



Issue 438
24th March 2023

Yelvertoft Primary Concerns

Dear Parents & Carers,

Well done to Oak Class who presented a wonderful assembly today; we loved hearing about all your topics and could see how much fun you have had learning so far this year. Thank-you to all the parents/carers who were able to come and watch.

On Monday 27th March 2023 Year 4 & 5 Parents are invited in to watch the children's final Drumming Performance which they have been learning with NMPAT. Please Join us at 15:00 in the school Hall. The performance will last approximately 15 Minutes.

Next Friday (31st March 2023) the whole school will be attending the Easter Service at the Chapel. Please drop the children off as usual to school and if you'd like to join us, there will be around 40 Seats available for parents/carers on a first come first serve basis. The service will start at 09:15. Children are to come straight into their classrooms on Friday to allow time to complete registration before we walk to the chapel.

Records of Achievement

Congratulations to Oak Class

The assembly this morning was.
Fantastic, wonderful singing,
French and fossils! Well done
everyone.

Thank-you to Mr Dow and Mrs
Tye for bringing it all together.

Important notes and reminders

There will be NO Afterschool Pacesetters for KS2 Children next Friday however all other clubs should run as usual next week (W/C 27th March) but please keep an eye on the Jotter for any changes. Thankyou.

- ❖ **Pacesetters** - Please see previous newsletter for details and contact Office@yelfvertoft.school if your child would like to attend the before (KS1) or after (KS2) school club.
- ❖ **Breakfast club** is available from 8am - You do not need to book in advance.
- ❖ **Big Fish Uniform** - You can order new uniform at any point during the year, and it will be delivered to school. We are in the process of reviewing our uniform needs with Big Fish.
- ❖ **Parking** - Can parents please use the village hall for parking and turning around when dropping and collecting children. Please do not use private driveways.
- ❖ **Shepherd's Delight** - Every Wednesday 15:15/15:30 - 16:30 KS1/KS2 - At the moment the club is full, please contact the school office to join a waiting list.
- ❖ Please see the new guidance for living with respiratory infections including Covid-19
<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/living-safely-with-respiratory-infections-including-covid-19>
- ❖ **Scarlet Fever, Covid-19, flu, chicken pox** - We do currently have a few cases across the school. The current guidance is that if a child tests positive for Covid they isolate for 3 days after which they can return if they are no longer have a temperature. Please do keep vigilant for symptoms of the above infections.

House Points

Stanford 1045

Hollowell 938

Ravensthorpe 1198

Naseby 914

Yelvertoft School Association

Dear Parents,

Thank you all that supported us and attended our Easter Bingo on Monday, we hope you all had a fantastic time. We enjoyed it and hopefully most of you came away winning lots of Easter Eggs.

Next year the teachers are banned from attending as they won far too many, well except our amazing callers Mr Dow and Miss Morris.

Thank you to the Co Op for our grant of £150 to be able to buy our Easter eggs and refreshments, with their support it meant we made a fantastic profit of £265.80, so thank you to everyone that attended.

A final thankyou to our helpers in the PTA, I certainly couldn't do it without you all. I will keep you all posted on our next events.

Kind regards Katie

Wellbeing - School Counsellor

We do have a trained school counsellor in the school who will be providing an amazing counselling service offering mental health support to staff and pupils. This is being provided by Miss Shaw. Childhood and adolescence can be a very difficult and confusing time and pupils may be struggling with their emotions which can have a negative effect on their mood, school, and home life. Talking things through with a trained therapist can help them to make sense of themselves and what is going on for them so that things can feel more manageable. Miss Shaw is spending time with each class during lunchtime both in the classroom and in the playground.



Dates for the term		
Monday 27 th March	3:00	➤ Y4 and Y5 Parents/Carers are invited to watch the childrens Drumming performance which they have been learning with NMPAT.
Friday 31 st March	9:15	➤ Easter Service in the Chapel ➤ Term Ends
Monday 17 th April		➤ Pupils Return to School
Monday 24 th April - Thursday 27 th April		➤ Bikeability for Year Five
Monday 1 st May		➤ Bank holiday
Monday 8 th May	All day	➤ Bank holiday for King Charles III coronation
Monday 8 th - 11 th May		➤ KS2 SATS Week
Friday 19 th May		➤ Life Education visit to School
Wednesday 24 th May	13:30	➤ May Day celebrations
Friday 26 th May		➤ Term Ends
Monday 5 th June		➤ Pupils return to School ➤ Year 4 Multiplication assessment window opens
Monday 12 th June		➤ Year 1 Phonics Check
Tuesday 13 th June	16:30	➤ New Reception parents meetings
Wednesday 21 st - 23 rd June		➤ KS2 Kingswood residential trip
Wednesday 28 th June	13:30	➤ Sports Day
Wednesday 5 th July	13:30	➤ Reserve sports day
Monday 10 th July	13:30	➤ KS2 Performance - dress rehearsal
Tuesday 11 th July	18:00	➤ KS2 Performance
Wednesday 12 th July	18:00	➤ KS2 Performance
Wednesday 19 th July	10:30	➤ Year 6 Leavers Service End of Term