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A message from Mrs Atherton



It's wonderful to finally have some sunshine and to see the children in shorts and summer dresses. It is fine for children to wear trainers for school (preferably black.) However, please do not send girls in shoes or boots with heels, as these are dangerous when running around the playground. Please also ensure that girls' hair is tied up and if boys wear shorts, they are school shorts rather than football shorts.

There are a number of pictures in this newsletter from Gardening Day. We'd like to thank Mr Bradish for organising this day and for making our new wooden men and women—they're amazing!

Finally, last week we did it and achieved **97%** for our whole school attendance! As promised, I did dance in Assembly and the children had an extra playtime. It would be great if we could achieve this again soon. Thank you for supporting us by getting the children into school on time.

Year Six SATs week



The Year Six children have astounded us this week with their attitude to their SATs tests. This group of children have had an outstanding attitude and approach to the assessments. They have been extremely calm and sensible. Each and every child gave 100% to each test and that is all that matters to us.

Well done Year Six!

Our Time Capsule



Owls were extremely lucky to be able to visit the new care home near Aldi, named Handley House. They were asked to fill a time capsule with exciting things and objects that were special to them. They even wrote letters to their future selves and have been invited back in 50 years to open up the time capsule. Last week, they got to have a grand tour of the care home. They enjoyed looking around all the luxurious rooms and even got to watch Mary Poppins in the amazing cinema room. It was a struggle to leave the cinema room as it was so comfy! Owls will be visiting the care home again at some point after half term, when the sun is shining, to bury their time capsule!

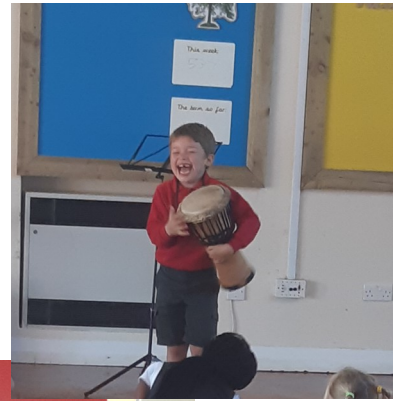
Hares had an amazing gardening day



Key Stage One Music Workshop

KS1 enjoyed an introduction to music workshop by a York University student.

We learnt all about the different instrument families.



We were able to make patterns on a drum and copy the beat.

We also listened to the lady play some pieces on the clarinet.

The Football Team



We were extremely proud of our team when they played Lakeside this week. Their teamwork, skill, resilience and attitude to the

game was even better than all of the goals scored. Every member of our team is an excellent role model. A huge thank you to Mr Holmes for his hard work with the team this year.



Our Gardening Day winners! Well done Squirrels.



Squirrels were the winners of the gardening day competition.

Their insect friendly garden was creative and the children loved getting messy.

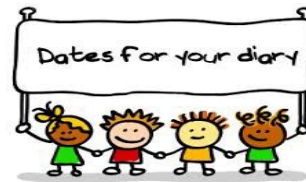
We were excited to win the £30 prize too.

Attendance

- Hedgehogs (Reception) - 92%
- Squirrels (Year 1) - 97.31%
- Hares (Year 2) - 93%
- Badgers (Year 3/4) - 97.97% ★
- Owls (Year 4/5) - 97.61%
- Foxes (Year 5/6) - 97.86%

The winning class this week are:

Badgers



- Tuesday 21st May Brownlee Triathlon event
- Thursday 23rd May Teddy Bears' picnic
- Friday 24th May Non-Uniform
- Friday 24th May Break up for half term
- Monday 3rd May Return to school
- Wednesday 5th May Reception/Year One police visit
- Monday 10th June Year One Phonics Screening check week
- Tuesday 11th June Year 5/6 Internet Safety workshop
- Tuesday 18th June Reception & KS1 Sports Day 1pm
- Wednesday 19th June KS2 Sports Day 1pm
- Thursday 20th June Year 6 York St John - Little Green Apples
- Tuesday 2nd July Year 6 Vale of York transition evening
- Wednesday 3rd July Year 6 Vale of York transition day
- Friday 5th July 3.30pm Summer Fayre