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Yelvertoft Primary Concerns

Dear Parents and Carers

We have all had another lovely week in school. I would like to say a big thank you and well done to all the children in Key Stage Two who shared their songs from Wind in the Willows with us this morning, it was wonderful. If you missed the assembly, I can arrange another sharing zoom so please email me to arrange a viewing.

We would like to invite parents in so that the children can share their work with you. This will take place on Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th between 2.30 and home time. Please let me know if you will be coming so that the teacher will have the tray of work ready for your child to share with you. If you wait outside the classroom, your child will come outside with their work and you can find a spot in the school grounds to share the work. Please then return the tray to the classroom before going home.

We are nearly there! Could I please ask you to continue with the current guidance on social distancing so that the last 10 days of school can be as smooth as possible for the children. The residential is set to depart on Wednesday, which everyone is looking forward to.

Many thanks for your continued support in keeping our school family safe during these challenging times.

Best Wishes

Mel Servent

Records of Achievement

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

Class 1

Seb for fabulous o'clock time telling; **William** for wonderful weighing; **Tommy** for trying really hard when writing; **Dorothy** for trying really hard with her reading; **Leo** for lovely letter formation; **Logan S** for lovely counting.

Class 2

Class 2 for being superstars in our School Sports Day.

Class 3

Class 3 for an exceptional drumming performance; **Bethany** for coming up with some brilliant adjectives in English; **Tessa** for excellent fractions work in Maths; **Niamh** for excellent fractions work in Maths.

Class 4

Maisy for excellent sportsmanship when playing rounders; **George** for excellent batting and fielding in rounders; **Jack C** for excellent singing of Wind in the Willows songs.

Bronze award - 25 housepoints

Lily C, George,

Silver award - 50 housepoints

Isla, Logan S, David P, Logan B, Alex, Aaron, Oakley, Miles, Tommie Class 4

Gold award - 100 housepoints

Joni, Max H, Eva, Nathan, Freya M, Florence

Important notes and reminders

- ❖ *Each year we ask parents/carers of Reception aged children to complete a questionnaire which enables the School Nurse team to assess your child's health. The link below will take you to the questionnaire, which closes on Friday 9th July. If you identify any health concerns within the questionnaire the School Nurse team will be in touch with you. However if you need to talk to us more urgently you call us on 0800 1707055 (option4) https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=o7rK2ZF060ieRqbnkqo_RXKzWCswYGFNlbXo6z0V0BIUMFpCS0FGSzE2STQ5SEQ2VzhaN0xURTVQOS4u*
- ❖ **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.
- ❖ **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
- ❖ If anyone in your household does show symptoms or has a positive lateral flow test or PCR test, please let us know as soon as possible.

House Points

Darwin 1767

Galileo 1838

Einstein 1915

Newton 1703

Yelvertoft School Association

Dear Parents,

Our PTA has given £948.70 to school this week, which covers our completed 5p challenge, so each class teacher has the below amount:

Class 1 £177.80

Class 2 £69.85

Class 3 £46.05

Class 4 £155.00

This will be spent on resources for each class so thank you to all who supported our 5p challenge event.

The other £500 will be spent on new resources for the newly built outside Class 2 Area which is starting to look amazing.

We will be having a Mufti day on Monday 19th July, all the children are having a themed party that day, we are going for a Hawaiian themed party but children can come in Hawaiian / colourful or just regular mufti and the contribution for this is £1, we plan on doing a party for them all with music, sweets and our PTA will be serving ice creams.

We are doing a used School Uniform Sale on Tuesday 13th July from 2:30pm at school. We have preloved clothes kindly donated by parents to our PTA.

* Polo shirts & T-shirts 20p each.

* Jumpers, dresses, trousers & shorts £1 each.

* Logo Jumpers- £2.00.

Donations also welcome, all money raised goes to our PTA.

Please, please, please buy these clothes you will

1, save pennies so you can spend your money on fun stuff

2, get lots of eco points because buying second hand reduces your carbon footprint dramatically

3, you will be giving the PTA their spare rooms back.

If you would like to buy any used uniform please come along on Tuesday 13th from 2:30pm.

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>. Thank you to all that have supported this and our PTA to generate money towards our children's school, we have raised £28.10 from ticket sales this month.

We also have our easy fundraising app which is doing really, our total amount so far is £596.30, along with our Amazon Smile, 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.

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

Have a lovely weekend.

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.

If you feel that your child would benefit from regular chats with Miss Shaw please do let me know.



Dates for the term

Monday 12 th & Tuesday 13 th July	1.30pm-2.30pm	➤ Transition visits to new classes for September including new reception intake
Weds 14 th to Fri 16 th July	All day	➤ Kingswood Residential
Friday 16 th July	3.15/3.30pm	➤ End of Year reports home to parents
Tuesday 20 th July	10.30am	➤ Provisional Leavers service - this is planned to take place on the school field so that year 6 parents will be able to join us in person.
Tuesday 20 th July	3.15/3.30pm	➤ End of term

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