



The Boyle & Petyt School

21st March 2016

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Parents Evening

Informal Parents Evening
Tonight
3.30pm to 6.30pm

Roman Refreshments

Thank you to FOB's for providing the refreshments for the Roman meal on Thursday.



Sumdog Results

The latest Sumdog challenge finished on Friday. Out of the 247 North Yorkshire primary schools that took part our Yr 5 & 6 achieved a very creditable 45th place, the Infants 46th and Yr 3/4 65th place. Thank you to all children who took part.

Update: There are still places available for both Clubs.

Sports and Dance Club

Applications are now being taken for next half terms Sports and Dance Clubs which will take place every week from w/c April 11th until we finish on May 27th. There are a maximum of 25 places available for Sports Club on Wednesday evenings and 15 places available for the Dance Club on Thursday evenings. Weather permitting Sports Club will take place outside therefore children need to bring both outside and inside sports clothes for the Club. Participation is on a first come, first served basis. If your children would like to participate in either of the clubs at a cost of £14 each per club please fill in the consent slip attached and send payment with it or via ParentPay when it has been added to your account.



DIARY

March

Mon 21st Informal parents evening
Tues 22th Choir Club - ends at 4pm
Wed 23rd Sports Club 3.30 to 4.30pm
Yr 6 SATs revision 3.30 to 4.30pm
Thurs 24th Dance Club 3.30 to 4.30pm
School Closes

April

Tues 12th School opens
Choir Club - ends at 4pm
Wed 13th Sports Club 3.30 to 4.30pm
Yr 6 SATs revision 3.30 to 4.30pm
Thurs 14th Dance Club 3.30 to 4.30pm



Choir Tomorrow

Following their week off there will be Choir Club tomorrow.

Decorated Menu Competition

There were some lovely Easter menu designs and it was very difficult to select winners. Mrs McGowan was roped in as an impartial judge and chocolate Easter bunnies were awarded to Katherine Quinlan, Henry Angus, Mackenzie Golding and Poppy Throup.

Home/School Transport

You will be aware that arrangements for home school transport are changing. Jacksons have lost two of their contracts and will now only be providing the service between school and the Harrogate Road area. Three other taxi companies have been awarded the contracts for the other routes. I share parents' concerns about this and have voiced these with the passenger transport team to no avail. I have also registered the concerns of the school governors.

Once the new providers are running the service if parents have any concerns, these need to be raised with Liz Tyerman on 01609 780780 or email IPTcompliance@northyorks.gov.uk.

Parents who live outside catchment have had their transport withdrawn but Jacksons are keen to help and are hopefully going to be able to provide a service to and from Addingham through a private arrangement between parents. If you are interested in being part of this arrangement contact Kevin Renshaw

kevin.renshaw@highmill.co.uk

Swimming and PE Summer Term

Swimming: Infant swimming will finish next week but after the Easter holidays yrs 3,4,5 and 6 will go swimming on Thursday afternoons from 2 - 3.15pm at Craven Pool, Skipton. They will be transported by Jacksons of Silsden and be taught by Craven pool instructors and school staff. They will need a costume or trunks (no long shorts please), towel, swimming hat optional but advisable especially with long hair and goggles may be worn if necessary.

There are a large number of consent slips outstanding. If you have not done so please fill in the one attached and return asap.

Junior Visit to Craven Museum

The juniors finished off their learning about the Romans with a very informative trip to the Craven Museum in Skipton. They were able to handle real Roman artefacts which had been recovered from an archaeological site in Gargrave.



Crucial Crew Year 6



Our Year 6 children along with the other Yr 6 children in the cluster have been invited to Eshton Grange at Gargrave for "Crucial Crew 2016 on Thursday 21st April. This event from 9.30am to 2.45pm is organised by the Emergency Services who provide a wide variety of scenarios for the children to take part in and help them to choose and practice safe responses should they encounter these situations in real life. Mrs Leadbeater will be at Eshton Grange with the children. As there are only 5 children in the year it may be preferable for parents to arrange transport between themselves rather than incurring the greater cost of hiring a minibus but if this causes you problems please contact the school office. Children do not have to return to school after the event.

Children should wear their school uniform and outdoor shoes/trainers. As some of the activities take place outdoors they will also need a waterproof coat. Mrs Pennock will provide packed lunches for those children who normally have a school meal. Packed lunch children should bring their own lunch as normal.

Please make any outstanding payments for dinners, clubs, nursery etc ASAP.

Dinner and Sports Charges

For the half term 22nd February to 24th March 2016

Dinners: Yr 3 to Yr 6 £2.10 per day x 24 days = £50.40

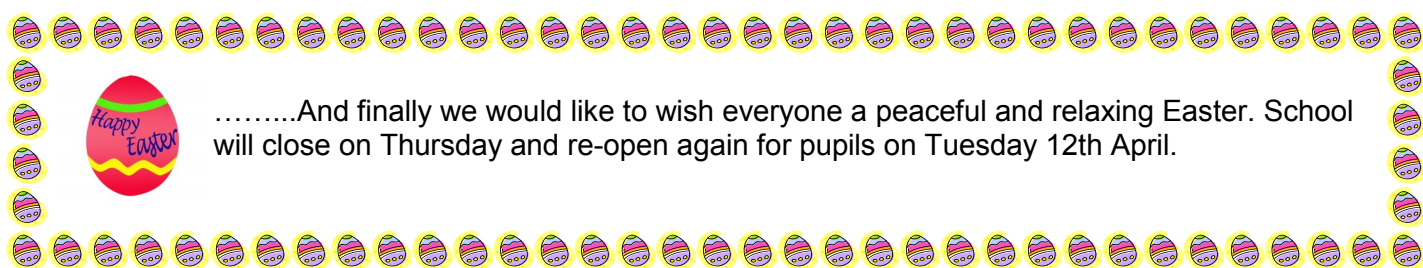
Swimming: Reception, Year 1 & 2 £4 per week x 5 weeks = £20.00

Sport : Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 £1 per week x 5 weeks = £5.00

Adjustments If you have any credits or debits for dinners from last term then please add or deduct from the dinner amount payable. Likewise if you have any debits or credits from swimming/sport then please deduct from the swimming/sport amount.



If paying by cheque please make payable to 'NYCC The Boyle and Petyt School' and send all payments in a named envelope please. Alternatively they can be paid through the secure online site ParentPay at www.parentpay.com. A link is also available from the School's website. If you have any questions about ParentPay please contact the school office.



.....And finally we would like to wish everyone a peaceful and relaxing Easter. School will close on Thursday and re-open again for pupils on Tuesday 12th April.



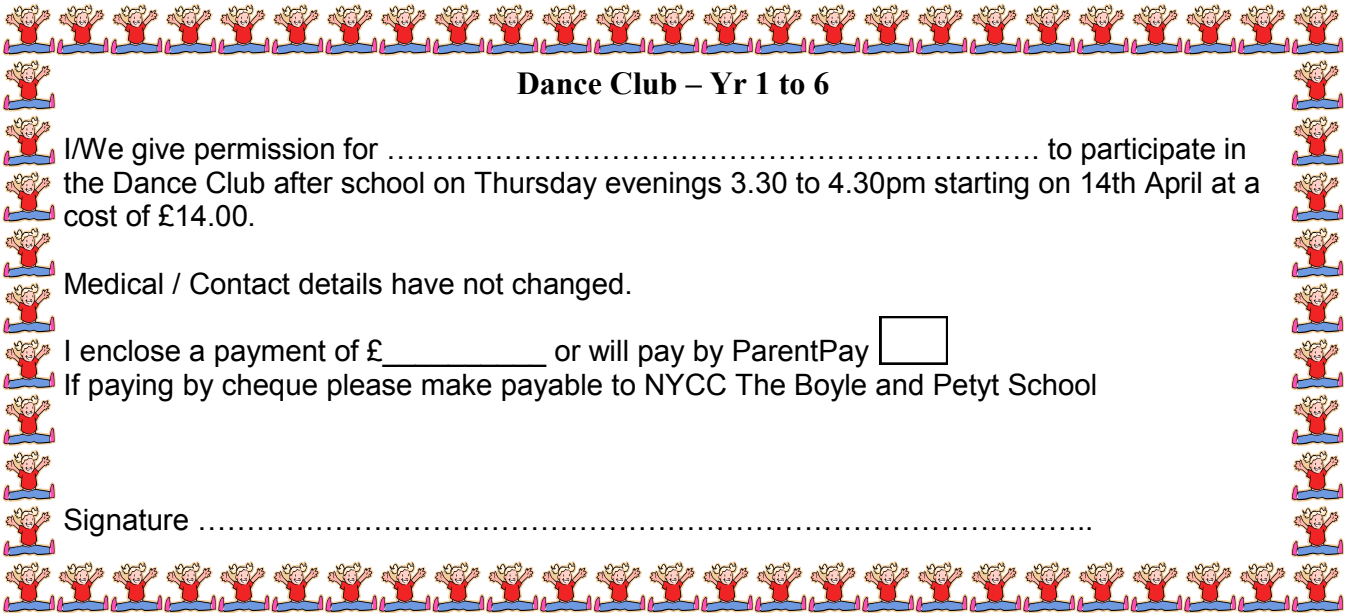
Crucial Crew Yr 6

I/We give permission for to attend Crucial Crew at Eshton Grange on Thursday 21st April from 9.30am to 2.45pm.

Medical / Contact details have not changed.

I am able/unable to transport my child to and from Eshton Grange. (Please circle as appropriate and contact school if you have any problems with transport arrangements)

Signature



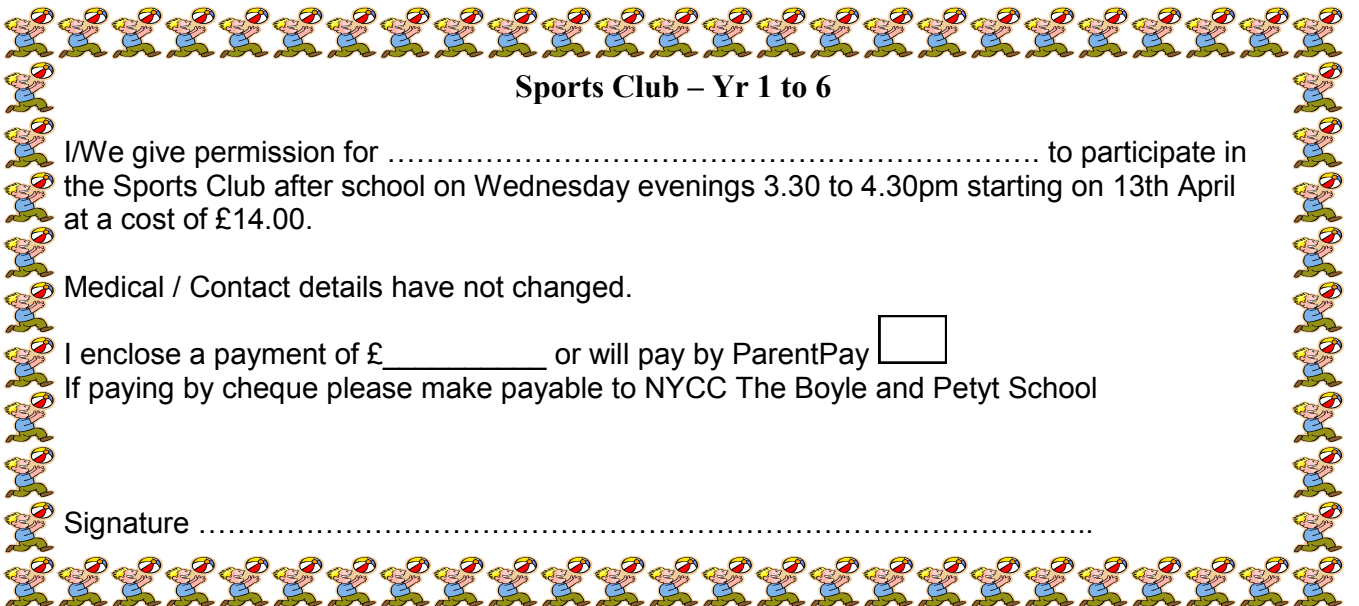
Dance Club – Yr 1 to 6

I/We give permission for to participate in the Dance Club after school on Thursday evenings 3.30 to 4.30pm starting on 14th April at a cost of £14.00.

Medical / Contact details have not changed.

I enclose a payment of £_____ or will pay by ParentPay
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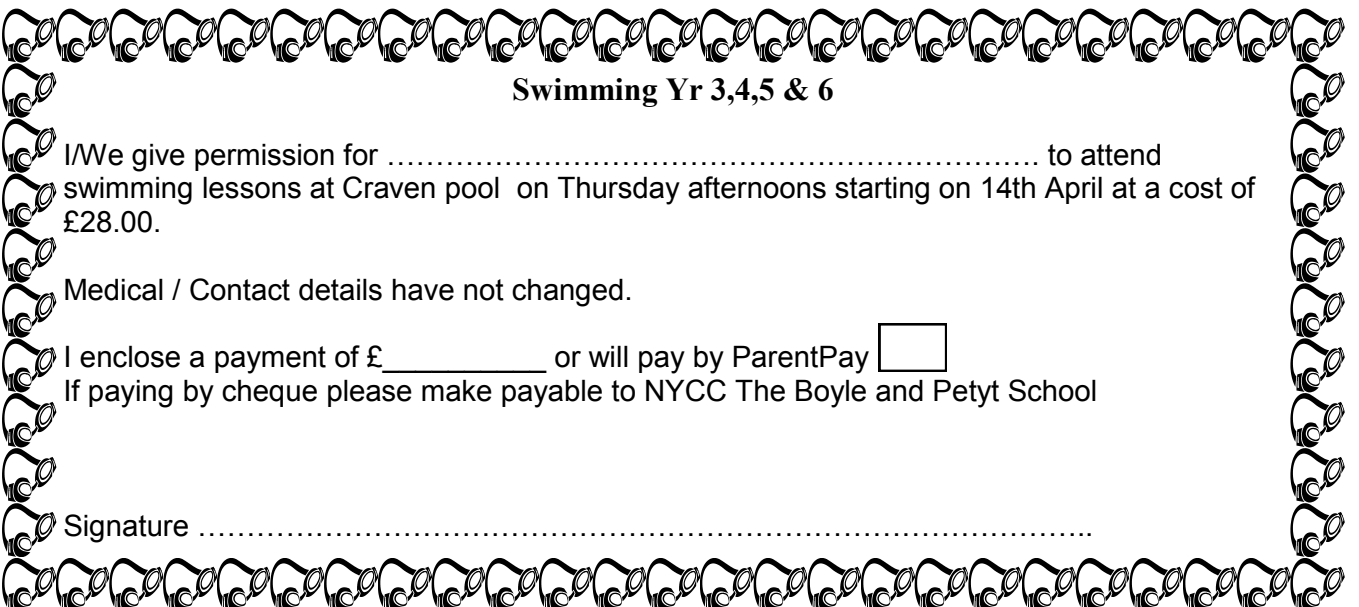
Sports Club – Yr 1 to 6

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Swimming Yr 3,4,5 & 6

I/We give permission for to attend swimming lessons at Craven pool on Thursday afternoons starting on 14th April at a cost of £28.00.

Medical / Contact details have not changed.

I enclose a payment of £_____ or will pay by ParentPay
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