



Newsletter

Wednesday 21st JUNE 2023

What a busy time we are having this term. The children have been demonstrating their fantastic learning in 'show me what you know' sessions. As always they approach the challenges with enthusiasm. The Residential for Year 6 was a huge success and there are some amazing photos of their achievements on twitter.

SCHOOL GAMES MARK

We are delighted to announce that once again the school has achieved the Platinum Schools Games Mark. This is the third year in a row that we have attained the top level, this shows our consistent commitment to providing the children with high quality PE and sports provision.

GIRLS FOOTBALL

Our girl football teams had a great day at York City training ground for the summer football festival. We were so proud of their attitudes and they were excellent ambassadors for our school. A big congratulations to our Year 4 girls who won their competition!

WRAPAROUND CARE

As you know our Wraparound Care facilities are in need of some TLC. In addition to this we are aware that we cannot always meet demand for places within the sessions. We have worked hard to come up with a solution to both these issues. From September our Wraparound Care space will move into school. There will be a designated area which is currently occupied by Willow and Oak classes. Over the holidays there will be a refurbishment which will include the development of a small kitchen area. In addition to this space we can accommodate additional children as the brown hall will be timetabled for use by the club allowing for some break out space. Thank you for your patience while we commence our movement and organisation. A big thank you to FORW and the Wilkinson, Cobb and Hodgson Trust who have supported this project with generous cash donations.

This does mean of course that there will have to be some other movements within school. On the transition day the children will spend time in the morning with their new teaching teams and in their new classrooms.

PE KIT

Please can I remind parents that while cycle shorts can be worn for PE, can these be of a reasonable length ie nearer to the knee. There are currently some very short ones in school.

IMPORTANT!

Please can we remind parents that as we have some children in school with severe allergies, nuts and nut containing products cannot be used in packed lunches, this includes the ever popular Nutella. Thank you.

LOOKING FORWARD TO 2023-2024

Our next and final newsletter of the year will have some important information regarding the coming year.

DON'T MISS THIS!!!

Scholastic Book Fair!



Next Tuesday,
Wednesday and
Thursday outside the
brown hall from
3:15pm.

Brand new books
and a wide variety
of stationary!

Next Friday on the
front playground as
part of the Summer
Fair.

Cash and card
payments
accepted!



FRIENDS OF ROBERT WILKINSON

Supports Sports day with a refreshment tent during the day

Following sports day

School Summer Fayre
Friday 23rd June
330pm to 530pm

Subject to the weather

Stalls / Games / inflatable assault course.

Teacher Wet sponge Stocks

(Mr Dyson / Mr Hodges and Mr Davis)

North Yorkshire Fire service



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Check below for updates

DATE	ACTIVITY
Friday 23rd June	SPORTS DAY ARRANGEMENTS TREES 9.00-10.30 YEAR 2,3 AND 4 11.00-12.30 YEAR 5 AND 6 1.30-3.00 JOIN US FOR SUMMER FAIR 3.30-5.30 AT THE FRONT OF SCHOOL
Week Commencing 26th June	New classes announced via Parenthub
Wednesday 28th June	Year 6 transition day at Huntington Children to spend time in their new classes
Thursday 29th June	SUMMER CONCERT 2-3pm 4-5pm
Friday 30th June	Back up sports day (hopefully not needed!)
Monday 3rd July- Friday 7th July	Sports week
Monday 3rd July	EYFS reports out to parents
Tues 4th & Wed 5th	EYFS parents evening appointments
Friday 14th July	Disco night
Tuesday 18th July	Reports out to parents Year 6 Afternoon performance 1.30 MATILDA
Wednesday 19th July	Year 6 Evening performance 4.30 MATILDA Year 6 Graduation event till 8.00
Friday 21st July	Children break up at noon FORW tuck shop open at the end of school

Monday 24th July and Tuesday 25th July	Staff training days
SUMMER HOLIDAY	
Monday 4th September 2023	Staff training day
Tuesday 5th September	Children return to school

We will also add these dates to the school calendar on our website for your reference.

Best wishes
 Donna Bedford
 Headteacher



Strensall Community Events Team would like to say a huge thankyou to everyone who donated gifts for our Tombola this year.

We were overwhelmed by the amazing generosity that was shown to make this day such a great event in our village.

We had a super day and the weather was perfect for us all .

The community spirit that we have in Strensall is fabulous!!
 We are now looking forward to organising our 2024 Carnival!!

Many Thanks
 From All the Team