

# ROBY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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### CONGRATULATIONS TO Y6

We would like to say a huge congratulations to our Y6 pupils for their fantastic effort during SATs week. Their hard work, determination and positive attitude were evident throughout and we are incredibly proud of how they approached each test. They truly demonstrated resilience and maturity and they should all feel very proud of themselves.

We hope that the children enjoyed celebrating their achievements on Friday as well as the much-anticipated sleepover! It was a wonderful way to recognise their dedication and give them chance to relax and have fun together after such a busy week.

A sincere thank you goes to our staff team, whose support, encouragement and commitment helped to ensure the week ran smoothly and that every child felt confident and prepared.

Finally, we would like to thank parents and carers for your continued support particularly for ensuring that children arrived on time each day, well-rested and ready to do their very best. Your partnership makes a real difference.

Well done again, Y6. You've been amazing!



## **BONUS BALL UPDATE - THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT**

Thank you to everyone who takes part in our weekly Bonus Ball competition. Your support is greatly appreciated! Mrs Lyon is on the playground every Friday before and after school, selling numbers at £2 each. Last weekend's winner was Dolly Y1 again with number 20!

All profits go directly towards helping us resource and sustain our OPAL play provision, ensuring our children continue to enjoy high-quality play experiences. Thank you to everyone who supports us each week!

## **SWIMMING LESSONS ARE BACK IN JUNE!**

We are delighted to share that our whole-school, on-site swimming lessons are returning for the entire month of June – which is fantastic news!

The children have been eagerly asking when the pool will be back, and we are thrilled to once again provide this incredible opportunity for every child to take part right here at school.



Having swimming lessons on site offers so many benefits. Children are able to:

- Build confidence in the water in a familiar and supportive environment
- Develop essential life skills and improve their water safety awareness
- Stay active and promote their physical wellbeing
- Enjoy regular, consistent lessons without the need for travel
- Experience the fun and excitement of swimming with their classmates

It is a fantastic experience that combines learning, fitness and enjoyment and we know how much the children value this unique opportunity.

Letters were sent out last week via Arbor with all the information needed. Copies are also available to download from the school website.

## **EXCITING HISTORY WORKSHOPS NEXT HALF TERM**

As part of our incredible enrichment offer, we are thrilled to be providing a series of engaging and interactive History workshops for Y1, 4 and 5 next half term.

These experiences are designed to immerse children in their learning and bring history to life in a memorable and exciting way.

- Y1 will step back in time to explore the Great Fire of London
- Y4 will be fully immersed in the fascinating world of Ancient Greece
- Y5 will discover the mysteries and achievements of the Mayan civilisation

These workshops provide a fantastic opportunity for children to deepen their understanding through hands-on activities, role play and interactive experiences, helping to inspire curiosity and a love of learning.

Payment for the workshops can be made via Arbor.



### **ACTIVE UNIFORM ORDERS**

Thank you to everyone who has collected their online orders of active uniform. School PE kits can be ordered directly via Arbor and collected from school, helping to make uniform buying as convenient as possible ahead of September.

While stocks last, we also have a selection of additional active uniform items from George available to purchase.

The next collection date will be **3rd June**.

### **TOUGH RUNNER SPORTS DAY - IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

All details for our Tough Runner Sports Day event, taking place on the first day back (1st June), have been shared via Arbor. Letters containing all the necessary information are also available to download from the school website.

Please ensure you read the letters carefully so you have all the relevant details for the day. Thank you for your support.

## WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY - SPECIAL VISITOR



Next Thursday, to mark World Environment Day, we are excited to welcome back Teach Rex, who will be bringing along their incredible Orangutan!

Through this engaging and interactive experience, the children will learn all about:

- Rainforest habitats and life within them
- The importance of protecting endangered species
- Environmental responsibility and how we can all make a difference
- The impact of human activity on our planet

This immersive workshop is a fantastic way to inspire curiosity, develop understanding of global issues, and encourage children to think about how they can help care for the world around them.

We know this will be a memorable and exciting experience for all!

### **#MISSSCHOOL #MISSOUT – WHY REGULAR ATTENDANCE MATTERS**

Regular school attendance is essential to ensure every child can fully benefit from their learning and social experiences. Time away from school means missing valuable opportunities to develop skills, build friendships and support overall wellbeing.

This week has been a wonderful reminder of just how much our pupils gain from being in school every day. Harvey Y2 would have been disappointed to miss out on OPAL play and the chance to enjoy active, imaginative time with his friends. In YR, William has been thoroughly engaged in the mud kitchen, exploring, creating and learning through play. Meanwhile, Charlie Y6 has been inspired through learning about local artist Ian Fennelly, developing both his creativity and appreciation of our local culture.

Every day in school truly matters – not just for academic progress but for the joy, experiences and connections that help our children thrive. Thank you for your continued support in ensuring strong attendance for all pupils.

## STARS OF THE WEEK

Use your camera to scan the QR code to see who our wonderful stars of the week are. We are proud of our children demonstrating our values of: collaboration, creativity, resilience, reflectiveness, being inquisitive and motivated.



## ATTENDANCE RECOGNITION WINNERS



Our attendance recognition winners this week were YR, Y5 & Y6 and they were chosen by Harrison Y3, Evie Y4 & Amayah Y6.

Miss Murphy said, “Well done to all of Reception for showing great understanding of the butterfly life cycle!”

Miss Sutton said, “Well done for working amazingly in your English writing of a survival guide. Your creativity was endless and your guides would be very useful when on an adventure!”

## #MISSSSCHOOL #MISSOUT

Miss Beggs said, “Well done to the whole class for your efforts during SATs week!”

Y3 won a prize this week!

Who will win this week?

## REMARKABLE READERS

Well done to our remarkable readers this week. Children get to bring the remarkable reader bag home with a book, hot chocolate, bookmark and pencil.

Children also get to choose a book from our book vending machine.

Children can be selected as our remarkable reader winner by engaging in reading at home and in school. Who will win next week?

