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Weekly News

We have had a super week with lots of fabulous work being produced across school - it's always great when children have done things which they and their teacher are so proud of that it is shared with other adults in school.

Following concerns that were raised about some of the children's understanding of road safety we were pleased to welcome Ann Smallwood, Road Safety and Travel Awareness Officer for the Selby area, into school on Wednesday. She spoke to the children in assembly about road safety, before doing some work specially aimed at Nursery and Reception, and Years 1, 2, 3 and 4 to help them learn and use the Green Cross Code. If your children haven't told you about it then see if they can share what they learned.



KS2 Football

A group of Y5/6 boys represented the school in an inter-school football tournament at Sherburn High School this week. During the afternoon they played against four other schools, demonstrating good teamwork and sportsmanship. Although they didn't win they played extremely well together and really enjoyed the afternoon.



AWARDS - CONGRATULATIONS!!

GOLD AWARDS:



Logan Horner - great enthusiasm and improvement in his reading.

Marshall Mills - super independent maths work.

Neive Lister - being a top tidier.

Ava McLean - being a super sitter.
Kane Tolson - good spelling homework.
Alex Toes - super maths.
Alfie Thompson - enthusiasm for maths.
Macie Banks - enthusiasm in English.

ATTENDANCE:

Our attendance target is 97%. Attendance for week ending 23rd September was; Rubies 99.3%, Diamonds 94.5%, Emeralds 97.6% and Sapphires 98.8%.

This week's winners are **Emeralds Class** and **Mia Hayes**.

Goodbye & Good Luck

We are sad to let you know that Miss Hill will be leaving us next Friday. Whilst we are sorry to see her leave, we are sure you would like to join us in wishing her all the best in her new job.

School Start Times

Children can start coming into school at 8:35 am for registration at 8:45 am. Please make sure that your child arrives on time, but is not unattended in the playground before this time, as we are not insured for their supervision before 8:35 am. Thank you.

Harvest Festival Assembly



Please come and join us for our Harvest Festival on Friday 7th October in the school hall at 9:15 am. It promises to be a lovely event with all of the classes sharing harvest songs or work that they have prepared. As usual we will be collecting food donations - both fresh and otherwise, so please send them in on the day before.

Jeans for Genes Day

A big thank you to everyone who dressed in denim and donated last Friday, helping us to raise a brilliant £103.67!

Website Calendar

You may have noticed that the calendar on our website is up to date with all events, however the times shown are incorrect! This is a problem with the online Google calendar and hopefully the errors will be rectified soon.

PTA News

Thank you to all who made it to our Macmillan Coffee Morning this morning. Thank you also to all who took time to provide the scrumptious baking, buns and biscuits. We are yet to count the cash, so I will let you know next week how much we raised.



Our weekly Haribo tuck shop will begin this Friday, so don't forget your 20p, Friday is Feast Day after all!

Congratulations to Sue Summers, who has won the 'Guess the Number of Spots on the Cake' competition, with her guess of 496 (the correct answer being 495). Sue can collect her prize from me!

Plans have been made for the Halloween disco on 20th October, so start getting your

costumes ready. There will be prizes for the best home-made costume and the best pumpkin carving, one prize per key stage. Watch this space for more information closer to the event.

I have had lots of offers of help at PTA events, thank you, but the more the merrier. If anyone else would like to offer their services, please get in touch via the school. Happy Friday! **Sarah West**.

Easyfundraising



Did you know that whenever you buy anything online - from your weekly shop to your annual holiday - you could be raising money for Kellington Primary School. There are over 3,000 shops and sites on board ready to make a donation, including Amazon, John Lewis, Aviva, thetrainline and Sainsbury's - it doesn't cost you a penny extra! It's as easy as 1, 2, 3...

1. Head to

<https://new.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/kellingtonprimary> and join for free.

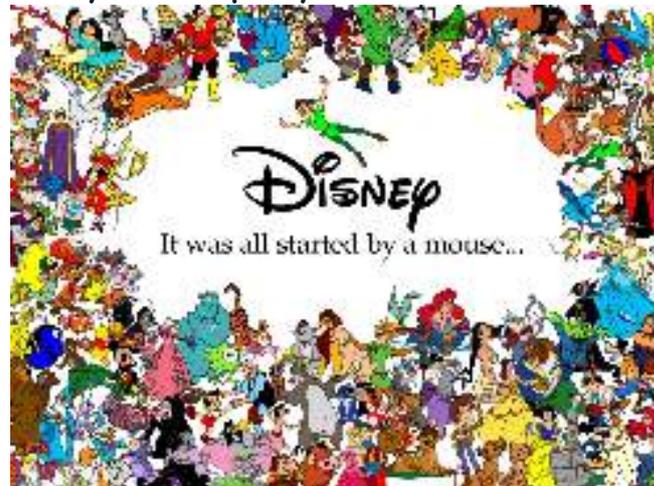
2. Every time you shop online, go to easyfundraising first to find the site you want and start shopping.

3. After you've checked out, that retailer will make a donation to your good cause for no extra cost whatsoever!

There are no catches or hidden charges and we will be really grateful for your donations.

Thank you for your support.

Disney Dress Up Day



All the children are invited to come to school dressed as their favourite Disney character on the last day of this half term, Friday 21st October. This is just for fun - so no need to send in any money.

Training Day

Don't forget that the children are not in school next Monday 3rd October, as this is a staff training day.

Kind Regards

Diane Parker & the School Team