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Dear Parents and Carers

8 March 2024

As a school, we are a 'reading school' every day, not just on World Book Day, but Yesterday was a magical day as we celebrated World Book Day. It was lovely to see the array of costumes and the enthusiasm towards reading. We had a special assembly with author, AF Harold, children met with their book buddies and a number of secret readers popped up in various classes across the school.

Year 2 also welcomed the author and illustrator of Nettle and Doc, Sacha and Thomas Webborn. Children sang, listened to the story and completed craft activities. All year 2 pupils also received a copy of Nettle and Doc.



We believe that the teaching of reading is integral to a child's understanding and appreciation of the world around them, allowing them to explore possibilities both imagined and real and develop the vocabulary needed to express themselves effectively. Our reading curriculum strives to foster a love of reading in all pupils. We cultivate the reading behaviours and teach the techniques needed for pupils to access, understand and discuss texts fully.

TT ROCK STARS – The excitement continued today with a KS2 TTR battle in the hall. There was live music and lots of cheering and encouragement for representatives from each class battling it out with their times tables. All KS2 children are able to take part in the latest KS2-wide battle of the bands from 4pm today, until 8pm on Wednesday by logging into TTR. Please contact your child's class teacher if your child has misplaced their username or password.

CROSS COUNTRY – The next cross country event will once again take place at Scarborough RUFC on Tuesday 12th March for years 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. If your child would like to take part, they need to collect a race number from me to wear at the event and be at the rugby club at the following times:

4.00 – Y2 Girls 4.05 – Y2 Boys	4.10 – Y3 Girls 4.20 – Y3 Boys	4.30 – Y4 Girls 4.40 – Y4 Boys	4.50 – Y5 Girls 5.00 – Y5 Boys	5.10 – Y6 Girls 5.20 – Y6 Boys
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EGG DECORATING – This year we will be holding an egg decorating competition. All entries should be named and brought in during the final week of term (w/c 18th March), ready for judging on Friday 22nd March.



STARS EASTER BINGO – Wednesday 20 March

Doors open 5.15pm ready for eyes down at 5.30pm
£3 per book – Pay on the door.
Please bring your own dabbers!



Egg prize donations will be greatly appreciated; please hand them to the school office.

PARENTS' EVENINGS – It was lovely to see so many parents attending this week's parents' evening. There are still a few appointments left for next week's parents' evening (Tuesday 12th March) which can be booked by ringing the school office.

STAYING SAFE – We have become aware of a number of pupils playing online games which are not deemed age appropriate, with children as young as 5 talking about playing Call of Duty and GTA (18+).

Common Sense Media is a great website to check the age ratings and what other parents think of TV shows, books, games, apps and films:

<https://www.common sense media.org/>

FREE MINIS HOCKEY COACHING – Scarborough Hockey Club are running free coaching sessions on Monday 11th March and Monday 18th March at 6.15-7.15pm at Scarborough College for children aged 6-10 years old. This is a chance for children to try hockey. If numbers are sufficient, this coaching will run weekly from September. Please note that children must wear shin pads and a gum shield – all other equipment is provided.

COMIC RELIEF – FRIDAY 15 MARCH

The School Council have organised a

'WEAR ANYTHING RED' - CASUAL CLOTHES DAY and have requested a £1.00 donation be made. All money raised will be shared to Comic Relief and the Breast Cancer Now. As always, this shows great sensitivity and maturity and I thank them for their work.



MENU W/C 11 March 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Crunchy Topped Mac & Cheese Cheesy Bean Loaded Potato Skins Garlic Bread	Sausage & Mashed Potato Veg Hot Pot Gravy Bread	Minced Beef & Dumplings Cheesy Leek Croquette Roast Potatoes Wholemeal Bread	Chicken Korma & Rice Veg & Sweet Potato Bake Naan Bread	Fish Fingers Vegetable Roll Chips, Ketchup Crusty Bread
Chicken Sandwich	Ham Sandwich	Tuna Sandwich	Cheese Sandwich	Egg Mayo Sandwich
Veggie Chilli Jacket Potato	Cheese Jacket Potato	Baked Bean Jacket Potato	Tuna Jacket Potato	VG Baked Bean Jacket Potato
Jam Doughnut Muffin	Oatie Apple Crumble & Custard	Chocolate Orange Mousse Pot with Melting Moment	Cheese & Biscuit	Berry Iced Bun

KEY DATES

12.03.24 -	Parents' evening
15.03.24 -	Comic Relief Day
W/C 18.03.24 -	Decorate an egg competition
19.03.24	Tempest Photography in school – Class Photographs
20.03.24	Easter Bingo
21.03.24 -	Y5 East Barnby information parents' meeting (3.40pm)
22.03.24 -	School closes for Easter
09.04.24 -	Summer term begins

Yours sincerely

Robert Webb
Headteacher

