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## Friday News

20th July 2018

## Dates

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> September : School re-opens

Dear Parents

As we finish for the Summer Holidays I am very pleased to tell you that we are looking forward to welcoming Mrs Tania Gillies as our new Secretary to work in the office from September. I'm sure you will all make her feel very welcome and be patient while she settles in.

We would like to say a huge thank you to Mrs Hall who has supported staff and parents in the office this half term. We will miss Mrs Hall for her cheery and calming influence.

I would also like to take the opportunity to wish you all a very happy and safe summer.

Nicola Thornber

Headteacher

### Mrs Hall's and Mrs Lumley's Requests/ News

- The Summer Reading Challenge is open for registration every day from 10am for the opening hours of Nidderdale Plus, until Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> August
- Please can we request that all Breakfast Club, Lunch money accounts etc are paid up to date. Thank you.
- Please can we remind Parents not to park on the zigzags outside school and also on double yellow lines nearby. This is for the safety of the children and consideration to residents living nearby. Thank you for your cooperation in this.

### Football Club

Pateley Badgers junior football club are looking for boys and girls in years 1 to 6 to join the club in September. Training takes place on Saturday Mornings (Sept-April) at 9.30am at the show ground in Pateley Bridge (please note the first few sessions in September are on the sports field behind Nidd School). **We are holding a free taster session on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> September so just come to the playing fields behind Nidderdale High School and join in the fun!**

All children welcome regardless of experience or ability. For more info please email: [pateleybadgers@yahoo.com](mailto:pateleybadgers@yahoo.com) or see Carol Milburn or Karly Haley in the playground and they will be able to help."



## Safeguarding

As the summer is here (so we are told!) so please can I remind you to ensure that your child has a sunhat and sunscreen applied. Please see the Sunscreen information sent out last term.

Following the discussion at the 'Coffee and Chat', it was suggested that we reiterate the morning drop off routines. 8.45 – all Class Teachers and Teaching Assistants will be out on the playground. This is a great opportunity to have a chat with the class teacher and discuss any problems / share information about collection, illness etc. The teachers are very busy at this time and their main concern is to bring the children into school safely, so if you need to speak to the teacher privately, please arrange a meeting at this point. You can always telephone the office to ask the teachers to telephone you or just to leave a message. 8.55 – the children line up in class lines to be taken into school.

## Attendance

Our whole school target is set **at 98%**

Whole School this week: 93.6%

Class 1 – 97.1%

Class 2 - 87%

Class 3 – 97%

Winning Class this week with 97.1% is Class 1

## Awards Stars of the Week



Class 1 - Ollie.  
Class 2 – Isabelle  
Class 3 - Class 3

## Birthdays

Class 1: Arthur (55)  
Class 2: No birthdays  
Class 3:



## Britain In Bloom

Some of our children who are members of Cubs were able to attend the Britain In Bloom judging in Pateley Bridge on Wednesday. They were fortunate to meet The Deputy Lieutenant of Yorkshire.



## Class 1 Weekly News.

Well here we are at the end of term. There have been tears, tantrums and tired faces. Everyone is tired and fed up in the heat and squabbling constantly...enough about the staff the children have been super stars!

We all made to end of another year and I wish you all a safe and fantastic summer. I will be in and out of school so remember to give me a wave when you see me and more importantly bring sweets or chocolate!

Some of our classmates will be in different classes when we come back and some in different schools. We shall miss them all very much. So in honour of the last day we have taken a class selfie.



The staff would like to thank all the parents for their kind words, cards and generous gifts. We always feel humbled by your appreciation of us.

CHAMP of the week: Everyone for their fortitude in this last week of table shuffling, display moving and furniture frolics. Thank you all for your patience.

## Class 2 Weekly News

It has been a lovely end to the term. We have had lots of fun activities this week in Class 2 to round off the year. Yesterday, the children really showed their competitive sides when we had a Pointless-style quiz. We were impressed by their general knowledge and also by their team spirit and sportsmanship.

We have of course been doing lots of organising and tidying this week and the children have been

invaluable in getting the classroom looking neat and ready for the new year.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank families for all the lovely gifts and cards that we have received. We really appreciate your kindness and generosity and are touched by the notes written by the children and parents.

We hope that you all have a fabulous summer holiday and that the weather stays so gorgeous for us all! See you in September!



**CHAMP** of the week: Olli for being so helpful around the classroom.

### Class 3 Weekly News

What a wonderful last week of the year we have had.

We have been completing a fabulous ice cream project where the children have designed their own ice cream parlour for Glasshouses. They have shown their amazing creativity and created some great ice cream parlours. We have also been doing some maths mysteries. They have kept going with the challenge and didn't give up.

We also had a fabulous leaver's ceremony for the year six children. All the children looked amazing in their outfits and it was lovely to see them off in a great way. The children performed brilliantly and it really showed the range of talent we have in class 3.

Thank you so much for all my amazing gifts from staff, children and parents. I am so sad to say goodbye but so proud of every single child. I have had an amazing send off and Glasshouses will always be in my heart. Keep in touch and I wish you all the best for the future. Good bye to the year 6 children they have done themselves proud this year and I know they will all enjoy high school.

Have an amazing summer!



**CHAMP** of the week: Amelia for always being a CHAMP in every situation in school.