

'Feelgood' Friday Newsletter

23rd September 2016



Y6 Bridge Building - Y6 visited St Peter's to take part in a bridge building project ran by I.C.E. (Institute of Civil Engineering). They learnt how civil engineering makes every day life more easy for everyone. Firstly children were kitted out with hard hats, hi-vis jackets and protective gloves before taking on the role of pinners, scaffolders, platform erectors and each team also had a project manager. All children had to work together using good communication skills, team work whilst being aware of safety aspects. Thirty two cables were attached to a metal A frame and the platform, which was suspended from them, to create a cable stayed bridge which the children each walked across. The children all showed exceptional skills and thoroughly enjoyed this experience.

Sunflower Nursery (2 year old provision) - Normanby Primary School - Sunflower Nursery has been open since June 2015. We are now able to offer a small number of 'private' places. These are available on both a morning and afternoon session. A session would be 3 hours long and it would be £15.00 per session (Morning Session - 8:40am - 11:40am / Afternoon Session - 12:25pm - 3:25pm). Please email office@normanby.org.uk or contact the office to complete the paperwork required if you are interested.

Cooking Apples - We still have lots of cooking apples available to purchase. These will be 'on sale' for a 'gold coin donation'. The apples are in bags of approximately 1kg (present Tesco price is £1.40 per kg). Lots of apples = lots of crumbles - don't forget to add lashings of custard, mmmmmmm! Please see a member of staff in the Main Office.

Harvest Festival Collection - Last Year, Year 1 supported the Trussell Trust (a local charity) and collected food for the foodbank. This year we would like to work together as a whole school and collect food to donate to the charity. We would like to link this to our harvest festival celebrations. Any donations of tinned food, cereals, pasta, biscuits etc would be gratefully received. The Trussell Trust have been invited to attend our whole school assembly on Wednesday 12th October and they will collect all donations on this date. If you are able to contribute then please ensure all donations are sent in to school by **Tuesday 11th October**. Thank you for your support.

Tag Rugby Development Day - Y3/4 children attended a Tag Rugby Event last Thursday, taking part in a carousel of events and played some friendly matches in the afternoon. The children had a fantastic day despite the weather!



Y2 Swimming - Y2 children have been swimming every day for the past two weeks. They have worked really hard and have made progress with lots of certificates on the way - well done to you all!

Y3 Science Show - Y3 enjoyed a visit to the Theatre yesterday in Billingham where they participated in The Science Show. One of the pupils - Harry Kay was a wonderful volunteer on stage for an experiment with static electricity. Favourite parts of the show were exploding cannons filled with hydrogen fluid which sent out big smoke rings, balls fired out of a cannon into the crowd, explosions which were really loud and hot, the children could feel the heat from their seats!. They also found out which filled balloon made the biggest bang - ones filled with hydrogen or pure oxygen or a mix of both - the balloon filled with both won. A plasma ball which when they turned the lights off lit a florescent tube red just like a light saber! Comments like "it was quite interesting" and "awesome" were heard from the children.

Upcoming Events

Y5 Bikeability - Monday, 26th September - 30th October

Y6 Ryedale Museum Visit - Tuesday, 27th September 8:45am—4:00pm

Y5 Class Assembly - Friday, 30th September 9:15am

Parent & Toddler Group - Friday, 23rd September 9:15am - 11:15am

GOLDEN TICKET WINNERS

Sunflower Nursery

FS1

Ava Bonaviedogo

FS2

Amelia Applegareth

Year 1

Joe Robinson

Year 2

Ava Beevers

Year 3

Rohan Nicol

Year 4

Kennan Chen

Year 5

Matthew Malt

Year 6

Millie Hand

Leighton Nimr

Holly Beatson

Harry Prest

Niamh Arkless

Eila Zaman

Calum Golden

Alfie James

Elicia Burns

Millie McGrother

Isaac Cooper

Joseph Werrett-Iverson

Anderson Russell

Phoebe Williams

Ruby Lester

Jack Shuttleworth

Annabelle Anyinsah

