Reminder: School is CLOSED for staff training on Monday 13th March!

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# Pupils of the week

Our Nursery!

Maisie Austick

Ophelia Blair

Quinn Parkin

Bogdan Vakal

Larissa Long

Elsie-Jo Lindo

Alyssa McKittrick

Alfie Huggins

Kaitlin Tate

Lunchtime Award Congratulations to Hanni Fussey for her lovely manners and brilliant behaviour!

Home discussion question Stan asked... Why is it important to protect our environment?



I've seen some beautiful work this week, folks! I've also witnessed lovely manners and thoughtful behaviour on the playground - well done! Mrs Channing

## What has Toby seen this week?

Toby has been very impressed with the children's attitude to learning this week. They showed resilience and perseverance whilst completing assessments, even when some questions were a little tricky! The results of these assessments will inform teachers' future lesson planning so that they meet the needs of all children. Well done, everyone!



# **Used Uniform Shop**

Thank you to Mrs Maylard for continuing to run our used uniform shop and to everyone who has supported it. Mrs Maylard voluntarily washes all of the clothing that is donated or unclaimed at the end of each half term (if items are labelled with children's names, they are always returned to their rightful owners). Our uniform shop is a great way of parents being able to keep up with clothing growing children at minimal cost. If you have school uniform, including shoes and PE kit, that your child no longer needs, please consider donating it to us - every little helps!

## Eat them to defeat them!

We know that a healthy diet consists of eating fruit and vegetables and so, from today, we will be taking part in the 'Eat them to defeat them'

campaign. Your child will, today, bring home a booklet outlining fun things to do and interesting facts about veggies! They will also be rewarded with special stickers for eating (or at least trying) vegetables at lunch time!



# **Environmental Day**

Thank you to Mrs Weyell and Miss Tucker who produced information and activities for the whole school to access during our Environment Day, which took place today. As this is also the start of British Science week, we promoted the importance of science in solving the environmental problems of the world. Miss Tucker is running a competition that all children are welcome to enter. All they have to do is plant some seeds in the most unusual container, taking a photograph of their container and posting it on their class Teams page. Miss Tucker has lots of seeds that she is happy to share with children who would like to take part. Why not have a go to see what you can grow?!

**Global Council Thought for the Day** What do you plan to do to help protect our environment?



# **D.F Motors**

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# Please remember to look both ways before crossing the road, children!

Act of Kindness Elsa Hornby has been awarded the Act of Kindness this week for donating some of her lovely books to our school. They have been a welcome addition to class bookshelves! It also goes to Harry Fox, Harry Thornton, Tom Speight and Thomas Collins for looking after Alfie and offering comfort when he bumped into Thomas and hurt himself.

### **Red Nose Day**

Children will be able to wear red for Red Nose Day on 17th March for a donation of £1. Please don't send cash into school - we have been issued with a QR code for parents to



use to pay the charity directly online. Just open the camera on your mobile phone and hover it over the QR code above. Your phone should then direct you to our school's payment page. This should work with most mobile phones or tablets. Why not give it a go?!

Thank you to the parents who attended our online Year One and Two phonics information session this week and to Miss Berry and Mrs Sellers for delivering it!

#### Important Dates 13th March <u>School closed for staff training</u>

# **17th March** Red Nose day! Wear red to school for £1 (donations online)

**20th March 3.30pm** RAFT Easter Teacher Treasure Hunt in the village - buy a clue sheet and hunt for the teachers who will be dressed in disguises and hiding in shops around the village! Please note that children MUST be

accompanied by an adult to take part in this fun event.

23rd and 28th March 3.30pm - 6.30pm Parents' Evenings in the lower school hall (the

appointment booking system is now live on MCAS) 27th March 4pm Masting for X4 shildren's

**27th March** 4pm Meeting for Y4 children's parents re Times Tables on Home and School Learning Partners Teams channel with Mrs Charlton

31st March Break up for the holiday!
17th April School closed for staff training
18th April Children return to school!
19th April Y6 East Barnby parents' meeting in school - details to follow
1st May Bank holiday - school closed
8th May Bank Holiday for the Coronation of King Charles III - school closed
9th - 12th May Y6 SATs
15th- 26th May Y6 swimming lessons
18th May 1.30pm and 6pm Y3/4 production More dates are on our website!

**Extra Curricular Clubs** Please note that these are in addition to our whole school, timetabled, enrichment curriculum.

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Choir (free) Y2-6	<b>Monday</b> Lunch time (12.15-12.45 lower hall) Mrs Channing
Learn to play the ocarina (free) Y5/6	<b>Tuesday</b> Lunch time (12.00 – 12.30) Mrs Weyell
Cross Country (free) Y3/4/5/6	<b>Wednesday</b> Lunch time Mrs Davis
Football team (free) Y5/6	<b>Wednesday</b> 3.20pm - 4.20pm Mark Shimwell
Chess (free) Y3/4	<b>Thursday</b> 3.10pm – 4.10pm Mrs Barker and William's Grandad
Miss Tucker's Gardening (£3 per session, payable on MCAS) Y3-6	<b>Thursday</b> 3.10pm - 4.30pm Miss Tucker
Multi sports (not football) (Charge applies) Y1-6	<b>Friday</b> 3.00pm - 4.10pm Mark Shimwell
Karate (Charge applies) Y1-6	<b>Friday</b> 3.00pm – 4.15pm Sensei James Scanlon

We would like to say a HUGE thank you to everyone who generously gives their time to offer extra curricular clubs to our children. *Please note that, from time to time, clubs have to be cancelled at short notice if a member of staff is ill or has a home emergency after school. When this is the case, we always try to arrange alternative cover or give you as much notice as possible.* 

Thank you for your understanding when it isn't possible for us to do this.

## Email contact

We pride ourselves on the positive relationship we have with families and actively promote home/school communication. Parents and Carers are most welcome to contact staff via email, but please be aware that these will, in the main, be answered within working hours in order to enable staff to maintain a work/life balance.

#### Learning partners

It was lovely to see the parents of EYFS children learning phonics with their children after school with Mrs Barker this week!

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