



Friday 15th May 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who joined us for the Year 2 enterprise events this week. It was wonderful to see such a fantastic turnout! This week, **Miss Williams Class** achieved the highest attendance with a fantastic 98%, earning themselves a box of Maltesers to enjoy. Next week lunch will be on the following menu 3. Please see this attached to your email.

Christian Distinctiveness

This week, we were delighted to welcome Major Geoff for a special collective worship in school. He shared an inspiring message about the importance of authenticity, encouraging our children to embrace their true selves and celebrate the unique qualities that make each of us special. It was a wonderful opportunity for the children to reflect on their own strengths and appreciate the diversity within our school community.

Year 1 Enterprise

Next week, Miss Ghorst and Miss Ring's classes will be hosting their enterprise events, showcasing their hard work and creativity. We begin with Miss Ring's class on **Tuesday 19th May**, followed by Miss Ghorst's class on **Thursday 21st May**. It's set to be a fantastic event and we look forward to seeing you there to support these budding entrepreneurs!

National Literacy Trust event.

The National Literacy Trust is bringing two days of free, family-friendly fun to Scarborough with their Big Stories Tent, featuring storytelling and book gifting at every stop. On Sunday the 24th, join the "Big Ideas By The Sea" event at Scarborough Castle (offering free entry to the castle and all activities), where children aged 0–11 can dive into a fantasy-themed day of creative world-building. The excitement continues at Crescent Gardens for "Scarborough Streets," featuring a morning craft session for EYFS children to create banners and an afternoon "Compass Emporium" workshop for older children to weave tales using mysterious found objects. Don't miss out on these fantastic opportunities to spark your child's imagination and pick up some free books!

School Photos

You should have received an email containing the link and instructions to order your child's class photo. If you haven't received the link or encounter any issues during the ordering process, please contact the school office for assistance.

School Reports

This year, all school reports will be sent electronically.. We will be moving to a digital-first approach this year, sending all reports directly to your Arbor account. Along with the main report, we will include relevant statutory data, such as Phonics Screening or EYFS profiles. You'll also receive a follow-up email confirming who your child's teacher will be next year! If you have any trouble logging into or navigating Arbor, please stop by the school office. Our team will be happy to help.

SEN Summer Review Meetings

As the academic year draws to a close, Miss Williams will be conducting SEN Summer Review meetings for all children on the SEN register. For parents of pupils in Year 2, these meetings are scheduled for Monday, 15th June, between 9:00 am and 12:00 pm; Mrs. Grice, the Junior School SENCO, will also be in attendance to assist with transition planning. Reviews for children in Nursery, Reception, and Year 1 will take place on Monday, 22nd June, from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. Please



ensure you book your appointment through the Arbor app, and should you have any further questions, do not hesitate to contact the admin office.

Nursery News

This week in Nursery we have been thinking about the sound Z as in zoo, zip and zebra. We have been counting ladybirds on leaves by assigning true value to numbers, such as recognizing that '3' corresponds to a group of three objects etc. We have also planted some garlic and pumpkins, which we covered over with a net to stop the birds eating them! Talking of birds we found a baby robin in the outdoor area so we all came inside whilst its mum and dad got it to safety. Well done Nursery for saving the baby bird.

Reception News

Reception have had another lovely week. In maths we have been practising our addition skills by putting the biggest number in our head and counting on to find the total. In Literacy we have been reading the story of Oliver's fruit salad. In PSHE we have been learning about strangers and safe strangers, helping us to stay safe. Throughout the week we have enjoyed continuing to look after our sunflowers and watch them grow.

Year One News

In literacy this week the children have planned and written a fact file on an animal of their choice. In Maths they have started looking at halving and doubling. In science they have been looking at the key characteristics and identifying amphibians and reptiles. In Art we looked at the sculptures of Elizabeth Frink and then created their own clay animals. This week has been Mental Health Awareness week and the children and staff have been thinking about their own personal 5 ways to wellbeing. Miss Ghorst's class had their first swimming lesson yesterday and everyone had a fantastic time. We look forward to seeing you all next week at our class enterprises. Miss Ring's is Tuesday 19th and Miss Ghorst's on Thursday 21st May.

Year Two News

This week, Year 2 have enjoyed preparing for and delivering their class enterprises about identity and diversity. Thank you to everyone who came to support them. In literacy they have shared the story of 'Ossiri and the Bala Mengro.' They have made predictions about the text and described the character of Ossiri. They have also written descriptions of one of the settings from the story. In maths they have continued to learn about measuring mass in grams and kilograms and have also started to explore capacity and volume. During their science lesson they have continued to observe the changes that have happened to the seeds they planted. In computing they have made their own beebot mats and used them to create their own algorithms. In RE they shared the bible story 'The Pearl of Great Price' and thought about what matters most to them. For Mental Health Awareness Week, they thought of 5 ways to wellbeing and also enjoyed taking part in the Schools' Big Workout live lesson with Joe Wicks. They also enjoyed a live Lyfta lesson on Wednesday and learnt about composting and what we can do to look after our planet.

Remember we are here to help however we can, if you have any concerns or questions please just ask

Best Wishes

Mrs Angela Clark & Mrs Hannah Stubbs
Co-Headteachers



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

May

Tuesday 19th May - Miss Ring's class Enterprise 2.30pm
Thursday 21st May - Miss Ghorsts' class Enterprise 2.30pm
Friday 22nd May - Wear a hat to school day - Dementia Awareness
Friday 21st May- School Closes

June

Monday 1st June - SCHOOL CLOSED - staff training day
Wednesday 10th June - Reception new starters parent meeting - 2.30pm and 5.50pm
Thursday 11th June - Reverend Phil leads Collective Worship in school
Monday 15th June - Year 3 teachers come to visit our Year 2 pupils
Tuesday 16th June - Reception Outdoor Education Day - Filey Beach
Friday 19th June - Year 2 Outdoor Education Day - Wydale Hall
Monday 22nd June - Year 3 teachers come to visit our Year 2 pupils
Tuesday 23rd June - Year 1 Outdoor Education Day - Glenn Gardens
Thursday 25th June - Reception Enterprise
Friday 26th June - Non Uniform Day - bring a bottle for the summer fair
Friday 26th June - School Reports go out to parents/carers
Monday 29th June - A group of year 3 pupils come to visit our year 2 children
Tuesday 30th June - School Open Evening 4pm-6pm

July

Thursday 2nd July - NO SWIMMING for Miss Ghorsts' class
Thursday 2nd July - Whole School Transition Day - Y2 children transition day at Filey Juniors
Friday 3rd July - Year 2 children 2nd transition day at Filey Juniors
Monday 6th July - Storytellers Collective Worship
Monday 6th July - Sports Day - Nursery & Reception classes 1.10pm
Tuesday 7th July - Sports Day - Year 1 & Year 2 classes 1.10pm
Thursday 9th July - Reverend Phil leads Collective Worship in school
Friday 10th July - School Summer Fair 3.10pm-4.30pm
Tuesday 14th July - End of year Service at St John's Church
Thursday 16th July - Last swimming session for Miss Ghorst's class
Thursday 16th July - Year 2 Leavers Party 5pm-6.30pm
Friday 17th July - Year 2 Leavers Assembly 11am
Friday 17th July - Family Picnic 12pm
SCHOOL CLOSES

School re-opens on Tuesday 8th September



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