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Friday 24th October 2025

Dear Parents/Carers

We come to the end of a very busy half term with all classes enjoying many exciting activities in school. Mr Jackson's Class won the attendance award this week with a fantastic 100%, well done to them, they celebrated with our usual box of maltesers. After half term we will be starting our new lunchtime menu.

Christian Distinctiveness

Thank you to everyone who joined us for Miss Ghorst's class poetry assembly in school this morning. It was fantastic to see so many parents there and I am sure you will agree, they did a wonderful job. We were pleased to be joined by Julie from the Filey Lions during collective worship this week. Julie introduced a fantastic competition: the children are challenged to create a design that will feature on a series of commemorative cards for the Filey Lions. 'Community, Compassion & Friendship' are our core values, which are at the heart of everything we do.

SEND Page

This is a polite reminder to please take a moment to look at the Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) page on our school website. You can easily locate this page under the 'Key Info' section. Here, you will find important documents such as the SEND Policy and the SEND Information Report. The Information Report, in particular, contains essential details about the SEND provision within the school and outlines the process for parents who have concerns about their child possibly having additional needs. Additionally, this page provides useful information regarding the tools we use in school to support children's social, emotional, and mental health needs, including programs like Zones of Regulation and My Happy Mind. You will also find helpful links to external resources, websites, and parent support groups. Should you have any questions after reviewing the information, please feel free to contact the main office, and I will be happy to get back to you. Many thanks Miss Williams

Unlocking Autism Course

This is a free course specifically designed for parents and carers of children and young people with communication and interaction needs. All details, including course content and booking instructions, are provided in the attached leaflet.

Poppy Appeal 2025

After the half term we will continue to sell poppies and other poppy merchandise (wristbands, keyrings, bracelets) in school.. Money raised will go to The Royal British Legion.

Nursery News

This week in Nursery we have been thinking about Bonfire night and how to be safe if we go to a Bonfire night party or organised event in the half term holiday. We discussed the Filey Lions Bonfire event and all the children said they would stay safe by holding a grown ups hand if they were to go. Some of the children made some wonderful bonfire and firework pictures which we sent home throughout the week. Our rhyme of the week has been 1,2,3,4,5, Once I caught a fish alive.

Reception News

Reception have had a great final week of their first half term in school. In Maths we have been ordering numbers 1-5 on a numberline and started to make our own 1-5 number lines. In phonics we have been practising all the sounds we have learnt so far. This half term we have been thinking about people who help us and today we were very excited to be joined by paramedics from Filey Ambulance Station. We particularly enjoyed getting to look around the first response cars and asking all our

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questions to the paramedics. We are looking forward to exploring our new topic 'Terrific Tales' next half term.

Year One News

Year 1 has had a busy last week of term. In Literacy Miss Ghorst's Class have been busy preparing and practising their poetry assembly and Miss Ring's Class have been writing the story of The Storm Whale. In maths this week we have been practising finding 1 more and 1 less within 5 and also learnt to represent parts and the whole in a bar model. During Art we have been learning to use the primary colours to mix secondary colours and have been using this new knowledge to create beautiful paintings of beach huts. In Computing we continued our learning about e-safety thinking about the Tell rule. We role played and thought about who we would talk to if we were worried about something we saw whilst online. In Music we have been singing the sea shanties A Sailor Went To Sea and The Ally Ally Oh.

Year Two News

This week, Year 2 have continued to explore the story 'Pandora.' They have learned about the features of a letter and planned and written their own letter from Pandora to her friend the bird. In maths they have continued learning about adding 3 single digit numbers, using different strategies to help them. During science they learned about food chains and how different animals rely on each other for food in their habitats. During DT they created and evaluated their clay boats. During PSHE they thought about how they can help to make their classroom a safe and happy place to learn. During PE they used their attacking and defending skills to play team games.

Remember we are here to help however we can, if you have any concerns or questions please just ask. Please see the diary dates below which now go up until the end of this term 19th December 2025 so everyone has plenty of notice to plan ahead.

Best Wishes Mrs Angela Clark & Mrs Hannah Stubbs Co-Headteachers

Diary Dates - Please keep these dates safe for your information (more dates will be added as they arise).

November

Tuesday 4th November – school opens

Thursday 6th November - After School PE club for Year 1

Thursday 6th November - Reverend Phil leads Collective Worship

Monday 10th November - Last Wonder Time for group 1

Tuesday 11th November - Remembrance Service for year 2 children

Friday 14th November - Children In Need Day

Monday 17th November - First Wonder Time for group 2

Thursday 20th November - Last swimming lesson for Mr Jackson's class

Thursday 27th November - First swimming lesson for Miss Haldenby's class

Thursday 27th November - Year 2 visit St John's Church (Christmas Labyrinth)

Friday 28th November - Non Uniform Day (bring a bottle for the Christmas Fair)

December

Monday 1st December - Storytelling Worship Time from St John's Church Tuesday 2nd December - Nursery new starters 'Stay and Play Session' 1.30-2.30pm

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Wednesday 3rd December - Nursery new starters 'Stay and Play Session' 1.30-2.30pm

Thursday 4th December - Reverend Phil leads Collective Worship

Friday 5th December - School Christmas Fair 3.10pm-4.30pm

Monday 8th December - Year 1 Christmas production 1.30pm

Tuesday 9th December - Year 1 Christmas production 9.30am

Tuesday 9th December - Year 2 Christmas production 1.30pm

Wednesday 10th December - Year 2 Christmas production 9.30am

Wednesday 10th December - Nursery & Reception Christmas production 2pm

Thursday 11th December - Nursery & Reception Christmas production 9.30am

Monday 15th December - Year 1 and Year 2 Christmas Party 1pm

Tuesday 16th December - Christingle Service at St John's Church

Tuesday 16th December - Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper Day

Wednesday 17th December - Year 1 and Year 2 Panto Trip to Scarborough Spa

Wednesday 17th December - Nursery & Reception Christmas Party 1pm

Thursday 18th December - Nursery and Reception visit The Stephen Joseph Theatre

Friday 19th December - School Closes



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