future leaders in a variety of capacities!

### Reports

We are still providing you with end of school year reports for your child and these will be sent home on Friday 2nd July. We have used our usual reporting format, and this will hopefully give you a clear picture on your child's attainment and progress over the year. The content of the report takes into consideration the school closure from January until March this year and individuals progress throughout the remote learning period. If you do have any concerns or questions following the report, then please do make an appointment to speak to your child's class teacher. The national attainment picture across all primary schools is indicative of the turbulent school year our children have had.

### Aspire Week

To enrich our topic this half term we are still looking for parents/carers/family member to talk to our pupils about any interesting jobs or hobbies you have. We would anticipate that this was done visually, although we could discuss alternatives if a face-to-face session was more appropriate. Either way, please do get in touch- we would be very grateful.

Have a lovely weekend and we will see you next week.

Best Wishes  
*Sian Mitchell*

## School wrap-around provision

Our Breakfast and After-School Club, is a fantastic facility that we are very lucky to be able to offer.

If you would like your child to attend, simply email the office: [admin@leavening.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:admin@leavening.n-yorks.sch.uk) to book them in. Payment is made via ParentPay.



**Breakfast Club** runs everyday in term time from 7.45am until 8.45am.

**After school provision** is split into 2 sessions:

3.15 - 4.15pm (£3.00 per session) and

3.15 - 5.15pm (£5.00 per session)

This runs everyday **apart from Fridays.**

Activities include:

Arts and crafts ☺ Baking ☺ Opportunity to do homework ☺ Outdoor play ☺ Puzzles  
☺ Games ☺ Reading ☺ Relaxing!

Children from nursery age through to Year 6 are all welcome!

## SCHOOL LUNCHES

Our healthy school lunches (a main course and a dessert) are available at £2.50 per day. We would particularly like more Oak Trees children to take advantage of these delicious meals. They are supplied to us via Malton School and payable via ParentPay.

Please see here for next week's menu >>>

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Main Meal Choice</b>	Chicken Korma with Steamed Rice & Naan Bread	Pasta Carbonara with Garlic Bread & Sweetcorn	Tuna & Tomato Pasta Bake with Broccoli Florets & Mixed Salad	Sweet & Sour Chicken with Steamed Rice and Sweetcorn	Butchers Sausage with Skinny Fries, Garden Peas or Baked Beans
<b>Vegetarian Option</b>	Jacket Potato with Assorted Fillings	Jacket Potato with Assorted Fillings	Jacket Potato with Assorted Fillings	Jacket Potato with Assorted Fillings	Jacket Potato with Assorted Fillings
	Oven Baked Cheese & Broccoli Quiche	Margarita Baguette Pizza	Tex-Mex Vegetable Chilli with Steamed Rice and Nachos	Vegan Sausage Roll with Potato Wedges & Sweetcorn	Quorn Sausage with Skinny Fries, Garden Peas or Baked Beans
<b>Sides</b>	Herby Diced Potatoes	Potato Wedges	Broccoli Florets	Steamed Rice Potato Wedges	Skinny Fries
	Garden Peas & Sweetcorn	Vegetable sticks	Mixed Salad	Sweetcorn	Peas or Baked Beans
<b>Desserts</b>	Fresh Fruit or	Fresh Fruit or	Fresh Fruit or	Fresh Fruit or	Fresh Fruit or
	Fruity Jelly Pot	Lemon Shortbread Biscuit	Chocolate Cookie	Vanilla Sponge Cake with Toffee Sauce	Summer Berry Mousse

If you wish to enquire about free school meals for your child, please contact the Welfare Team on 01609 533405. Alternatively, click on this link for more information on how to apply if you think you may be eligible for free school meals.

## PE CLOTHING REMINDER

Please can children come to school in their PE clothing on their PE day to maximise time spent on the curriculum- rather than getting changed. Days are as follows:

**Oak Trees:** Tuesdays (all afternoon)

**Conkers:** Fridays and Wednesdays

Please ensure all your child's clothing is named (including PE kit, water bottle and school uniform).



## FREE NEW RESOURCES FOR NORTH YORKSHIRE RESIDENTS

Ourplace is the gateway into **online courses** for all parents, grandparents or carers who live in North Yorkshire. The courses aim to support the most difficult job in the world!

The first course is an antenatal course developed by Registered Midwives and health professionals and called **'Understanding pregnancy, labour, birth and your baby'** and does what it says in the title!

Information about giving birth plus learning about the baby's brain and how to optimise your relationship with the baby.

The second is a postnatal course **'Understanding your baby'**. It was developed by health visitors and clinical psychologists, and other health professionals and is for parents of babies from 0 to 12 months.

The third is our main course for parents of children aged between 6 months and 19 years: **'Understanding your child'**. This was also developed by child psychologists and specialist health and education professionals.

There is also a short course: **'Understanding your teenager's brain'** which can explain some of the changes in teenagers' behaviour by understanding what is happening in their brain.

The courses are delivered in modules and can be worked through at your own pace and can be accessed on laptops, mobile phones, tablets etc by logging on to:

**[www.inourplace.co.uk](http://www.inourplace.co.uk)** and entering the access code: **NYFAMILIES**





Sports day photos

Well done to all the children who took part in the sports day activities this week. A fantastic effort! Congratulations to Julia Donaldson's house (green) who were the winners across all the events.

