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**Newsletter**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Well that half term went quickly and I have a feeling that the next half term will fly by too! We have lots already planned as well as all of the usual summer term events so hopefully the weather will be a little kinder! Whatever you get up to over half term, we hope you have a great week together and look forward to hearing all about it on our return.

**Pentecost Picnic**

A big thank you to St Hedda's for hosting the annual Pentecost Picnic and Service. It was lovely to visit St Hedda's RC Church and school. Although the weather was not kind enough to let us enjoy some outdoor time with our friends, we did enjoy a Pentecost themed crafting session, a special Collective Worship and our shared 'carpet' picnic lunch in St Hedda's Canteen. Thank you to both school cooks for a lovely dinner.

**KS2 Cross Country**

On Monday afternoon, our KS2 class took part in Cross Country at Whitby Sixth Form. We had some fantastic results and everyone tried extremely hard to do their best! We are very proud of them all, well done!

**D-Day Lunch**

On Thursday 6th June local primary schools will be having a special Collective Worship, poetry reading and lunch for the D-DAY 80 Anniversary Celebrations of the largest Naval, Air and Land Operation in History by special request of Danby Beacon Trust. We will be having fish and chips and mushy peas followed by jelly and ice cream. We will be having our Chicken Korma on Friday instead.

**Mental Health Parent Consultation**

Thank you to everyone who completed our Mental Health and Well-being Consultation this half term. The results were overwhelmingly positive and recognised the fantastic care and support that our staff provide to our children beyond the curriculum. Further ideas were welcomed by the governors and were passed on to our Mental Health Lead - Mrs Mortimer and shared with the staff.

**Ofsted - The Big Listen – Parent Views Invited**

The National Centre for Social Research (NatCen) is carrying out a short survey on behalf of Ofsted. We want to hear from parents/carers of children who are under 18 years old. It should only take around 10 minutes to complete. We are interested in views of Ofsted, including Ofsted's inspection, regulation and reporting practices. We really want to hear from a wide range of parents and carers, even if you don't have strong opinions about Ofsted, or haven't had any experience of Ofsted.

Please click on the following link to find out more or take part in the survey:

[survey.natcen.ac.uk/TheBigListen](https://survey.natcen.ac.uk/TheBigListen)

You can look at our [Taking Part webpage](#) for more information about the research, and our [Privacy Notice](#) for what will happen to any information you give. Links to these webpages are also included in the survey.

### **Advance Notice - After School Club on Friday 19th July**

We are giving advance notice that there will be no after school club available on the last day of the summer term, Friday 19th July, School will finish at 3.30pm that day. Thank you.

### **Home to School Travel Policy consultation**

The Executive meeting where the recommendations on the Home to School Travel Policy consultation will be considered has been rescheduled for 11 June and will take place at County Hall in Northallerton.

<https://edemocracy.northyorks.gov.uk/ieListMeetings.aspx?Committeeld=1147>

If you wish to ask a question or make a statement at the meeting, then a copy of your question or statement must be submitted by 12 noon on Thursday 4 June 2024 to [elizabeth.jackson@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:elizabeth.jackson@northyorks.gov.uk) . The question or statement should be no longer than 3 minutes in length.

### **Free School Meal Eligibility**

We are sharing this information with you again as it has recently been updated. Please contact the school office if you would like any help.

Families who receive certain benefits may be eligible for free school meals. Your child is eligible for free school meals if you're in receipt of one of the following benefits:

- Universal Credit with an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400, before benefits are taken into account.
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Child Tax Credit (with no Working Tax Credit) with an annual income of no more than
- £16,190

Even if your child is in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 and currently receives universal free school meals, please check your entitlement. Being eligible will mean that the school receives additional funding for your child which will go towards their learning and any additional support they may need.

If you think you may be entitled to free school meals for your child, please use the application form which can be found on the NYC website - [Free school meals | North Yorkshire Council](#).

### **Forest School**

On the first Thursday back it will be the Infants' turn for Forest School; please ensure they are equipped with their usual wellies, waterproofs, etc . Thank you.

### **FOES**

Thank you to everyone who attended our FOES meeting on Tuesday after school. We are on track for a fabulous fundraising event at Mulgrave Open Gardens on 16th June. We would really appreciate knowing who is able to support this event by either giving us an hour of time between 11am and 5pm or by being able to provide some home-baking for the refreshments. We would welcome folks to help with car parking, refreshments, stalls, admission table on a rota basis.

Please catch Megan or Helen at the gate or email [admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk) to let us know and we will get in touch. Please find our poster [here](#), if you are able to share or display we would be grateful.

### **School Term Dates**

The list of term dates for the academic years 2023/2024 can be viewed [HERE](#) and 2024/2025 [HERE](#).

### **Diary Dates**

Please note that our calendar can be found on the school website [HERE](#). This is updated regularly throughout the term.

<b>Forest School Dates [Infants]</b>	6th June, 4th July
<b>Forest School Dates [Juniors]</b>	20th June, 18th July
<b>Swimming Dates [Thursdays]</b>	13th, 27th June, 11th July
<b>Half Term</b>	27th - 31st May inclusive
<b>Whole School photos</b>	Friday 14th June, 9am
<b>Whole School Play Production</b>	Wednesday 26th June 2.00pm Thursday 27th June 6.00pm
<b>Sports Day</b>	Friday 5th July 1.30pm start
<b>Summer Fair and Open Day</b>	Saturday 13th July
<b>Secondary School Transition Week</b>	<u>Whitby Secondary School Partnership</u> Monday 8th July - Friday 12th July
<b>Last Day of Term for Pupils</b>	19th July Note: No after school club available today

After half term, I will be at Egton on Monday, Wednesday, Friday. I will be at Danby on Tuesday and Thursday.

Have a lovely half term holiday.

Best wishes,



Liz Orland  
Headteacher

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**The information below has not changed but is still relevant.**

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### **Safeguarding Children Telephone Number**

If you have a safeguarding concern about a child, please note that from the 1st April 2023, the main customer service line for the new North Yorkshire Council will be changing. The new number will be **0300 131 2 131** and will replace the old 01609 780780 number. This will mean that



[admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk)

### **Attendance**

Just a little reminder that if your child is ill and will be absent from school, we ask that you contact school to let us know on each day that they will be absent, by 9.30am. This can be by telephone on **01947 895369** or by email to [admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:admin@egton.n-yorks.sch.uk) . If we do not hear anything from you we will give you a call to check everything is okay as part of our safeguarding procedures. Thank you.