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# Yelvertoft Primary Concerns

Dear Parents and Carers

I would like to say a huge well done to all the children and all the staff for the May Day dances this morning. I was very impressed with the skills and the enthusiasm from all of the classes. A superb effort - well done!

Thank you to all the parents who joined the class teachers for the zoom parent's evenings this week.

We will be confirming the final arrangements for Kingswood after half term. If the road map continues as planned we will also be able to finalise arrangements for end of term events as soon as possible.

I hope that you all have a lovely half term break and I look forward to seeing you all again on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> June.

Best Wishes

Mel Servent

## Records of Achievement

Congratulations to all the children who have received awards this week.

### Class 1

**Libby** for always trying her best with a smile.

### Class 2

**Beatrice** for always doing her best and trying hard at whatever comes her way.

### Class 3

**Tommy** for showing huge improvements in all subjects, having a wonderful attitude towards his learning and showing real growth in his confidence.

### Class 4

**Kaitlyn** for having exemplary behaviour in school and her attitude and commitment to learning is highly commendable. She encompasses the values of Yelvertoft Primary School and is a true credit to the school.

### Bronze award - 25 housepoints

Oakley, Maisy and Evie

### Silver award - 50 housepoints

Brax, Kelsey, Lexi, Logan M, Tommy, Olly, Corban and David F

### Gold award - 100 housepoints

Natalie and Harvey

## Important notes and reminders

- ❖ **New Reception pupils for September 2021** - we will be holding a meeting for parents on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> June. We will confirm the format for that meeting when we return from the half term break.
- ❖ **So that we can keep our school community safe please continue to maintain social distancing when dropping off and collecting your children**
- ❖ **Breakfast club** is available from 8am. The children are grouped into their class bubbles to maintain integrity. No booking required. £3.00 per session.
- ❖ **School Meals** can be ordered on School Grid as normal - please make sure you have ordered before 9am each day. You can book meals for 2 or 3 weeks in advance if it is easier.
- ❖ **Second Hand Uniform** - I know how much the children have grown during this pandemic. If you do need any assistance, we do have a small amount of second hand school uniform which is available from the school. Please contact the school office for further information.
- ❖ **Free School Meals** - if your circumstances have changed and you think you may be eligible for FSMs please visit this link [www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals](http://www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals)
- ❖ If anyone in your household does show symptoms or has a positive lateral flow test, please let us know as soon as possible.

## House Points

Darwin 1439

Galileo 1464

Einstein 1582

Newton 1319

## Yelvertoft School Association

Dear Parents,

We have another Bubble Cinema Night for the children on Wednesday 16th June 2021 for Classes 1 & 3 3:20pm-5pm and Thursday 17th June 2021 for Classes 2 & 4 3:20pm-5pm, the film will be Onward and forms have now been sent home. We hope the children can all make it. I've added our PTA bank details to the forms if it's easier to bank transfer it over, just a reminder that you put this on the form, send the form in as normal and reference the payment with your child's name just so we can cross reference this. The deadline will be Wednesday 9th June, this is to enable us to sort snacks etc.

We are provisionally booking a Quiz & Fizz evening on Saturday 17th July (Adults Only), we are just finalising details and as soon as I know more I will update you further, obviously this all depends on restrictions being lifted in June if they aren't we will postpone this til later on in the year.

All our teachers have now ordered the books they would like from our readathon through Usbourne, we have spent £978 on new reading books for all the children to enjoy over the next few months.

There are still things in the background that you can get involved with to help support our school including our school lottery which a winner from our school wins a cash prize every week, this generates money towards our goals, to get involved please visit <https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk>.

We also have our easy fundraising app which is doing really well and we have just received a payment of £48.73 adding to our total amount of £577.07, along with our Amazon Smile which has just bought in £13.66, if you go through either of these for your shopping it generates money towards our school and doesn't cost you anymore than what you were buying.

The PTA has joined Edgbaston for there Six4Schools initiative.

Our unique promo code has now been created to allow staff and parents to purchase Bears T20 tickets online at the discounted price of £12 (that's a discount of £13), whilst under 16's go FREE.

For each adult ticket purchased using our unique promo code Yelvertoft Primary School will receive £6. The more we sell, the more money we can make for our school.

Our unique promo code is **YPS**.

Tickets can be purchased at [tickets.edgbaston.com](https://tickets.edgbaston.com) by entering our unique promo code in the field at the top of the page.

Please note the Six4Schools discount is valid for all T20 group games at Edgbaston in 2021, except for the Worcestershire Rapids fixture on Friday 16 July.

If you have any questions please feel free to get in touch at:

[pta\\_yelvertoftschoolassociation@yahoo.com](mailto:pta_yelvertoftschoolassociation@yahoo.com) or if you would like to join our PTA you are more than welcome to get in touch on the above email. We are always looking for new members.

We hope you have a lovely half term.

Kind regards

Katie

## Drop off and Collection times

Class 1 8.50am - 3.15pm  
 Class 2 8.50am - 3.15pm  
 Class 3 8.40am-3.30pm  
 Class 4 8.40am-3.30pm

The external door to the classroom will be open and ready at these times for the children to come straight into the classroom. If your child comes to school on the school bus they will go straight to their classroom when they arrive.

## Wellbeing

Each class is now having a wellbeing club one lunchtime a week.  
 This is run by Miss Shaw our School Counsellor.  
 If we feel your child would benefit from regular chats with our Counsellor your class teacher will speak with you.



## Dates for the term

Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> June	All day	➤ Teacher Training Day - School closed for pupils
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> June	8.40/8.50am	➤ Pupils return
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> June	AM	➤ Whole School Pupil and Staff photograph
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> June	4.30pm	➤ New Reception Parents meeting
Weds 23 <sup>rd</sup> to Fri 25 <sup>th</sup> June	All day	➤ Kingswood Residential booked - dependent on current guidance
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	All day	➤ Olympic Enrichment Day
Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	1.30pm	➤ Provisional Sports Day - dependent on current guidance
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	1.30pm	➤ Reserve Sports Day
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> July		➤ KS2 Production shared with parents - more details to follow nearer the time
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	3.15/3.30pm	➤ End of Year reports home to parents
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	10.30am	➤ Provisional Zoom leavers service - dependent on current guidance
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	3.15/3.30pm	➤ End of term

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