



Kirk Smeaton Church of England Primary School
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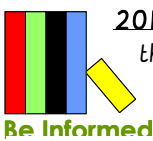
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Font Change - this weeks newsletter has a font change to remind everyone of the importance of cursive (joined up) handwriting.



2018 Residential - sign up for next years residential to Beverley Park has now closed, and the full balance is available for payment on parentpay. This can be paid in installments but the balance must be paid in full by Friday 1st June. Transport has now also been arranged and is available for payment on parentpay.

Award - an enormous thank you to Ms Wolff and her team for helping us to achieve our Bronze Woodland Trust Green Tree School Award. We are just 2 points off our silver award too!

Parking - please be reminded that when parking outside school you do so in a safe and considerate manner. Zig zags need to be kept clear, pavements need to have enough room for wheelchairs and prams, and enough room left on the road for vehicles to get past.

Dogs - please remember that dogs are not permitted into the school grounds. A number of children have allergies to pets, and in serious circumstances children require an epi pen and the allergy can be life threatening. Please help us make the school safe for all our children by following this important rule. Thank you.

Charity Race Night - one of our wonderful parents, Charlie Brown, is running the London Marathon next year in aid of the Childrens Liver Disease Foundation. Details regarding her fundraising evening can be found on the attached flyer, or you can make a donation directly to <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/charlotte-brown36>

Let God's love shine as we care for each other and learn together.

Dolphins Sports Trip - on Monday 22nd January, our Dolphins will be attending a multi-skills tournament at Campsmount. A letter has been sent home this week with further details, but please let the school office know should you have any queries.

After School Clubs - please be reminded that from next week, there will be no Multi-Sports on a Tuesday, but instead a brand new rugby club will be held by Debbie Drake. This is open to all Starfish Explorers, Starfish, and Year 1's. If you would like a place reserving please let the school office know.

Flu Vaccination - if any Reception to Year 4 children missed their flu vaccination before Christmas, there will be a drop in clinic held in Selby as below;

Selby Clinic - Tuesday 16th January, 3.30-5pm

You do not require an appointment please arrive before 5pm to ensure your child receives the vaccination

Venue:

Selby North CC in Community Rm
Flaxley Road (next to Selby primary school)

Selby

YO8 4DL

Tel: 01609 535111

selbynorthcc@northyorks.gov.uk

Swimming Lessons - these will commence each Friday afternoon from 20th April for our Year 3's. A letter has now been sent home and the transport cost has been set up on Parentpay where consent can also be given.

Reception New Starters 2018 - if your child is due to start in reception from September 2018, remember the deadline for getting applications in is January 15th 2018, and applications must be made to your home authority. Don't forget, that even if your child is currently enrolled in our nursery, you will still need to go through the application process for starting in Reception class.



School Lottery - our school lottery is now online, and we really need your support! You can sign up at <https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/kirk-smeaton-ce-primary-school/supporter>. This term, all ticket holders will also be entered into a nationwide draw to win Kindle. We are quite a way from our goal number of people signing up so please sign up as soon as you can.



Golden Mile - this year, each class will be doing their best to run / walk a mile of the school field each day (per child). Our aim is to see how far around the world we can reach before we break up for the summer. So far we have completed 631 miles meaning we have now made it across Ireland and into the Atlantic Ocean!

Important dates for your diary

Tuesday, 16th January 2018 @ 15:45
Monday, 22nd January 2018
Tuesday, 23rd January 2018 @ 15:45
Tuesday, 30th January 2018 @ 15:45

Y5 and Y6 SATS Parent Info Session
Dolphins Multi Sports Tournament
Y2 SATS Parent Info Session
Y1 Phonics Parent Info Session

[St Peters Church, Kirk Smeaton](#)

Wednesday, 14th February 2018

Ash Wednesday

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