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TASA Swimming Gala

A huge CONGRATULATIONS to our Swimming Team who came back to school last Thursday with a whole host of medals. Not only did they do well individually, and in the relay races - but as a team they ended up 'Top of the Table,' four points clear of second place!! So TASA Swimming Gala Champions 2024!! Another Trophy to add to our Cabinet!!



Year 3's Class Worship

Miss Jagger and Year 3 were scheduled to deliver their Year 3 Class Worship to the rest of the school (and Year 3 parents / carers) on 26^{th} April. However, we apologise and are now having to delay this by one week. It is now on Friday 3^{rd} May at 3.50pm in the school hall.

All Year 3 family members are invited to come and watch on the 3rd... Just take a seat at the back!!

Attendance Data for Last Week

Last week a very pleasing 186 pupils (92.5% of the children) attending school for 100% of the time - they didn't miss one session of school.

7 children (from 5 different families) were late for school at least once (after 9.00am).

The best attending class for the week was, once again, a draw between Mrs Warburton's Reception Class and Mrs Seeley's Year 1 Class!! Well done to both!!

This Week's Worship Theme

St George's Day

Celebration Worship

We had a very busy Celebration Worship last Friday - sorry that we were a bit late out!! The children who made it to the bench were...

Reception	Dolly		
Year 1	Frank		
Year 2	Flynn		
Year 3	Edward		
Year 4	Oscar		
Year 5	Henry and Jenson		
Year 6	'The Spotlight Actors'		
Headteacher Award	Poppy, Bonnie, Hallie and Violet in Reception Class		

Findings from our Parent Questionnaire Spring 2024

During our Spring Term 'Face to Face' Spring Parents' evenings, I invited as many parents / carers as possible to complete a Parent Questionnaire. This is based on the Questions as by <u>Parent view</u> - the platform that Ofsted use when they are Inspecting Schools and seeking the views of Parents. 120 questionnaires were completed over the course of the 2 nights, and over the next few weeks I will 'talk you through' the results.

Question 3 asked for your response to the statement: 'The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved.'















Only 1 parent/carer said that they disagreed, with 3 saying that they 'didn't know'.

I know that, on occasions, our children are not always the 'Angels' we would like them to be - but I think that they know the school rules well and try as much as they can to keep the THT Family happy. When Ofsted last visited us in July 2023, they stated that, 'Pupils behave well and are respectful and polite towards others. They strive to follow the school's golden rules for positive behaviour, which include 'always being polite, kind and respectful to everyone' and 'trying as hard as we can in everything we do'. Pupils benefit from well-embedded routines that support their learning and behaviour. Learning is not disrupted due to poor behaviour.'

With regard to the Questionnaire, the other 96% of parents / carers (who completed a questionnaire) agreed that 'The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved.'

There again, the one parent who disagreed I had a chat with one the evening and fully appreciate the reasons for their answer.

Lunches

Week 3 of the New Summer menu - Week beginning 29th April

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Booths Pork Sausages in a Bun with Tortilla Chips and Salad	Golden Crumb Salmon Fillet Fingers with Paprika Potato Wedges and a Vegetable Medley	Roast Chicken with Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Vegetables	Picnic Lunch – A Sandwich or a Wrap, Mini Sausage Roll, Tortilla Chips and Vegetable Sticks	Golden Crumb Fish Fingers with Chips and Peas
or	or	or	or	or
Tomato and Italian Herb Pasta with Salad	Tondo Pizza Panini with Paprika Potato Wedges and a Vegetable Medley	Tomato and Mascarpone Pasta with Salad	Beef Pasta Bolognaise with Salad	Homemade Pizza Margherita with Chips and Baked Beans or Peas

House point Update:

Last week our green Asland team won the most team points - although Yarrow leads the House point competition for the term.

Our Search for Miss Iddon's 'Cover'.

An advert went out very recently - looking for a person to cover Miss Iddon in September, whilst she is off school on Maternity Leave. To view the advert, click here.

Thanks for reading...yours sincerely,

Stephen B. Smith (Headteacher)

Did you know...

23rd April is St George's Day - the Patron Saint of England. According to Wikipedia...



Saint George's Day is the feast day of Saint George, notably England's patron saint, but celebrated also by Christian churches, countries, and regions of which he is the patron saint, including Bulgaria, Ethiopia, Greece, Georgia, Portugal, Romania, Syria, Lebanon, Catalonia, Alcoi, Aragon, and Rio de Janeiro.

Saint George's Day is celebrated on 23 April, the traditionally accepted date of the saint's death. It coincides with the assumed birth and actual death dates of English playwright and poet William Shakespeare.