

Weekly Parentmail 8th February 2019



Dear Parents/Carers, please find below information for all classes. Thank you, School Office

Sports Update



Well done to all the Y5/6 children who took part in the Sports Hall Athletics at South Hunsley on Tuesday, coming 3rd overall. They tried very hard and showed great team work.

Good luck to our Y3/4 children who will be taking part in the Benchball tournament at South Hunsley on Tuesday 12th February, 4pm.

Miss Davy & Mr Walker

CLASS ASSEMBLY INVITES

Class 6

Wednesday 13/02/19, 9.30am

Parents / Carers, you are invited to come and watch a preview of your child's class Assembly before they perform it to the whole school later in the morning. Refreshments will be available from 9am in the Community Room with Mrs Newby.

Library Visit



Class 3 will be visiting the Library on **Friday 15th February**.

Please could you ensure that they have a coat in school so they are appropriately dressed for the walk to the Library. Thank you.

School Trips

Y5 Robinwood—the second payment of £60 is **due today 8th February**. Y6 France all payments must be paid **by Friday 1st March**. Please pay online at www.simsagora.co.uk.

Thank you, School Office



“Get into Shape” Maths Day

We are looking forward to our whole school active maths day to end the half term next Friday. All the children will be taking part in active maths tasks relating to the area of shape, space and measurement.

KS1 and KS2 classes will join together for practical maths activities throughout the day.

Thank you, Mr Tatton

Staff Vacancy

Relief Kitchen Assistant to cover absence/extra support on special occasions as and when required (2 hours over midday period).

If you are interested in this position please contact Mrs Asquith in the school office on 01430 422526.

Allergies in School

Within our school environment we sometimes have children who have different allergies. This currently includes some children with nut allergies. In order to control this situation, we would therefore ask that no food is brought in to share with classes that contains nuts.

In addition, we would also ask your support with this when preparing your child's packed lunch.

Thank you for your support and understanding.

Dinner Money Accounts

As we approach the Financial Year End, please could we politely ask that all dinner money accounts are in credit. The school budget cannot sustain any level of debt. We appreciate your support with this. School Office

Polite request - Bloomz

Parents have been very positive about the introduction of Bloomz, which is aimed at giving teachers the opportunity to share posts/ photographs/ messages/ reminders about what the class have been or will be doing. This is a quick and easy way for us to keep you more informed about what is happening in your child's class or year group. However, it appears that it has begun to be used as a method of contacting teachers personally, to ask about specific issues or queries. Whilst I realise this is a quick and simple way of doing this, it does mean that it could lead to teachers not being able to 'switch off' from school, as they receive these communications in the evenings and early morning and, as they are so dedicated, feel they need to reply at any time of day or night. To protect their workload/work life balance and to ensure Bloomz is used for its intended purpose, I hope you will understand that we are therefore asking you to use the other existing methods of communication if you have concerns or queries and are not able to speak to the teacher face to face:

- ◆ call into or ring the office and your message will be passed on to the teacher at the soonest possible time and answered as soon as possible. There is usually someone in the main office from 7.30am until 4.45pm
- ◆ e-mail the office (office@scps.eriding.net) at any time and your message will be passed to the class teacher and responded to as soon as possible, within school working hours
- ◆ e-mail the class teacher (initial.surname@southcaveprimary.co.uk) and they will pick it up and answer it as soon as possible at the end of lessons, lunchtime or before school starts

Please bear in mind that teachers are teaching the children between 9am and 3.30pm, often with break time duties, staff meeting or team planning meetings to attend at lunchtime or after school, so it may not be responded to the same day. Obviously if your communication is urgent for that day, it will be prioritised.

Please continue to enjoy Bloomz and if you have any problems when trying to contact your child's teacher in any of the above ways please let me know and I will look into it. Please continue to inform the office directly regarding messages about absence, illness etc. directly.

Thank you, Mrs Newby

Dates for your Diary

- ◆ 11/02/19 Year 6 SATs Meeting, 6pm
- ◆ 13/02/19 Class 6 Parent Assembly, 9.30am
- ◆ 14/02/19 FOSCS Disco
KS1 6-7pm
KS2 7:15-8:15pm
- ◆ 15/02/19 "Get in Shape" Maths Theme Day
- ◆ 15/02/19 Class 3 Library Visit, 1:15-2pm
- ◆ 15/02/19 School Closes Half Term, 3.30pm

- ◆ 28/02/19 The Den Man Visit, KS1
- ◆ 01/03/19 Class 4 Library Visit, 1:15-2pm
- ◆ 05/03/19 KS2 Church Visit, 9.15am
- ◆ 07/03/19 World Book Day
- ◆ 11/03/19 Children's Author Guy Bass Work shop in School
- ◆ 12/03/19 EYFS & KS1 Church Visit, 9.15am
- ◆ 15/03/19 Comic Relief
- ◆ 27/03/19 Class 5 Parent Assembly, 9.30am

AUTUMN/WINTER Menu Week 3

w/b 11/02/19

<p>ITALIAN STYLE CHICKEN Or (V) ITALIAN SYTLE QUORN CHICKEN</p> <p>Steamed Rice, Cauliflower & Broccoli Medley</p> <p>CHOCOLATE MOUSSE & MANDARINS</p> <p>Or Fresh Fruit Or Yoghurt</p>	<p>SAUSAGE Or (V) VEGETARIAN SAUSAGE</p> <p>Yorkshire Pudding, Mashed Potato, Green Beans & Sweetcorn</p> <p>SPONGE & CUSTARD</p> <p>Or Fresh Fruit Or Yoghurt</p>	<p>ROAST TURKEY Or (V) QUORN ROAST</p> <p>Sage & Onion Stuffing, Mashed Potatoes, Peas & Carrots</p> <p>OATY BISCUIT & MILKSHAKE</p> <p>Or Fresh Fruit Or Yoghurt</p>	<p>BOLOGNAISE PASTA BAKE Or (V) PASTA NAPOLITAN</p> <p>Crusty Bread, Broccoli, Cauliflower</p> <p>EVES PUDDING & CUSTARD</p> <p>Or Fresh Fruit Or Yoghurt</p>	<p>FISH FINGERS Steak Fries, Garden Peas & Sweetcorn Or (V) JACKET POTATO with Cheese & Baked Beans</p> <p>CHOCOLATE CRUNCH & CHOCOLATE CUSTARD</p> <p>Or Fresh Fruit Or Yoghurt</p>
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