

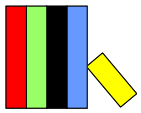


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Date: Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> May 2015

Dear Parents,



**Be Informed**

### **Ambulance Day**

For information....On Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> May we are holding a 'Yorkshire Ambulance Day'. Basically the Yorkshire Ambulance Service is coming into School for the day and a variety of sessions have been organised for all children to take part in. This includes, a visit to the ambulance, making posters, 'Healthy eating – tasting five a day items, bandaging, junior paramedic books and much more! We are sure this will be an informative and fun day for all children following a busy SATs/assessment week,  
Thank you

### **Homework**

As children have had a busy week with SATs and assessments the homework will be as follows:

Reception & Year 1 – Reading books only  
Year 2 – Year 6 – Learning Logs only  
Thank you

### **Parentpay**

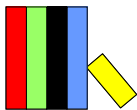
Please take a few minutes to log into your parentpay account and check the balances. School Dinners must be paid in advance at the start of a new half term.  
Please also note the due dates for forthcoming visits including Lions class visit to the Yorkshire Sculpture Park, due on 1<sup>st</sup> June and both Robinwood Residentials due on 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2015.  
Thank you

### **Numicon Items**

We currently have more stocks of numicon items for sale as follows:

Numicon homework bags - £15.50  
Numicon baseboard - £5.50  
Numicon box of shapes - £5.50

Parents who previously requested these items were informed last week. Any remaining items are now available on a first come first served basis and can be purchased from the front office.  
Thank you



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## **Guitar Lessons**

Guitar lessons are on Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May not Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> May.



Be Healthy

## **The Big Dance 2015**

The Big dance is only one week away and the children have been working really hard with Sue Brierley in preparation for their Ho Down performance. Please come and join us at 2.45pm on Friday, Parents and Friends will be serving refreshments. We will also be treated to a repeat performance of the brilliant Japanese dance entry for the Campsmount dance competition (not to be missed!)

Sue Brierley would like to remind all Campsmount dancers to bring their costumes and props into school on Monday; children performing the Ho down can also dress up in suitable Ho Down attire if they wish.

## **Sport to the Beat**

On Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> May we have Coach Clayton (Complete Sport) in School all day along with his Sister, Sadie to deliver 'Sport to the Beat' sessions to all children.

Please ensure all children have their PE Kits in school.

Thank you



Be Helpful

## **Frasier Rusling – Fundraiser**

Frasier is a pupil at Kirk Smeaton Primary in year 2. Some of you may or may not know that Frasier suffers from two heart conditions and although he is only 7 years old, he has already undergone two major heart operations and is due to have another one later in the year.

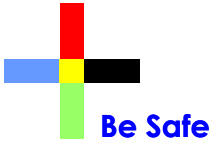
His family are very grateful to the Leeds General Infirmary for all their support and would like to raise money for the Children's Heart Surgery fund at Leeds General Infirmary to help Children like Frasier with life threatening illnesses.

A friend of Frasier's family is therefore leading a group of cyclists on a gruelling 110 mile bike ride to Bridlington and back in aid of this fund. The sponsored cycle is also supported by a family fun day at the George & Dragon pub, Whitley on Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> June 2015 from 11am.

The family have asked if we could spread the word in the hope that a lot of money is raised for this very worthwhile cause.

If you would like to donate, please visit [www.justgiving.com/paul-rusling](http://www.justgiving.com/paul-rusling) or maybe pop along to the fundraising day on Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> June.

Thank you



## Pumps

Across the whole school we have noticed children with pumps that are either too small or broken. This causes a potential trip hazard for the children concerned. Could we please ask that you check your child's pumps are still fit for purpose?

Thank you

### Important dates for your Diary

Collective Worship

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month (1pm)

### Key Future Dates

Year 3 Swimming Lessons (Friday's 2-3pm for 18 wks.)	Commencing Fri, 27 <sup>th</sup> February 2015
Starfish 'Stay & Play' (Reception parents)	Every Tuesday (except 28 <sup>th</sup> April)
Y2 Cricket Festival	Tuesday, 19 <sup>th</sup> May 2015
The Big Dance	Friday, 22 <sup>nd</sup> May 2015
School closes	Friday, 22 <sup>nd</sup> May 2015
School opens	Tuesday, 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2015
<b>(Please note school is closed on Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> June 2015 – Staff Training Day)</b>	
Lions visit to Yorkshire Sculpture Park	Monday, 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2015
Year 5 visit to Campsmount	Tuesday, 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2015 (am only)
Dolphins visit to Eureka	Tuesday, 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2015
Sports Day	Wednesday, 17 <sup>th</sup> June 2015 (1.30pm)
Sports Day (alternative date if weather doesn't allow)	Friday, 19 <sup>th</sup> June 2015 (1.30pm)
New Starters Transition Day 1	Wednesday, 24 <sup>th</sup> June 2015
Starfish 'Show & Tell performance'	Friday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> July @ 9.10am
Kirk Smeaton Summer Fair	Saturday, 4 <sup>th</sup> July 2015
Year 6 transition day to Campsmount	Tuesday, 7 <sup>th</sup> July 2015
2 <sup>nd</sup> Transition Day for new starters	Tuesday, 7 <sup>th</sup> July 2015
Year 6 Leavers Assembly	Monday, 13 <sup>th</sup> July 2015 (2pm)
Starfish Graduation	Tuesday, 14 <sup>th</sup> July 2015 (9.10am)
School closes	Friday, 17 <sup>th</sup> July 2015
Eagles Class Residential	Monday, 28 <sup>th</sup> Sept to Wed, 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2015
Lions Class Residential	Monday, 19 <sup>th</sup> Oct to Tues, 20 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2015

Kind Regards,  
Mrs A Marner  
Admin Officer

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