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Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

One more week to go, this year has flashed by! This week whilst most of Year 6 were on transition at Whitby School, the juniors and Y2 children enjoyed a day learning about 'The Game of Life' with Simon Carson School. They learnt about money, savings, jobs and economy. We have also enjoyed meeting our new starters in EYFS this week and watching everyone else in the school move up for taster days in their new year groups. Everything went smoothly and we are looking forward to September! We do have one or two more events to enjoy first...

FOES Summer Fair and Open Day - Tomorrow!!!

Do come along and join us between 11am and 3pm on Saturday for our last 150th year celebration. BBQ, stalls, games and refreshments as well as a walk through the school archives. So if you know a past pupil, parent, governor or staff member do bring them along for a trip down memory lane!

FOES - End of Term Tuck Shop

FOES will be holding their last tuck shop of the year on Friday next week from 3pm. Children may bring a small amount of money to school in a named purse or envelope. Ice pops will be available.

Whitby Car Boot

Thank you to everyone who supported and organised the Whitby Car Boot last weekend, we raised a total of £406.50 including £255 kindly gifted by Andrew Boddy and family from the Whitby Car Boot takings that day!

Sports Day

Thank you to everyone who came and cheered us on last Friday at Sports Day. It was a terrific afternoon and great fun was had by all. Congratulations to the winning Yellow team and to Ellie who received the Egton Sportsperson of the Year Award sponsored by EPRA. FOES' refreshments, raffle and tombola made the grand total of £191.50!

Annual School Reports

Annual School Report for your child has been sent via email today. Please do let us know that you have received it using the google link <u>HERE</u>.

Leavers Lunch

Our Year 6 children have chosen their favourite meal for Leavers Lunch on Thursday. We will be having Chicken burger in a bun, mixed salad & chips followed by waffle & ice cream. If your child normally has packed lunch but would like to have the special leavers choice lunch on Thursday they are able to order this on the morning or you can let us know by email. Thank you.

Year 6 Leavers Service

Our Year 6 Leavers Service will be on Thursday afternoon at St Hilda's church at 1.30pm. Afternoon tea will be served back in school after the service by the Friends of Egton School. All welcome.

Whole School Federation Day

On Wednesday next week, Danby will be joining us at Egton for a 'Greek/Olympic Federation Learning Day'. This promises to be lots of fun with lots of Greek and Olympic themed activities. Children will need their PE kits in school for this day. Thank you.

Lunch will be a buffet, picnic style provided by the cooks from both Egton and Danby Schools, just like we did at the Planetarium Day.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Jesse! Last weekend he qualified for the UCI BMX World Championships which are to be held in Copenhagen next year! This makes Jesse one of the top 12 riders in the Under 9 category in England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales. Well done indeed!

Summer Holiday Activity Information we have been asked to share with you:

Children's Art Workshops

Nature and clay...

https://www.instagram.com/p/C9FstjlskS_/?igsh=MTRibmR1d3NvMnZkdg==

Wednesday morning clay workshops...

https://www.instagram.com/p/C9Eg-68tdpB/?igsh=MW5vbDZ5ZnJsbHpwZw==

The events can be booked through eventbrite:

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/mana-hub-whitby-85805945353

Whitby Cricket Club Summer Sessions

We have been asked to let you know about some 'Enjoy Cricket' courses planned for 3 days in the summer holidays at Whitby Cricket Club.. They are OPEN TO ALL.

There are 2 courses. The one in the mornings is for younger players using softballs. Then in the afternoon there is a course for slightly older players using hardballs. Both should be LOTS OF FUN and are run by experienced, qualified coaches.

For further details parents should ring Ricky Hall on 0795 092 2112 or fill in the <u>attached form</u> and email it to <u>whitbyccjuniors@gmail.com</u>.

National Literacy Trust

The National Literacy Trust are running two free events in Whitby this summer for children aged 7-11. There will be arts, crafts, stories, and poems at Whitby Library. Join in for free to make your own zine or get involved with the Word Wizards games and poetry workshop. You can find the full schedule of events at https://literacytrust.org.uk/communities/yorkshire-coast/storycraft-summer/ Please click here for an information leaflet.

Loved your first event? Keep on coming! Join us for both events to win an Amazon gift card.

Uniform Orders

We have received some enquiries regarding personalised school uniforms. It is ultimately your choice whether you select a personalised shirt / sweat top or not. However, from a safeguarding perspective, you may wish to consider that this will enable strangers to identify children by their names if they are wearing their uniform in public places outside of school.

My NameTags - FOES fundraiser

We have signed up to a company called 'My Name Tags' who produce personalised name stickers/iron on stickers to label clothing, shoes etc. It's very easy to use and saves a lot of time writing names in everything! All you have to do is click on the link below to enter the website, create the stickers and then put the unique school ID in the box under the 'Shipping Details' during checkout. For every order placed, we will receive 24% commission for the FOES account. If you have any questions, please speak to Elizabeth in the school office.

https://www.mynametags.com/

School ID is 73781

Easy fundraising - FOES fundraiser

We are registered with easyfundraising.org.uk which gives the Friends of Egton School donations if you shop online and sign up to support Egton Primary School. You can also use easyfundraising when booking your holidays and raise big donations for us FOR FREE! Please visit our easyfundraising page at: https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/egtonpsch/ and click 'join us'. Thank you.

Advance Notice - After School Club on Friday 19th July

We are giving advance notice that there will be no after school club available on the last day of the summer term, Friday 19th July, School will finish at 3.30pm that day. Thank you.

School Term Dates

The list of term dates for the academic year 2024/2025 can be found HERE.

Diary Dates

Please note that our calendar can be found on the school website <u>HERE</u>. This is updated regularly throughout the term.

Summer Fair and Open Day	Saturday 13th July
Y6 Leavers Trip	Monday 15th July
Y6 Leavers Service	Thursday 18th July 1.30pm
Last Day of Term for Pupils	19th July Note: No after school club available today

Next week, I will be at Danby on Tuesday, Thursday morning and Friday morning. I will be at Egton on Wednesday for Federation Olympic Day, Tuesday afternoon, Thursday afternoon and Friday afternoon. On Monday I will be on the Year 6 Leavers Trip with both Egton and Danby children.

Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes,



Liz Orland Headteacher

The information below has not changed but is still relevant.

Safeguarding Children Telephone Number

If you have a safeguarding concern about a child, please note that from the 1st April 2023, the main customer service line for the new North Yorkshire Council will be changing. The new number will be **0300 131 2 131** and will replace the old 01609 780780 number. This will mean that all contacts for referrals for children within North Yorkshire need to go through the 0300 131 2 131 number. **This includes any contacts out of hours for the Emergency Duty Team.**

The contact number for the professionals line will remain the same 01609 535070.

The updated details regarding making a referral for a child in North Yorkshire have been updated on our website (www.safeguardingchildren.co.uk/about-us/worried-about-a-child).

School Dinner Menu

Please find the Summer Term school menu <u>HERE</u>. Please be aware that sometimes menus do need to change slightly depending on deliveries etc. If your child has any special dietary requirements or allergies please could you let us know by completing the appropriate form which can be found HERE.

Healthy Snacks

Children may bring a 'healthy' snack into school for morning break, no crisps, cake or chocolate please. Fruit will also be available for any child that would like some.

Dinners and Breakfast and After School Clubs

Just a reminder of our costs this term.

- Dinners for Junior children £2.80. (Infant meals continue to be free of charge through a government scheme)
- Breakfast club: £3.00 a day

After School Club: £2.50
 3.30pm - 4.30pm - to include a drink and snack

£3.00 4.30pm - 5.30pm - to include a drink and light tea

Please note that there will continue to be our free of charge fun after school club in the autumn term until October half term on Wednesdays from 3.30pm - 4.30pm. If children need to stay until 5.30pm for after school provision on these evenings, parents will still be charged £5.50 for the two hours as staff members will need to be retained during that time. Thank you.

Free School Meal Eligibility

We are sharing this information with you again as it has recently been updated. Please contact the school office if you would like any help.

Families who receive certain benefits may be eligible for free school meals. Your child is eligible for free school meals if you're in receipt of one of the following benefits:

- Universal Credit with an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400, before benefits are taken into account.
- Income Support

- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Child Tax Credit (with no Working Tax Credit) with an annual income of no more than
- £16,190

Even if your child is in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 and currently receives universal free school meals, please check your entitlement. Being eligible will mean that the school receives additional funding for your child which will go towards their learning and any additional support they may need.

If you think you may be entitled to free school meals for your child, please use the application form which can be found on the NYC website -Free school meals | North Yorkshire Council.

Jewellery in School

Please could we remind everyone of the policy regarding jewellery in school:

'Jewellery is not allowed to be worn for Health and Safety reasons following a directive from North Yorkshire County Council. However a watch and small stud earrings may be worn on a daily basis but must be removed for PE.'

We have noticed a number of children wearing items such as bracelets and necklaces recently. Not only does this present a health and safety risk but also causes upset if these items get lost. If you wish your child to have their ears pierced, we recommend that you have this done over the Summer holiday period to allow them to heal before a return to school. All earrings must now be removed for PE and Swimming lessons, we are not allowed to tape over them as in previous times.

Contacting the teaching staff

<u>I.tokarski@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk</u> <u>I.vaughan@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk</u> <u>g.robertson@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk</u>

Please note that staff emails are only monitored during the hours of 8am and 4pm Monday to Friday. For anything urgent outside of these hours please contact the admin email. admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk

Attendance

Just a little reminder that if your child is ill and will be absent from school, we ask that you contact school to let us know on each day that they will be absent, by 9.30am. This can be by telephone on **01947 895369** or by email to admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk . If we do not hear anything from you we will give you a call to check everything is okay as part of our safeguarding procedures. Thank you.