



Thursday Flyer

Thursday 27th September

2018

PD DAYS:
Friday 28th June
Monday 22nd July
Tuesday 23rd July

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We have managed to pack a lot into our shorter week, and have reached the half way point of this half term. Time really does fly! The high standards we started with are being maintained and **I have been delighted to see respectful, resilient and responsible children wherever I turn!** The staff here are working extremely hard to ensure the best experience possible, with the highest quality provision, so we are looking forward to Mr. Parnaby's maths training tomorrow during our PD day. We are hoping to get all the answers correct!

Reading Volunteers -If you, or anybody in your family, would like to volunteer to hear readers, we would really appreciate any time you might be able to spare—no training needed! Please contact the office. Thanks in advance! Reading is a huge focus at the moment and we are doing everything we can to encourage our children to read at home every night. As I said last week, we cannot stress enough how much we appreciate the time that you spend listening to and reading with your children. As you will have seen on the next page, the book fair will be in the KS2 hall from Thursday—please come along for a shop!

Medical Appointments— I appreciate that it is sometimes unavoidable, depending on the circumstances, but I am respectfully requesting that medical appointments are booked outside of school hours. Thank you.

Vaping—Please refrain from vaping on school premises. Thank you for your understanding.

7 A Side Football— Wishing the very best of luck to our Y5/6 football team who will be taking part in the East Cleveland tournament, at Westgarth Primary (Marske), on Saturday morning!

Nicky King (head teacher)

Harvest Festivals

A reminder that our Harvest Festivals are taking place over the next two weeks:

KS1 and KS2—Tuesday 2nd October, 10.15am, at St. Nicholas's Church

Nursery and Reception—Tuesday 9th October, 9.30am, at Highcliffe (KS1 Hall)

Families are of course invited to join us for both celebrations –we are looking forward to seeing you!

Thank you so much to those of you who have already sent in donations of dried food. We had a lovely visit from The Bridge charity this week who spoke to the children about the work they do within our local community.

Please give what you can so that we can continue to support them. Thank you!

PS. I was incredibly proud of how superbly our children behaved throughout the assembly! We are so lucky.

Lunchtime Arrangements

Thank you very much for the feedback we have had on our new school meal system.

It has been overwhelmingly positive, however I completely understand why there are still some concerns, and I would like to address some of them to reassure you:

- The choice of food on offer has not changed - this is determined by our external catering company. Even without the children ticking their choices in advance, the same food would be on offer.
- On rare occasions, the wrong tickets have been issued, but our fantastic kitchen and lunchtime staff do everything they can to put this right.
- If you do feel that an error has been made with your child's menu, please get in touch!

Enjoy the longer weekend, from everybody at Highcliffe!

Whole School Attendance Target: 96% Last week's attendance: 94.1%



Last Week's Class Attendance:

Mrs Woodhouse	97.5%	Miss Bussey	95.3%
Y1 Mrs Pink	91.2%	Y1 Mrs Walker/ Mrs Whittle	93.3%
Y2 Mrs Appleby	96%	Y2 Miss Peacock	88%
Y3 Miss Thornton	100%	Y3 Mrs Hague/Mrs Whitwell	96.8%
Y4 Mr Nash	86.3%	Y4 Mrs Bagley	86.5%
Y5 Mrs Nash	97%	Y5 Mrs Salter	96.7%
Y6 Miss Donaldson	97.7%	Y6 Mr Haralabidis	94.4%

Last Week's Number Of Lates:

Mrs Woodhouse	2	Miss Bussey	4
Y1 Mrs Pink	2	Y1 Mrs Walker/ Mrs Whittle	0
Y2 Mrs Appleby	2	Y2 Miss Peacock	6
Y3 Miss Thornton	1	Y3 Mrs Hague/Mrs Whitwell	1
Y4 Mr Nash	2	Y4 Mrs Bagley	1
Y5 Mrs Nash	1	Y5 Mrs Salter	1
Y6 Miss Donaldson	0	Y6 Mr Haralabidis	2

Dates For The Diary

Tues 2nd Oct—Y1-Y6 Harvest Festival (St. Nicholas', 10.15am)

Thurs 4th-Wed 10th Oct—Travelling Book Fair

Tues 9th Oct—EYFS Harvest Festival, in school (9.30am)

Mon 15th-Thurs 18th Oct—Y6 Edinburgh Residential

Mon 22nd –Fri 26th Oct—Faith Week

**Wed 24th Oct—Highcliffe Friends' Halloween Discos -
(Rec-Y3 4.00-5.15pm & Y4-6 5.30-6.45pm)**

Fri 26th Oct—Non-uniform for Sports Partnership Funds £1

Fri 26th Oct—Mon 5th Nov—Half Term

Mon 12th Nov-KS2/Tues 13th Nov-EYFS/KS1-Parent Afternoons

Mon 12th –Fri 16th Nov—Anti Bullying Week

Fri 16th Nov—Children In Need

Fri 23rd Nov—Individual/Sibling Photos

**Fri 30th Nov—Highcliffe Friends' Christmas Film Night
(KS1—3.15-5.30pm/KS2—6-8pm)**

Tues 4th Dec—Nursery Parents Christmas Crafts (9-11.30am)

Wed 5th Dec—Reception Parents Christmas Crafts

Tues 11th Dec—KS2 Carol Service (St. Nicholas', 10.30am)

Wed 12th Dec—2-3pm/Thurs 13th Dec—10-11am—KS1 Christmas Performances

Mon 17th Dec—2-3pm/Tues 18th Dec—10-11am—EYFS Christmas Performances

House Captains

Huge congratulations to our newly appointed School House Team Captains!

Yellow—Alexandria Murray and Blythe Fisher

Red—Darcey Wise and Lily Mitchell

Green—Charlotte Gray and Neave Bailey

Blue—Alfie Foxtton and Elizabeth Pearson

The whole school have voted for the Y6 candidates, after watching their campaign videos.

Democracy is alive and well at Highcliffe!

I have no doubt each captain will ensure that they represent their houses impeccably. Good luck!

Next Week's Clubs: (3.15-4.30pm unless otherwise stated)

Mon	Football & Food (8am)
Tues	Y5/6 Football; KS1 Party Dance Club (4pm)
Wed	Y5/6 Tag Rugby, KS2 Choir
Thurs	Football and Food (8am); Y5/6 Netball
Fri	Book & Breakfast (8.15am);

This week's sporting news:

Congratulations to our Cross Country competitors, who came 2nd at the Guisborough Cluster event! Thank you to Mr S, Miss W, Mrs L and Miss Mc for your support!