



NORTH FERRIBY C E PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER JULY 2019

Message from Mr Orr

It has been a very busy but rewarding end to the year from many perspectives with many fantastic achievements to celebrate.

For the first time in the school's history both our Y4 and Y6 cricket teams reached Yorkshire Cricket finals. The Y6 finals were held at Hunslet Nelson Cricket Club and the Y4 finals are being held at Headingley on Friday 19th July. In the middle of all the cricketing action we also achieved our best ever set of results at the Haltemprice Athletics event.

The theme for this year's KS2 Music and Arts Festival was "The Movies". Each KS2 class put on spectacular presentations about their chosen film using music, dance, narration, a whole range of stage props - and in some cases even some acrobatics. A huge thank you to the children and staff for all the effort and hard work that went into organising this event - and a big thank you to you, the parents for coming along to watch.

Being the end of the school year it means that we are saying goodbye to another set of Y6 children. It has been an absolute pleasure sharing their primary school years with them and they will leave behind a large hole when we come back in September and they don't. They have all found ways to contribute positively to our school community specifically in sport and music and particularly in this, their final year. This year's choir concert was the most technically challenging and the most polished and entertaining so far, in large part down to the talent and commitment of our Y6 choir members. As mentioned above this has been an incredibly successful sporting year - again thanks to the fine examples set by our sporting Y6. An important measure of the calibre of our Y6 is the annual trip to Bamburgh and they were wonderful all week. Brilliant throughout every day, asking sensible questions and always keen to fill in their booklets. So polite and respectful at all the places that we visited and with the other visitors that we met. So calm and quiet at meal times - even though there were so many of them. And they had a brilliant time on the beach every night mixing with different groups of friends and getting on with everyone without fuss. At times it was really difficult to believe that there were 50 children with us because they were so sensible and a joy all week! Thank you Y6 for making it my most enjoyable trip to Bamburgh so far!

So thank you Y6 for all you have given to this school. Good luck to you all in the future and come back and tell us all about your continued journey to becoming Healthy, Safe, Thoughtful, Enterprising and Creative members of your community.

Also this term FONFS held our annual Open Gardens event. Just before the day the weather was rather wet and cold but the sun shone and the day itself was glorious. It was great to have some new gardens this year joining in the fun and for some old ones returning from a break. We had a record number of garden sponsors this year which helped to boost our total funds raised. A big thank you to everyone for supporting this event and, especially to FONFS for their continued and essential support of the school, throughout the year.

A huge thanks to all members of our school community for all of your support throughout this year. Enjoy the summer break and we will see you all safe and healthy in the new school year.



SPORTS NEWS



Football: The boys' football team have competed well throughout the year in their league and have represented the school superbly. Mr Pearson has been particularly impressed with their teamwork e.g. sorting out substitutes for each game in a fair way. Well done boys!

The girls also competed in a football tournament this half-term and did extremely well finishing in second place just 1 point behind the winners. Well done girls!

Cricket:

It has been a very exciting time this term for our cricket teams. Our **Year 6** team was invited to attend the Kwik Cricket finals at Hunslet Nelson Cricket Club and represented the school very well.

Our **Year 4** cricketers who have been taking part in the Summer Smash County Cricket tournament have been crowned East Riding champions and as such will now be taking part, on the last day of term, in the wider

Yorkshire finals at Headingley. We wish them all the very best of luck. Well done to all our cricketers!

Haltemprice Sports: We had another fantastic night at the Annual Haltemprice Sports. Several children were involved and many children from our school came in the top three. Two girls impressively won each event they entered and one broke the 200 metre record for her age group. Well done to all who were involved!

Rounders: two teams have enjoyed playing the game through the summer term and have showed a good understanding of the game.

Festival of Sport: As part of their transition to South Hunsley, the Year 6 children participated in the Festival of Sport alongside their new form groups. They took part in several different athletic style activities and got to know their surroundings, the PE staff and new friends.

A Reminder about School to Home Communications

Letters, letter alerts, flyers etc. are sent via email to those who have given us their email addresses.

All letters with reply slips are also sent home via book bags. Please check bags regularly.

All letters, with only a few exceptions (e.g. some sports letters) are also uploaded to the school website (therefore if the letter has not arrived via the book bag, then you will usually be able to view it and if necessary print one off the website). Wherever possible, school letters will be sent out at least two weeks before the event takes place.

[NB. Sometimes, particularly with sporting events, we receive the information at very short notice and therefore in these circumstances it is beyond our control as to how much notice we can give to you]



School Dinners

From September 2019 pupil school dinners will be increasing to **£2.40** per meal.



All parents should now be using, and be familiar with, the online payment system - ParentPay. If anyone has any concerns or difficulties using the system please contact the school office for assistance as soon as any issues arise.

Please note that money for school dinners need to be paid for in advance using the ParentPay facility.

Thank you for your co-operation and support.

GET THE WEBSITE HABIT

All important class newsletters produced by the school office can be found on our school website at

www.northferribyprimaryschool.co.uk

Please add this site to your internet favourites and check it regularly for information.

DOGS

Please respect and adhere to our request to keep our school site a dog free zone at all times.



This applies to all dogs, even those on a lead, at the start and end of the school day.

Sadly, dog dirt continues to be found on the school site which is unacceptable.

Thank you.

Goodbye and Good Luck



As we all say goodbye to our Year 6 children we are also saying farewell to Miss Porter. Sadly, for us, she is leaving to teach at a new school in September. Our loss will definitely be their gain. We will all miss her positive and creative outlook and we wish to thank her for all her hard work this year.

We are sure you will want to join us in wishing Miss Porter good luck in her new teaching post and continued success in her career. Thank you from Mrs Atkinson, Deputy Head on behalf of the whole school community .

Good bye, good luck and best wishes to all those pupils who are leaving us this term . We hope you take with you some wonderful memories. Please let us know how you're getting on. Remember to continue to apply all you've learnt at North Ferriby Primary School and you will surely succeed.

Dates for the Year (2019 – 2020):

Year 3 Bible Presentation (All Saints' Church)	11/09/19	9:30am
EYFS: Getting to know your child meeting	17/09/19	4pm-6pm
EYFS: Getting to know your child meeting	18/09/19	4pm-6pm
Parents as Partners – Phonics	25/09/19	5pm-6pm
School Photos (individuals and families)	30/09/19	AM
Parents as Partners – Reading	31/09/19	5pm-6pm
Harvest Festival	03/10/19	9:30 – 10:30 & 10:45 – 11:45
Parents as Partners – Maths and Writing	09/10/19	2:15 – 3:15
Autumn Parents eve (Yrs 1-6)	21/10/19	3:35pm – 6pm
Autumn Parents eve (Yrs 1-6)	22/10/19	3:35pm – 6pm
2020 Reception Pupils 'drop-in'	13/11/19	AM
EYFS Your Turn to learn and Christmas Tree Decorating and	29/11/19	PM
KS1 Christmas Performance	03/12/19	PM
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Year 5/6 Christmas Performance	10/12/19	PM Please note there will
Year 5/6 Christmas Performance	11/12/19	PM be no evening
Pantomime (Hull New Theatre)	12/12/19	PM performance of the
Year 5/6 Christmas Performance	13/12/19	PM Year 5/6 Christmas play
Christingle making (please bring an orange)	16/12/19	
Christingle	17/12/19	9:30 – 10:30 & 10:45 – 11:45
Spring Parents Eve (all classes)	10/02/20	6:30 – 8:30
Spring Parents Eve (all classes)	11/02/20	3:45 – 6pm
EYFS Your turn to learn and Fathers Afternoon	16/06/19	PM
Easter Service	01/04/20	9:30 – 10:30 & 10:45 – 11:45

SHP Y6 Transition Events	TBC	
Y2 SATs	Throughout May	
Class and Group Photos	28/04/20	AM
Y6 SATs Week	11th – 14th May	
Bamburgh Week	1st – 5th June	
KS2 Sports Day	17/06/20	all day
KS2 Sports Day – reserve day	24/06/20	All day
KS1 Sports Day	01/07/20	PM
KS1 Sports Day – reserve day	08/07/20	PM
Open afternoon (Y1 – Y6)	13/07/20	3:30 – 6pm
End Of Year Awards Service	16/07/20	9:15am
Y6 Leavers Service	16/07/20	6:30pm

Dates for your Diary

School Term Dates 2019/2020/2021

Autumn Term 2019

Monday 2 September	Teachers' Training Day
Tuesday 3 September	School re-opens for pupils
Thursday 24 October	School closes for pupils
Friday 25 October	Teachers' Training Day
Monday 4 November	School re-opens for pupils
Friday 20 December	School closes for Christmas

Spring Term 2020

Monday 6 January	Teachers' Training Day
Tuesday 7 January	School re-opens for pupils
Friday 14 February	School closes for Half-term
Monday 24 February	School re-opens for pupils
Thursday 2 April	School closes for Easter
Friday 3 April	Teachers' Training Day

Summer Term 2020

Monday 20 April	School re-opens for pupils
Friday 8 May	May Day (75th anniversary of VE Day)
Friday 22 May	School closes for Half-term
Monday 1 June	School re-opens for pupils
Friday 17 July	School closes for pupils
Monday 20 July	Teachers' Training Day

Please take note of this change of date

Autumn Term 2020

Monday 7 September	Teachers' Training Day
Tuesday 8 September	School re-opens for pupils
Thursday 22 October	School closes for pupils
Friday 23 October	Teachers' Training Day
Monday 2 November	School re-opens for pupils
Friday 18 December	School closes for Christmas

Spring Term 2021

Monday 4 January	Teachers' Training Day
Tuesday 5 January	School re-opens for pupils
Friday 12 February	School closes for Half-term
Monday 22 February	School re-opens for pupils
Thursday 25 March	School closes for Easter
Friday 26 March	Teachers' Training Day

Summer Term 2021

Monday 12 April	School re-opens for pupils
Monday 3 May	May Day
Friday 28 May	School closes for Half-term
Monday 7 June	School re-opens for pupils
Friday 23 July	School closes for pupils
Monday 26 July	Teachers' Training Day

These dates are provisional and may be subject to change