Friday Flyer Friday 30th June 2023



Respect Resilience Responsibility

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Dear Parents/Carers,

It feels unbelievable that we are on the final stretch towards the summer break! We are looking forward to a busy few weeks (again!) and feeling confident that the children will continue to demonstrate our 3Rs in all that they do. Practising **resilience** is so important at this time of year, and we are encouraging the children to think about how they can prepare themselves for the new experiences ahead. We know that change can be daunting, but the planned transition days coming up should reassure children about what to expect next year so that they can enjoy the holiday and look forward to returning in September. Your support in encouraging the children to step out of their comfort zones and believe that everything will be ok, even when it doesn't feel that way, is crucial—so thank you very much!

Y4/5 Newby Wiske Residential: Speaking of resilience, the children who've been away this week have shown it in bucketloads! They have faced their fears and coped with being away from home for this length of time—a first for many of them. We are so proud and hope they enjoyed every second - I certainly loved my visit on Wednesday evening! Huge thanks to Mr Mash, Mrs Whitwell, Mrs Lumley and Mrs Kast for organising and/or running the trip across the week, and to Mrs Elliot, who was there each day to support, and Mrs Walker and Miss Eastwood who enjoyed a visit earlier in the week!

Diary Dates:

Wed 5th July—Y5 Open Door at St Nicholas Church Wed 5th and 7th July—Strike Action Thurs 6th July—RSE Day (see above) Thurs 6th July—Summer Discos/Y6 VIP Party Mon 10th—Fri 14th July—Y6 Transition to LJS Mon 10th-Tues 11th July—Whole School Transition Tues 18th July—Merit Assembly (9am) Wed 19th July—Y6 Leavers' Performance (6pm) Wed 19th July—Y6 Sleepover Thurs 20th July—Last day of summer term Fri 21st July—PD Day; School Closed Monday 4th Sept—PD Day; School Closed Tuesday 5th Sept—First day of autumn term

Next Week's Clubs:

(4.30pm finish unless otherwise stated) **Monday—Y5/6** Cricket **Tuesday—Rec/Y1** Yoga (am); **Y2** Mindfulness (am); **Wednesday—KS1** Lego Club(4pm); **KS1** Book Club(4pm) **Y3/4/5** Cricket

Thursday—Rec/Y1 Yoga (am); Y2 Mindfulness (am); STEM (4.15pm); Taskmaster Club (4.15pm) Attendance: To ensure your child makes good progress at school, it is extremely important that they attend school each day, on time, unless they are unwell. This week's star attenders are !

Well done on your !

Increase In Cost of School Lunch: From September, the cost of a school lunch will rise to £2.40. Safeguarding at Highcliffe: Local residents, other parents, staff, and the police are extremely concerned about the number of people parking dangerously at drop off and pick up times around Highcliffe. An ambulance was blocked recently on St Leonards Road by cars double parked. Please park safely, even if this means having to stop further away and walk for longer, in order to keep our community safe. Thank you.

We are very proud to announce this week's **pupils of** the week. Well done everyone! Magpie Class (Rec. Miss Schofield) - Daphne M Puffin Class (Y1/2 Mrs Woodhouse)- Ellis P Curlew Class (Y1/2 Mrs Pattinson)- Ashton S Oystercatcher Class (Y2 Mrs Appleby)- Koby B Avocet Class (Y3 Mrs Whittle/Mrs Whitwell)-Summer C Kingfisher Class (Y3/4 Mrs Salter)- Riley B Golden Plover Class (Y4/5 Mr Nash)- Izaak SG Peregrine Falcon Class (Y4/5 Miss Thornton/ Mrs Walker)- Otis M Barn Owl Class (Y6 Mr Parnaby)- Rihanna J Merlin Class (Y6 Miss Donaldson)- Erica T With belief and hard work, anything is possible!

Have a lovely weekend—from all at Highcliffe!