



Helmsley Community Primary School

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THIS WEEK'S SUPERSTAR
IS:

GEORGIE VERNON

Georgie has made an excellent start to Y5.
She is a super role model , taking pride in
her work, listening well and doing her very
best at all times.

This Week's House Points

Harriers (red) : 72

Eagles (green) : 108

Hawks (yellow): 69

Falcons (blue): 115



DIARY DATES

Mon 12th Oct

Individual Pupil Photographs

Fri 23rd October

School closes for Half Term

Mon 2nd Nov

School re-opens

Fri 18th Dec

School Closes for the
Christmas Break

Mon 4th Jan

Staff Training Day (no pupils)

Tue 5th Jan

School re-open for the start
of the Spring Term

SCHOOL UPDATES

Reception School Places Sept 2021

If your child is born between 1st September 2016 and 31st August 2017 (Pre School) you will need to apply for a Reception School place for them to start in September 2021.

A letter will be sent home with your Pre School child telling you how to apply at <https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/school-admissions> You can apply for a

Reception place from **Monday 12th October** and the deadline to submit the application is **Friday 15th January**.



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Homework

Please find all weekly homework posted on your class TEAMS page. For further detail of expectations for each year group, please click on the link below to be directed to the school website.

<https://www.helmsley.n-yorks.sch.uk/about-our-school/general-information>

Parent Survey

A second email was sent on Wednesday asking anyone, who has not already done so, to complete this very short survey to enable us to gather key information with regards to home learning.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/8KD5NYM>

The information we receive is vital for us to assess how pupils are able to access home learning and we do need a response from every family. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Pupil Photographs

It's that time of year again when you dust off your best smile and spend that little bit longer styling your hair. Yes it's school photo time!

Impressions photography will be in school on Monday morning, 12th October to take the children's individual and sibling pictures.

Unfortunately, due the Covid situation we are unable to invite younger siblings into school to have their photos taken with brothers and sisters. Sorry for any inconvenience caused.

Pre School

A Parental Agreement will be coming home with your child today. If you would like to increase their hours after the Christmas break please complete the agreement and return it to school by Friday 23rd October so we can allocate hours.

Reminders

- ◇ Children need to bring a drinks bottle into school with them everyday. The water fountains are not in use at the moment and it is important for the children to keep hydrated.
- ◇ Beech Class need to bring their Link Books in on a daily basis, the children's login details are stuck in their link Books and they are being encouraged to logon to the computers independently.
- ◇ **Parentpay still has a very large number of outstanding balances. Please log in and settle your account immediately. Thank you.**
- ◇ We have had a number of coats left in school with no names in. If your child is missing one please let us know.





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News Day Tuesday

What's going on?

Picture News
5th-11th October
**Should you
always try to win?**

itv STUDIOS LONDON

BILBAO

MADRID

Good Morning Britain
itv SPORT
TRUE SHOW OF SPORTSMANSHIP
Spanish triathlete steps aside for British rival who made a wrong turn

A Spanish triathlete has received praise from all around the world for letting his opponent win third place in a race after he took a wrong turn. Diego Mentriga allowed Britain's James Teagle to finish ahead of him in the Santander Triathlon, after he made the wrong turn towards spectators less than 100 metres from the finish line. Teagle threw his hands in the air in agony as Mentriga overtook him. Realising his opponent's error, the 21-year-old slowed down and stopped short of the finish line. Teagle finished third by a fraction of a second.

Things to talk about at home...

- ◆ Can you remember a time you've taken part in a competition or sports event? What was it? How did you feel before the event? After the event?
- ◆ Have you ever won or lost a competition or event that was important to you? How did you feel?

