



Goathland Primary School



Week 12 Newsletter: April 20th 2018

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Dates for your Diary

PE – Tennis on Tuesday mornings
PE on Fridays – *kit in school please*
Tuesday mornings - Music lessons



30th April – 4th May Visiting book fair

14 – 17 May - SATs

19 May - Spring Fair

13 June - Sports Day

14 June - Reserve Sports Day

Dear Parents, Carers and Families,

Thank you for welcoming me to Goathland Primary School. We have all had a great start to the term and it has been a pleasure to begin to get to know the school and meet everyone. What enthusiastic, polite and friendly children you have! I am very much looking forward to leading the school, working with the children and staff and being part of the school community.

In addition to this role, I am continuing my Deputy Headship at Stakesby Community Primary School, where I have been working for the past seven years. Therefore, I will be spending an equal amount of time in both schools during the week. Please be assured I will have close contact with all at Goathland should anything arise at a time when I am at Stakesby. I will be at Goathland on Mondays, Wednesdays (am or pm) and Fridays. Please feel free to contact me or just pop in to say hello! If you would like to contact me directly, please email me at:

headteacher@goathland.n-yorks.sch.uk

I look forward to working with you. Enjoy the weekend!

Helen Tillson

Certificate of Achievement



This week's winners are:

Base 1 – May Worley for working consistently hard in phonics and spelling!

Base 2 – Sapphire Eastaugh for using fabulous vocabulary and interesting sentence structures in her descriptive writing.



Quad Kids – A huge well done to our children in year 3 and 4 who attended Quad Kids at Caedmon on Wednesday. The children participated in a range of athletic events against all the local Whitby schools and secured **15th place** out of the 23 schools competing which is a great achievement, given the size of some of the other schools competing. Well done everyone!

SATs Busters Club Year 6 – Mrs Bordoli will be running a SATs club for the Year 6 children in preparation for the tests in May. Each Monday session is after school, **finishing at 4:20 pm.** on: **Monday 24 April and Monday 30 April.**

Tuesday SATs EXTRA – Mrs Bennion will be running a Maths SATs Extra club aimed at tackling some of our more difficult Maths topics on **Tuesdays from 3:15 to 4:00pm.**





Goathland Spring Fair – Saturday May 19th 2018

This year's Spring Fair will be held on Saturday 19th May 2018 at 2pm in the Village Hall. Donations for the Fair will be gratefully received!



Spring Fair Grand Raffle – Items for the Raffle can be brought into school anytime.

Other Items – (e.g. Toys, White Elephant, books etc). If you are not able to bring items to the Village Hall on Friday 18th May between 2.30 and 5.00 pm. please bring them to school.

Cakes – Cakes can be brought to the Village Hall on Saturday morning any time after 10 am.

Games – Base 2 pupils will be organising games as usual. Please can you support your child by providing a suitable prize for their game! Thanks.

The Fair is the school's yearly opportunity to raise money for our school fund which is used to purchase extra equipment and to finance various visits and activities to enhance the education of our children. We would be grateful for your full support and particularly help on the day. Please complete the slip below if you are able to help us! Thank you.



In the coming weeks we will be exploring how we can publicise the school and show off the exciting learning opportunities that the children have here – as well as finding a way of increasing communication. One of the ways this can be achieved is by setting up a **Goathland School Facebook page**. Look out for more information about this - it will be sent home shortly.

Newsletters – please note all newsletters can be found on our website for your reference.

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Please indicate below whether you are able to help out at this year's Spring Fair and return it to the school office.

Name/s.....

I am able to help out with preparations for the fair and during the fair.

I am able to help with preparations for the fair but unable to help during the fair.

I can help during the fair, including running a stall.

Thanks again for your help.