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WEEKLY NEWS

It's been great to see the children getting back into their normal routines this week - swimming lessons, clubs, phonics and guided reading, singing assemblies, lessons in a wide variety of subjects... everything is working as though the children have never been away! Hopefully your children will have shared with you the new things that they've already learned. Sapphires have been looking forward to Friday as they knew that something special was happening: we have introduced weekly keyboard lessons, starting with Sapphires! The lessons are being delivered by Mrs Hebden, a teacher from the North Yorkshire Music Service, who we have employed for an hour each week. Hopefully the children will be able to share what they've learned in a future assembly.



AWARDS - CONGRATULATIONS!!

GOLD AWARDS:



- Tia Hoaksey and Toby Ayers** - using a wow word and giving an explanation of its meaning.
- Harry Revill** - a super start to the new year in Diamonds.
- Lola** - an amazing attitude to everything she does.
- Liam Nicholson** - coming back a mature Year 6, impressing adults around school.
- Hollie Smith** - trying hard in all lessons and being a good role model.
- Edward Howdle and Jack Bailey** - excellent partner work in maths.

SMIRFS



- James Copeland** - Saturn.
- Alex Toes** - Earth.

ATTENDANCE

Our attendance target is 97%. Attendance for the week ending 8th September was Rubies 100%, Diamonds 98.2%, Emeralds 96% and Sapphires 94.7%.

Last week's winners were **Rubies Class** and **Dylan**. This week's winners are **Rubies Class** and **Summer Potter**.

Well done Bronwen!

Inspired by the Great North Run, Bronwen Mitchell ran 120 laps of the garden to raise £18! She used all of the money to buy a trolley load of food to donate to the Knottingley Foodbank. Well done Bronwen!



Pupil Information Forms

Thank you to everyone who has returned their forms. It is vital that we have up to date contact numbers and email addresses to ensure that we can contact you should there be an emergency. If you haven't yet checked your child's form, please do so and return to school on Monday. Thank you.

Absence During Term Time

As you are aware, parents/carers must obtain the schools permission before making any arrangements for leave during term time, otherwise the absence will be recorded as unauthorised. No parent/carer can demand leave of absence as of right. The Education regulations state that applications for leave must be made in advance by a parent with whom the child lives and can only be authorised by the school in exceptional circumstances. Each application is considered individually by the school. If you need to make such a request, please contact the school office to make an appointment with Mrs Parker.

Jeans For Genes Non Uniform Day



All the children are invited to come to school dressed in jeans next Friday 22nd September, in exchange for a minimum donation of £1 to Jeans for Genes Charity.

High School Open Days

Sherburn High - Saturday 23rd September
10:00 am - 2:00 pm.

Brayton Academy - Saturday 30th November
10:00 - 1:00 pm.

The Snaith School - Wednesday 4th October
from 5:00 pm (see school website).

Selby High - Monday 2nd October 6:30 pm -
9:00 pm.

Diane Parker & the School Team