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# School Newsletter

Friday 18th October 2019

Autumn Term 2019 Issue 7

## THE WEEK IN REVIEW

Dear Parents and Carers,

The highlight of the week was definitely our Harvest Festival on Tuesday morning. It was lovely to see so many parents, carers and friends. Do have a look at the photos on the blog as we enjoyed our own special version of 'Ready, Steady, Cook'. We also had some very exciting news this week, in that some of our Year 6s starred on Look North on Tuesday, as they ran a feature on Mrs Kettlewell and her reduced sugar jam!

Congratulations to Chloe Green, Katie Kerr, Catherine Stonehouse and Charlie Bones who have all achieved Richmond PRIDE. All have shown great determination, keen to achieve the learning challenges that they were set. Well done!

In Nursery this week, the children have been reading 'The Little Red Hen'. They have been busy baking bread and even had a special visit from some of Mrs Young's chickens!

Our Reception children have been continuing their phonics and learning d and m. They have also been learning about 2D shapes and made some wonderful dinosaurs with shapes. Poor Mrs Stewart still isn't at all well, so Mrs Coulson has been teaching this week.

In Year 1, the children have been busy writing questions. They initially wrote questions for Samuel Pepys, but have particularly enjoyed writing questions for their favourite Disney princess or Batman character!

Our Year 2 children have learnt about algorithms in computing and been following instructions. They have also been making pumpkin pictures to think about being thankful for their food.

Mr Wells' class particularly enjoyed their visit to the Georgian Theatre in Richmond this week and also spotted some Georgian Houses - Do have a look at the photos on the blog. They have been continuing their class book 'Rooftoppers' and writing character descriptions of the main characters Sophie and Charles.

Mrs Whitaker's class have also been working on 'Rooftoppers' - They have been writing formal letters to one of the characters. The children continue to be particularly active and are frantically trying to beat Mrs Whitaker at laps, skipping and Box2bFit - So far the children are winning 3 to 1!

Our oldest children have been continuing their work on Queen Victoria by writing biographies. They have also been looking at a range of different industrial scenes painted by Lowry. The children particularly enjoyed their French lesson with Mr McCulloch this week when they labelled monster faces!

Looking forward to next week, we know that our Year 6s will have an amazing time at East Barnby and make many special memories that they will treasure for years to come.

***For day-to-day enquiries please contact the school office or speak to your child(ren)'s class teacher. As you know, I work for our school for 50% of the week and share my time between school sites, so am not always available. Do remember that our Head of School, Miss Hodges, can be contacted on a daily basis if necessary.***

I look forward to seeing you in school soon.

Kindest regards,

Mrs K. Williamson  
Executive Headteacher

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# INFORMATION

## FREE SCHOOL MEALS

*Do you think your child may be entitled to Free School Meals?*

*Every child in Reception to Year 2 are entitled to Universal Free School Meals.*

*If you have a child in our schools and feel you fit any of the criteria listed below it would be worth applying for*

## NUTS!

As you are aware we are 'Nut Free' schools.

Please can you ensure that children **do not** bring in any products that may contain nuts.

This includes all variants of Chocolate Spread. Thank you.



## FREE SCHOOL MEALS

**To qualify for free school meals you must fulfil one of the following criteria:**

- ◆ Universal Credit, provided you have an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400, as assessed by earnings from up to three of your most recent assessment periods (£616.67 per month);
- ◆ Income Support;
- ◆ Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance;
- ◆ Income-related Employment and Support Allowance;
- ◆ Support under part six of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999;
- ◆ The guarantee element of Pension Credit;
- ◆ Child Tax Credit, provided you are also not entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual household gross income that does not exceed £16,190 (as assessed by HMRC); or
- ◆ Working Tax Credit run-on, paid for four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit.

Please note that contributions-based benefits, including contribution-related Jobseekers' Allowance do not entitle you to claim free school meals.

If you meet the criteria, apply by [clicking here to use the online application form.](#)

Applications are usually processed within five working days. You will be notified in writing, either by post or email, if your child is entitled and we will also let the school know. You should continue to pay until confirmation comes through. before a free school meal can be provided.

If you are not entitled to free school meals, you will be notified in writing.

## SCHOOL MILK: Years 1—6

If you would like to register your child for school milk this can be done online at [www.coolmilk.com](http://www.coolmilk.com). If you are currently in receipt of free school meals please contact the school office who will be able to arrange this for you.

Children currently in FS1 and FS2 already receive free school milk in school.



# WELL DONE JOE

Joe Coldwell spent all of Sunday morning and part of the afternoon helping out and marshaling, mostly in the rain, at the Richmond Castle 10K. He was looking after an important road junction coming into the Market Place. A lady passing by told him what a brilliant job he had done. She actually said that with the amount of encouragement he had given he'd probably worked harder than the runners!



Here is a message he received from the organisers -

*I'm not the greatest of wordsmiths but I just wanted to say thank you for your help yesterday, the Richmond Castle 10k couldn't happen without so many people giving of their time so generously.*



*In the last 24 hours we've had a lot more feedback than usual and it's all been about how friendly and encouraging the marshals were on the course and that's all down to you.*



*Thanks once again*

*Simon (and all of the Swaledale Runners Committee)*

# A BIG THANK YOU

A big thank you to Benjy Southgate and family who volunteered to help litter pick at the finish area of the Richmond Castle 10k on Sunday 13th October. What a fantastic ambassador for our school!



## WINE TASTING EVENING

With eminent wine expert  
Dr Jamie Harrison  
at St Mary's Church Richmond



Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2019  
7pm to 9pm

£10, to include wine tasting and nibbles

Tickets from Castle Hill Bookshop  
or St Mary's  
(Tickets strictly limited so don't delay!)

**COMMUNITY FUND** **Smarties Pilates**  
25 CELEBRATING 25 YEARS OF THE NATIONAL LOTTERY

**Dates:**  
Thursdays:  
07.11.19  
14.11.19  
21.11.19  
28.11.19  
05.12.19  
12.12.19

**Time:** 4.15pm—5.15pm

**Venue:** Richmond School  
Darlington Road  
Richmond  
North Yorkshire  
DL10 7BQ

**Audience:**  
Primary School pupils of all abilities

**Standard price:**  
£27 / pupil for the 6 week programme

To book your place please register via our website: [www.yesatrichmondschool.net/Training-Events](http://www.yesatrichmondschool.net/Training-Events) or email [yes@richmondschool.net](mailto:yes@richmondschool.net)  
Closing date: 22nd October 2019

In conjunction with the Big Lottery Fund, YES @ Richmond School are hosting a 6-week movement and exercise project, designed for all abilities.

The aims are:

- To bring children of primary school age together in order to participate in fun exercise classes designed to improve their strength, flexibility, mobility, balance and coordination.
- To take part in small group based exercise classes using a variety of equipment designed to motivate and challenge the participants.
- To teach breathing patterns and relaxation techniques in order to increase confidence, competence and core strength which will improve posture and have a positive impact on academic learning.

Workshop size is limited to 12.

Closing date for bookings is 22nd October 2019. Please note your place will not be guaranteed until payment and completed consent form has been received.

Training led by:  
**Jade Morris—Pilates & Yoga Instructor, JSH PYM**  
Jade is an experienced Pilates and Yoga instructor who has worked with a variety of ages, from primary school children to the older adult. Since a young age, Jade has been involved in dance and movement and thrives on passing this passion onto to others. Her classes will focus on groups of Primary School children in to learn the principles of Pilates in a fun based learning environment.

Image by Matthew

**Yes @ Richmond School**  
North Yorkshire

Cancellations/Refunds:  
Cancellations of training events are subject to a 25% administration fee where the cancellation is made 3 weeks or more before the date of the event. No refund is payable for a cancellation made within 2 weeks prior to the training course – in this event the full sum shown on the invoice remains payable.

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## YEAR 6 REMINDER

A REMINDER TO PARENTS/CARERS OF CHILDREN IN YEAR 6— IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU APPLY FOR THEIR SECONDARY SCHOOL PLACE BY 31ST OCTOBER 2019.

## CROSS COUNTRY AT RICHMOND SCHOOL



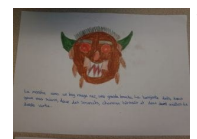
We took over 30 children to the cross-country race at Richmond School from Year 3 to 6. The children had a fantastic time and all tried their best. There were some great displays of determination on what was, a muddy and steep course in parts. A special well done to Lily-Mae who finished her heat in fifth position.

**Well done Team Trinity**

## FRENCH MONSTERS IN YEARS 5 AND 6



Mr McCulloch's class began learning the French words for different parts of the face. Then, we created some monsters using our knowledge of French vocabulary. What we came up with was very creative!



Here are some snaps of our learning:



## CYCLING CHAMPIONSHIPS



This week, a team of 8 budding cyclists took part in the 'Pro-Ride Cycling Championship' at Michael Sydall Primary School. The children all qualified from the in school event earlier this year.



They took part in a number of races including: time trials, sprints and team relays. All children gave everything their full effort and fully enjoyed the day.



Well done, you were all great active role models.



# A MESSAGE FROM THE FLU IMMUNISATION TEAM FOR CHILDREN IN RECEPTION—YEAR 6 WHO DID NOT HAVE THE NASAL SPRAY IN SCHOOL TODAY.



Date:

Child's Name:

Dear Parent/Carer

As part of the national childhood immunisation programme your child is being offered the seasonal nasal flu vaccination (Fluenz Tetra). We hope that you have already received information about the benefits of the flu vaccine from our team in recent weeks. However, we were unable to vaccinate your child today as we have not yet received a valid consent.

If you would like your child to receive the nasal flu vaccination please feel free to attend one of our drop-in clinics.

Our local drop-in clinics are listed below.

#### Northallerton

**Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Children's Outpatient Department at The **Enrage** Hospital, **Northallerton**, DL6 1JG

**Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Children's Outpatient Department at The **Enrage** Hospital, **Northallerton**, DL6 1JG

**Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> December 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Children's Outpatient Department at The **Enrage** Hospital, **Northallerton**, DL6 1JG

**Wednesday, 8<sup>th</sup> December 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Children's Outpatient Department at The **Enrage** Hospital, **Northallerton**, DL6 1JG

#### Thirsk

**Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Thirsk Health Centre, Chapel Street, Thirsk, YO7 1LG

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Thirsk Children's Centre, Hambleton Place, Thirsk, YO7 1DS

**Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Thirsk Health Centre, Chapel Street, Thirsk, YO7 1LG

**Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Thirsk Health Centre, Chapel Street, Thirsk, YO7 1LG

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Thirsk Children's Centre, Hambleton Place, Thirsk, YO7 1DS

**Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> December 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Thirsk Health Centre, Chapel Street, Thirsk, YO7 1LG

**Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> December 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Thirsk Health Centre, Chapel Street, Thirsk, YO7 1LG

#### Richmond

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Richmond House (**Richmondshire** Prevention Hub), Richmond School, Darlington Road, DL10 7BQ

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2019 (10am - 2pm)**

Health Bus, **Catterick** Garrison TESCO, **Richmondshire** Walk, **Catterick** Garrison DL9 3EN

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

Colburn Children's Centre, 1 The Broadway, Colburn, **Catterick** Garrison, DL9 4RF

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2019 (3:30pm-4:30pm)**

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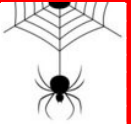
If you would like information on clinics running in other areas please contact the Childhood Immunisation Service on 01423 542360.

Kind regards,

The Childhood Immunisation Team.

# CHANGE TO SCHOOL MENU

## Spooky lunch



Wednesday 23rd October

**Option A: Meatballs in tomato sauce and pasta**

**Option B: Fish fingers and chips**

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**Pudding: Jelly goo and spiders!**



# A REMINDER FROM BREAKFAST AND WRAP AROUND CLUB TEAMS

Please ensure all outstanding monies owed to school for Breakfast and Wrap Around Club fees are settled on Parentpay before we return to school on Monday 4th November 2019.

Many thanks



**THE STATION**

**HALF TERM  
KIDS' WORKSHOPS**

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29TH OCT  
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**SLIME WORKSHOP**  
30TH OCT  
1PM // 2PM // 3PM £7

**HALLOWEEN CRAFT**  
31ST OCT  
1PM // 2PM // 3PM £6

Tickets available from The Shop.  
See [thestation.co.uk/whats-on](http://thestation.co.uk/whats-on) or call  
01748 850123 for more details.



**Applying for a Primary School place for your child for September 2020**

**FOR ACTION BY 15 JANUARY 2020**

This information is for families who live in North Yorkshire and who have a child born between 1 September 2015 and 31 August 2016

Dear Parent/ Carer

Please be aware that you will need to apply for a primary school place for your child to start in Reception in September 2020 and the deadline to submit your application is 15 January 2020.

Families living outside North Yorkshire will need to contact their own home Local Authority to obtain the information regarding school admissions and to make an application to the Authority where they live

The information you need to apply for a primary school place is available at [www.northyorks.gov.uk/school-admissions](http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/school-admissions) including:

- the criteria used by the local authority to allocate school places at maintained schools
- links to the admission arrangements for schools which are their own admissions authority, such as certain academy schools and voluntary aided schools
- specific school information including the number of places allocated and statistics for the 2019-20 academic year
- eligibility for home-to-school transport
- the online parent portal where you will be able to create an account and apply online for a school place.

It is important that you read all of the information on the school admissions and transport pages before completing the online Common Application Form (CAF).

Online applications - you will need to:

- visit the North Yorkshire website, School Admissions page [Apply for a place at a primary school](#)
- create an account if you do not already have one (you will receive a verification registration email);
- log back into your account to add your school preferences and other details;
- **submit** your application. When you have submitted your application you will receive an email confirming that the Authority has received your CAF. Please contact us if you do not receive an acknowledgement.

Think carefully before you submit your preferences as you will not be able to change them online once you have submitted your application. If you wish to make changes after you have submitted your application you will need to complete a "changes to submitted school application form". This will be available online at [Filling in the common application form | North Yorkshire County Council](#) alternatively, you can request a paper copy of the form and return this direct to us, contact details overleaf.

Paper CAF - if you do not have internet access, you can request a paper copy of the information for parents and application form, contact details overleaf

The deadline for receiving an application is 15 January 2020. After this date your CAF will be treated as a 'Late Application'.

Late applications - any CAF received after the 15 January 2020 will be considered late unless you provide a genuine reason for late submission. Late applications for a school place are dealt with after those received on time and this could affect the allocation of your child's school place, for more details see

Children and Young People's Service ■

*A magic far beyond  
what we do here.*

- Albus Dumbledore

**SUN, 20 OCT AT 15:00**

**Magic, Myth and  
Fairy Tales**

Middlesbrough Town Hall

Dukas – The Sorcerer's Apprentice

Williams – Harry Potter Symphonic Suite

Neilsen – Aladdin Suite

Mussorgsky – Night on a Bare Mountain

Tchaikovsky – A selection from Sleeping Beauty

Tickets: Adults £12.00 + booking fee. Under 18s FREE  
A ticket must be obtained for each person attending

Tickets are available from the Town Hall Box Office  
Online: [Box Office](#) / By Phone: 01642 729 729 / Email: [boxoffice@middlesbrough.gov.uk](mailto:boxoffice@middlesbrough.gov.uk)

In Person from  
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ALBERT ROAD,  
MIDDLESBROUGH, TS1 2QJ

[www.northyorks.gov.uk/lateapplications](http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/lateapplications) Reasons for a late application need to be put in writing via email (see contact details below).

National Offer Day - Confirmation of the school place allocated to your child will be sent to you on 16 April 2020. If you applied online you will be able to log back into your account to view the school place that has been 'offered'. An email notification will be sent during office hours on 16 April 2020. If you submit a paper application, allocation letters will be sent out by second class post on 16 April 2020 and these may take up to 3-5 days to arrive.

Please note, we are not able to advise anyone of their child's school place over the telephone.

If we are unable to allocate a place at your preferred school, you will be entitled to an admission appeal in line with current legislation. Appeal forms are available on the website at [www.northyorks.gov.uk/admission\\_appeals](http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/admission_appeals) or by contacting the Admissions Team on 01609 533879.

Should you need more information about individual schools before completing a CAF, a prospectus can be obtained directly from the school concerned. Please check the information on the website carefully as some denominational schools and Academy schools require the completion of a **Supplementary Information Form (SIF)** to enable them to assess your application in accordance with the school's admission policy. Failure to submit a SIF will result in your application being considered after all other applications where a SIF has been provided. A SIF is not an application for a school place and you will still need to apply via the Local Authority.

You must complete a CAF regardless of the type of school you are applying for (academy, community, aided, trust or foundation).

If you wish to apply for a place at a school in another Local Authority area, you must list this on the NYCC common application form and we will liaise with that Authority in accordance with the coordinated admissions arrangement scheme.

We strongly recommend that you include a preference for your catchment school in case your preferred school or schools are oversubscribed and we are not able to offer your child a place. If you do not list your catchment school(s) you may be allocated a school which could be some distance from your home and you will be responsible for transport arrangements and costs.

You should keep all correspondence that you receive, including emails and acknowledgements, as you may need these should you wish to appeal if we are not able to allocate your child a place at your preferred school.

Yours sincerely

Lisa Hardman  
Business Support Manager

We encourage you to apply online to benefit you in the following ways:

- It is quick, easy, and secure and available 24 hours
- you can access all the information on school admissions and transport on our website in the convenience of home, work, internet cafes and North Yorkshire libraries
- you can view your application at any time before you review and submit it
- once submitted you will receive an email confirming receipt of your application - you will be notified by email on National Offer Day on 2 March 2020

Admissions, Transport and Welfare Team, Business Support, Jessop House, 31-33 Victoria Avenue, Harrogate, HG1 5QE email [schooladmissions@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:schooladmissions@northyorks.gov.uk) Tel 01609 533879

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