



We are deeply saddened by the news of the death of Her Majesty the Queen.

As an entire school community of staff, governors, children and parents, we send our thoughts and condolences to the Royal Family at this time.

Today the nation enters a period of mourning for Her Royal Highness Queen Elizabeth II who so sadly died yesterday at Balmoral. Many of our children will no doubt feel the shock of this news and this may present in different ways with different children. In school, staff will be paying close attention to the children's emotional state and will be on hand to help children to cope with any feelings of grief or sadness.

Reverend Helen Collings, Vicar of Sutton with Cowling & Lothersdale, has very kindly offered to support local schools in any way she can, and she has advised that they have opened Books of Condolence in each of their three churches: St Thomas Sutton, Holy Trinity Cowling & Christ Church Lothersdale. The church doors will be open during daylight hours on Friday and at the weekend also.



Dear Parents / Carers,

Even by usual Friday News standards, this is a packed edition, but please do take time to read it as Mrs. Ellison has included lots of very useful information about the new school year.

I hope that everyone has had a relaxing summer break and enjoyed happy times with family and friends. This week all the children have settled back into our routines really well and staff have been very impressed by how positively they have all started the new school year.

We are delighted to welcome all our new children to school and hope that they, and their families, have a very happy and successful time during their years at Lothersdale Primary School. They have settled in brilliantly and engaged with our class and school routines very quickly.

These children are:

Class 1 : Jude, Jax, Emma, Beulah, Vesper, Matilda, Harper, Meredith, George, Evie, Reggie, Alfie, Arthur, Alfred and Maxwell

Class 3 : Mila

Staff : Following a recruitment process last term, Mrs Pickard will now be working as a General Teaching Assistant in school, alongside her role as Midday Supervisor. She will be joining the Class 2 team on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and we wish her all the best in her new role.

Mrs Bateman will soon be inviting parents of the new starters to come in and watch her teaching phonics, and I would strongly urge each of you to attend one of these sessions, as it will help you greatly when reading with your child at home. A strong start in Early Reading makes a huge difference in educational attainment in years to come and further benefits the children by creating confident readers who really *enjoy* reading.

During the school holidays, some very exciting work took place in school as Mr Readshaw and his talented staff installed the **new school library** – it looks absolutely wonderful; thank you to him. Thank you also to all our staff who stayed after school on Thursday to re-stock the books on the shelves. We will share a photo gallery of the work in the library very soon, and children will be able to use it from next week.

Reading Plus Accounts have been set up for children in Years 4, 5 and 6, and I want to stress once again the importance of this online reading tool. Children who use it show greater reading confidence and score very well in assessments; please encourage your child to use it. If you would like to see it used in school, and maybe ask questions about its use, please feel free to drop in with your child at any of the Reading Plus morning sessions.

One of our key priority areas this year is attendance. Last year our attendance figure fell to below 95% - this is explained to some extent by Covid-related illnesses and isolations, but that will not be the case this coming year. I would like to stress again the vital importance of children being in school for every possible session. Every day missed, is learning that is lost, and that learning can be very hard to make up. Please help us by sending your child to school unless they really are too ill to come; please don't keep them home with just a sniffle or a cough – if they are actually unwell, we will of course call you. Children usually perk up the moment they are in the classroom with their friends.

Please do not book holidays during term time, as when children miss large blocks of learning, the learning gaps are sometimes never closed. I cannot authorise term-time holiday without evidence of exceptional circumstances, and we have to forward paperwork to the local authority who issue fines to parents. The county council are currently working through a backlog of work but will be issuing fines even for holidays taken last academic year.

We have traditionally maintained an attendance level close to 98%, and that is our target for this year. With your support, we will achieve this.

Ironically, having talked about attendance, I will not be in school next week from Wednesday to Friday, as I have to go into hospital for minor surgery. I should be back the following week, fit and healthy, if hobbling a little. Please contact Mrs. Ellison as usual if you need anything and she will forward urgent messages to me.

Enjoy the weekend.

Best Wishes

Colum Grogan

COLUM GROGAN



The lovely floral tribute in school this morning. Thank you to all who brought flowers.

Health & Safety Reminders

Food Allergy Warning ~ Nut Free Zone



Just to remind parents/carers at the beginning of the new school year that we do have a number of children in school with an allergy to nuts and one child with a severe allergy to peanuts. The school is now a nut free zone and we would ask that you ensure any nuts or products containing nuts are not brought into school. This is particularly important if your child is bringing a pack up into school. Thank you for keeping our children safe!

Before school

Please note that school registration is at 8.45am in class and children should be in school at this time. Members of staff will be on the school playground from 8.40am to direct all children into school ready for morning registration. If you arrive at school earlier, please supervise children accordingly until a member of staff is present. *Please note that vehicle access to the school playground is required up until 8.30am and therefore no-one should be on the playground before 8.35am for health and safety reasons.*

No children should be left unsupervised on the playground.

After School

Pick-Up: At the end of the day, children should be collected promptly at 3.15pm from the playground. Please note, however, that the last lesson of the day finishes at 3.10pm and parents/carers must remain outside the school premises until after this time, to allow children to return from the playing field or leave the playground.

We would ask that parents/carers leave the playground as soon as possible after collection as the playground may be used at 3.15pm for an after-school club.

Access to the Woodland Area

Please remember that access to the woodland area is not allowed outside normal school hours (before 9am and after 3.15pm). We would therefore be grateful if parents/carers could supervise children accordingly to ensure they do not enter the woodland area before and/or after school.

Traffic Management outside school

Please do not park at the bottom of the school drive where the cones are; we have a visually impaired child who needs to be close to school. Please ensure all family members are aware if dropping off or collecting.

Over the summer, the yellow and white markings outside school have been repainted and parking on the yellow zigzags or white lines is not permitted under any circumstances.

We would remind all parents/carers to park respectfully and avoid blocking any gates/school entrance etc. Not only is this an important health and safety issue but villagers, who do not have children in the school, still need to be able to travel freely through the village at these peak times. We would be grateful for your cooperation in this matter.

Mobile phones & cameras

Please note that, in line with our Safeguarding & Child Protection Policies, the use of mobile phones and cameras is not allowed anywhere on the school premises, without the prior permission of the Headteacher. We would be grateful if this information could be communicated to any relatives/friends, who may come onto the school premises with your child.



Photography/video recording

Whilst we want to allow you to record special moments in your children's lives e.g. participating in the Christmas concert, Sports Day, etc., we ask that you respect the wishes of other parents and our school policy, by not uploading any digital images or recordings on to the internet or other social media sites, from cameras and mobile phones, without other parents' permission.

Well done to this week's

Lothersdale LEGENDS

Reception ~ **All pupils**

Year 1 ~ **Nell**

Year 2 ~ **Grae**

Year 3 ~ **Mila**

Year 4 ~ **Jude**

Year 5 ~ **Chloe P**

Year 6 ~ **Maisie**



ADDITIONAL LEARNING SESSIONS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Class 4 READING PLUS 8.25 to 8.45am	Year 4 READING PLUS 8.25 to 8.45am	Class 4 READING PLUS 8.25 to 8.45am	Year 4 READING PLUS 8.25 to 8.45am	Class 4 READING PLUS 8.25 to 8.45am
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These clubs are for selected groups or pupils.

All pupils attending these clubs must be registered for safeguarding and health & safety reasons.

At the end of the afternoon sessions, please wait in the main playground to collect your child as per the normal end of school routine.

EXTENDED SCHOOLS' ACTIVITIES ~ AUTUMN TERM 2022 FIRST HALF

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Yoga 8.15 to 8.55am	Gymnastics 3.15 to 4.15pm	Drama 3.15 to 4.15pm	Rebel Girls Book Club 3.15 to 4.15pm	Dance Club 3.15 to 4.15pm
No Cross Country this week	Singing Club 3.15 to 4.15pm		Supersports 3.15 to 4.15pm	Mixed Football 3.15 to 4.15pm
Soccer Tots 3.15 to 4.15pm				

The member of staff/activity provider will bring the children out to the playground at the end of each session to ensure a safe handover to parents/carers.

SAVE THE DATE

Please note there may be circumstances in which these dates are subject to change. More information will follow at a later date about events listed below:

- Mon 19 Sep 2022** - LSA Annual General Meeting at 7.00pm in school (*see below*)
- Wed 21 Sep 2022** - Class 1 Bedtime Story Day
- Wed 28 Sep 2022** - KS2 Cross Country Event at SCS
- Mon 10 Oct 2022** - Author Visit (Jenny York)
- Tue 11 Oct 2022** - Harvest Festivals:
Class 1 & Class 2 in school at 8.55am
Class 3 & Class 4 at Christ Church Lothersdale at 2pm
- Mon 17 Oct 2022** - Parent Forum in the school hall at 8.45am
- Fri 21 Oct 2022** - School breaks up at 3.15pm for the half-term holiday
- Mon 31 Oct 2022** - School re-opens at 8.45am
- Deadline for full payment for Class 4 Marrick Priory residential visit
- Deadline for online submission of application for a secondary school place
- Tue 29 Nov 2022** - Parent Consultations ~ 2.00 to 8.00pm
- Wed 30 Nov 2022** - Parent Consultations ~ 2.00 to 5.30pm
- Sat 3 Dec 2022** - LSA Christmas Fair
- Tue 13 Dec 2022** - Christmas Lunch
- Thu 15 Dec 2022** - Christmas Party Day and Party Lunch (Non-school Uniform Day)
- Fri 16 Dec 2022** - No Class 3 swimming lesson
- School breaks up at 3.15pm for the Christmas holiday

DEADLINES & REMINDERS w/c 12 September 2021

It would be really helpful if requested reply slips/payments etc. could be returned by the stated deadlines to enable us to process the paperwork effectively this week. Thank you.

- Mon** - Extended Schools' Activities start (**NO Cross Country**)
- Deadline for completion of the Class 4 Murton Park online consent form and payment of parental contribution via ParentPay
- Tue** - Individual School Photographs ~ 1.15pm
- Thu** - Visit to Lothersdale Park Woods ~ Reception & Year 6 Buddies
- Fri** - Deadline for emailing school re school photographs, where required
- Class 3 swimming lesson

Class Structure from September 2022

Class	Year Group	Teacher	Support Staff
1	Reception	Mrs Bateman	Mrs Gallagher
2	1 and 2	Mr Craven	Miss Thompson, Mrs Huddy/ Mrs Pickard
3	3 and 4	Mrs Aldren	Miss Laycock
4	5 and 6	Mrs Fawcett	Mrs Hill & Mrs Binns

Additional Teaching

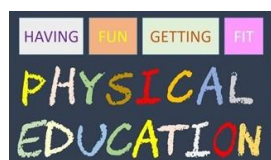
Mr Grogan will be supporting teaching arrangements in Class 4.

Gerry Harrison will continue to teach PE in all classes on a Thursday and Friday.

Mrs Turvey will continue to teach music to all classes in school on a Tuesday.

PE Sessions ~ Autumn Term

Our PE schedule for next term is listed below for your information:




- Class 1 - Monday ~ Football (Soccer Hub), Friday ~ FMS (Coach: Gerry)
- Class 2 - Monday ~ Football (Soccer Hub), Thursday ~ FMS (Coach: Gerry)
- Class 3 - Tuesday ~ Dance (Kanga Sports), Friday ~ Swimming
- Class 4 - Tuesday ~ Dance (Kanga Sports), Friday ~ Football (Coach: Gerry)

Children in Class 1, Class 2 and Class 3 will go home in their PE kit following the afternoon PE sessions. Please ensure they are returned to school in time for the next PE lesson.

Children in Class 3 and Class 4 will need to bring in a plastic bag for dirty boots/trainers after their outdoor sessions.

Lothersdale Primary School

Extended Schools'



Activities

Extended School Provision refers to services delivered by schools that go beyond the core function of the classroom education of children within the normal school day. Lothersdale Primary School offers these activities to children attending the school, which are run by staff or external providers. Parents/Carers must be available to collect children promptly at the end of each activity as most providers need to leave on time for other appointments. Please note that if you need **after school childcare**, this is provided by Lothersdale Out of School Club which is run independently from the school.

Extended Schools Activities will start on Monday 12 September 2022 (apart from Cross Country) and the activity lists are now available to view on the school website. ***Please ensure you check these lists prior to the activities taking place to avoid any confusion over the times you need to collect your child from school. All children must be collected promptly at the end of each session.***

Please note that children will use their PE kit for all indoor clubs, including dance, and **no** other clothing should be brought into school. Providers will ensure the children are changed back into their school uniform at the end of the session so that PE kit remains in school.

Children taking part in outdoor clubs ~ Cross Country, Football ~ can bring in additional sports clothing for these sessions only to ensure they are warm outside.

Cross Country Club ~ Monday 12 September 2022 (CANCELLED)

Unfortunately, due to unforeseen circumstances, we have had to cancel next week's Cross Country session and apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused. The club will start on Monday 19 September 2022.

School Photographs ~ Tuesday 13 September 2022


The photographer will be in school on Tuesday 13 September 2022 to take individual/family group (children only) photographs. A letter was sent out on Tuesday with further details and we would like to thank those parents/carers who have responded regarding sibling group photos. Please note that we cannot take photographs of sibling groups unless you have emailed the school office.

We would be grateful if you could ensure your child comes to school wearing full school uniform (including sweatshirt or cardigan) next Tuesday. No large or colourful hair accessories please!

Class 1 and Year 6 ~ Visit to Lothersdale Park Woods ~ Thursday 15 September 2022

Next Thursday, 15 September 2022, Class 1 will be walking over to Lothersdale Park to explore the woods with their Year 6 buddies. Please ensure all children have wellies and outerwear suitable for the weather conditions on the day.

Reading Plus ~ Year 4 and Class 4

 Children in Year 4 and Class 4 have completed the baseline assessment this week and, from Monday 12 September 2022, completing five 'reads' and one vocabulary exercise will be part of each child's weekly homework routine; this will also significantly increase your child's reading fluency and comprehension skills and give them a huge advantage as they progress through their schooling. If your child would prefer to complete some of these tasks in school, we will be holding Reading Plus sessions in school as follows:

Year 4 ~ Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 8.25am until 8.45am

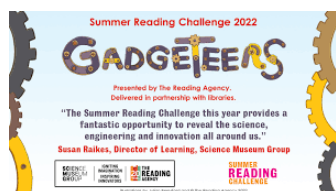
Class 4 ~ Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 8.25 until 8.45am

If your child would like to sign up to use this facility, please email Mrs Ellison, specifying which day/days they would like to attend. Thank you.

Class 4 visit to Murton Park ~ Friday 23 September 2022

A letter was emailed to all parents/carers on Wednesday regarding the Class 4 visit to Murton Park on Friday 23 September 2022. Please ensure the online consent form is completed, and the contribution paid via ParentPay, by Monday 12 September 2022, to enable us to finalise the documentation for this visit.

Summer Reading Challenge




As you know, the Summer Reading Challenge has been running in libraries during the holidays and has been a great success in North Yorkshire with over 7,500 children signing up. It has been a pleasure introducing children to new authors and encouraging them to keep reading during the long break. Those that have read all 6 books and received a medal have been thrilled with their achievement.

For those that started but haven't finished there is still time - the Challenge runs until **Saturday 10 September** ~ all you need to do is read the last few books and then pop into your local library to collect your rewards and medals. Certificates for completers will be collated over the next few weeks and sent out to schools for presentation.

Next LSA Meeting ~ Annual General Meeting ~ Monday 19 September 2022

The next LSA meeting will be the Annual General Meeting and will be held in school at 7.00pm on Monday 19 September 2022. All parents/carers are welcome to attend and we very much look forward to seeing you.

LSA

**Lothersdale
School Association**

**ANNUAL
GENERAL
MEETING**

**MONDAY
19 SEPTEMBER 2022
In school at 7.00pm**


To kick start this year's fundraising events, our AGM will take place in school on Monday 19 September 2022 at 7.00pm.

We would like all our parents/carers to support us in some way – this might be as part of the committee, helping out at events when you can or donating items towards our fundraisers.

The school is only part-funded by central government for most of its projects and therefore relies heavily on contributions from the LSA to improve its facilities and equipment.

This is a wonderful opportunity for new parents/carers to meet other parents/carers, staff and others connected to the school; to socialise in a fun and relaxed environment; to make suggestions and to help plan future events.

**We look forward to seeing as many
of you as possible on
Monday 19 September 2022**


**YOUR
SCHOOL
NEEDS
YOU!**

GENERAL SCHOOL UPDATES

School Uniform

May we remind parents that the definitive school uniform list is available to view on the school website and no other clothing will be accepted. We would be grateful if all parents/carers could ensure that all items of clothing/footwear are named. Many thanks for your support.

Fruit

Please note that children in Class 1 and Class 2 receive fruit as a snack every day as part of the government's 'Keeping Healthy' campaign. Children in Class 3 and Class 4 receive fruit on Tuesdays and Thursdays, which is kindly provided by Lothersdale School Association. Your child can also bring a piece of fruit to school from home on any day of the week if he/she wishes to do so.

Attendance

Pupil Leave of Absence from school during Term Time

Leave of absence will only be authorised if the appropriate criteria has been met - please see the school's Leave of Absence in Term Time Policy on the school website. Following Government Guidelines since September 2013, the Headteacher is not authorised to grant leave of absence during term time in any other circumstances than those stated.

As detailed in our last newsletter, the last academic year saw a significant decline in school attendance at Lothersdale Primary School and six days (12 sessions) have already been missed at the start of this term. Taking a pupil on leave during term time interrupts teaching and learning and can disrupt educational progress. Please note that NYCC is issuing penalty notices to parents/carers for unauthorised absence.

The school will be closely monitoring all absences and patterns of absence to ensure our attendance figures return to our normal level of 97 to 98% - this may include requesting confirmation of appointments etc.

Parents/Carers choose Lothersdale Primary School for its excellent reputation and 'outstanding' status at its last Ofsted Inspection. However, we are only able to achieve our learning outcomes if all children are in school all day, every day. We would be grateful for your support in ensuring your child attends school regularly in line with government regulations.

Medical Appointments

Please ensure where possible that all medical appointments are made outside school hours. We understand that this may not always be achievable but would urge you to ensure that your child has the highest attendance levels as possible.

School Term dates for 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 can be found on the school's website for your information.

Welcome
to the
Lothersdale
**SCHOOL
OFFICE**

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SCHOOL OFFICE TERM TIME HOURS		
	Morning	Afternoon
Monday	8.00 – 12.00	1.00 – 4.00
Tuesday	8.00 – 12.00	1.00 – 4.00
Wednesday	8.00 – 12.00	1.00 – 4.00
Thursday	8.00 – 12.00	1.00 – 4.00
Friday*	8.30 – 10.45	2.15 – 3.45

Visitor access into school is via prior appointment only, in line with the school's Health & Safety and Child Protection Policies.

Please telephone the School Office during the hours listed to make an appointment to speak to a member of staff.

**Please note that Mrs Ellison is not in school on Fridays and the office will be manned between the stated hours for urgent messages only*

REMEMBER TO KEEP PUPIL CONTACT AND MEDICAL INFORMATION UP TO DATE!



Please refer to the Friday Newsletter and the school website prior to emailing or contacting school, as most of our day-to-day information can be located within these communication portals. The school website address is <https://www.lothersdaleschool.org.uk>

Home/School Communication

The majority of home/school communication is via email and, over the summer, we have converted some of our documentation into Microsoft Forms to make it easier for parents/carers to submit replies. Please ensure any requested replies are completed by the deadline stated to enable the office to collate and forward any information to third parties.

School Meal Payments for Children in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

The cost of a school meal from September 2022 will remain at **£2.44** per meal (£12.20 per week) for children in Class 3 and Class 4 and all school meals must be paid for in advance via the SchoolGrid meal system.

For parents/carers who wish to pay up to the end of term (Friday 16 December 2022), the cost will be £168.36 per child.

For parents/carers who wish to pay up to the end of half-term (Friday 21 October 2022), the cost will be £82.96 per child payable via ParentPay.

Alternatively, parents/carers can pay weekly in advance (£12.20) via ParentPay. Please note that school meals must be paid for in advance and we would also ask parents/carers to refer to the school's School Meals' Arrears Procedure (available to view on the school website) to ensure that you are familiar with the school's course of action should you find yourselves falling behind with payments.



SchoolGrid

Following our letter to parents/carers on 5 July 2022 and further emails sent out by SchoolGrid over the summer break, the new meal system is now in place in school. As with any new system, there have been teething problems and the school will be addressing these issues with SchoolGrid and Dolce to ensure the system runs as smoothly as possible for both school and parents/carers.

We understand there have been a few WhatsApp messages going around various parent groups and would like to clarify the following to help clear up any confusion:

- The school meal menu and the way we serve meals at lunchtime has not changed.
- There is still only one option as per the school menu (a copy is attached below).
- Parents/Carers cannot choose a pack up one day and a school meal another day as per the letter sent out in July. The school continues to run a Family Service and not a canteen style meal service due to the size of the kitchen and food storage facilities. Mrs G has a list of children with dietary requirements and alternative meals are provided for those children as they always have been.
- The main difference is ordering a school meal, which was done in the past by the school administrator via ParentPay. Parents/Carers are now responsible for placing orders for a school meal via SchoolGrid.
- **The cut off point for parents/carers to order a school meal for each day is 8.55am.** Please ensure you have ticked the boxes for the week/half-term/term to ensure your child has a school meal booked.
- The SchoolGrid system is linked to the school kitchen and orders go directly through to Mrs G.
- It is important that school is informed of any absences by 9.15am – this will enable us to remove the school meal from the pre-order system so that you are not charged for a meal. Any absences recorded after 9.45am will incur a school meal charge.
- Payment for school meals must be paid via your child's SchoolGrid account.
- Parents/Carers must still inform school in writing, giving two full weeks' term time notice, if a child is to change their lunchtime arrangements from school meal to packed lunches or vice-versa.

Please note: all parents/carers will need to set up an account with SchoolGrid, even if your child has a packed lunch. This is to support you in the event that your child forgets their packed lunch or would like to order a special lunch in school over the academic year. If you have not yet registered with SchoolGrid, please inform the school office as soon as possible to enable us to reset your password to login.

We would like to thank our parents/carers for supporting us through the transition from ParentPay to SchoolGrid. We know some of you found it daunting but, if it helps, so did Mrs Ellison who has spent most of this week working her way around the SchoolGrid system and trying to resolve issues with parents/carers. SchoolGrid and Dolce!

We are hoping to simplify the ordering process for parents/carers and the issue with dietary requirements/allergens – please bear with us whilst we work with SchoolGrid and Dolce over the next few weeks.

The most important thing to remember is that parents/carers are responsible for booking school lunches for children by 8.55am daily, unless you have already booked meals up to half-term or Christmas.

ParentPay ~ meal payments

Thank you for supporting us by bringing ParentPay accounts up-to-date at the end of the last term. Any credit remaining on accounts has been transferred in-house to other payment accounts ie, trips or swimming.

Unfortunately, some meal payments were incorrectly made via ParentPay at the beginning of this term. We are currently trying to work our way through these credits and will be transferring them to other payments on your child's ParentPay account - this is the easiest way forward now that the School Meal Module on ParentPay no longer exists. If you wish to speak to us about this process, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Pupils on Packed Lunches

May we remind parents to ensure their child's pack up is clearly named and that it contains no nuts or foods containing nut ingredients. Many thanks.

Eligibility for Free School Meals

Free school meals are available for children whose parents meet the relevant criteria. If you are in receipt of one or more of the following benefits and think you may qualify, please either ask Mrs Ellison for an application form or use the application form available via www.northyorks.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals

The relevant criteria is based on receipt of:

- Universal Credit, (provided you have an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400, as assessed by earnings from up to three of your most recent assessment periods)
- Child Tax Credit, provided you are also not entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual household gross income that does not exceed £16,190 (as assessed by HMRC)
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- A run-on of Working Tax Credit – paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

Where parents are entitled to working tax credit during a four week "run on" period immediately after their employment has ceased, or after they have started to work less than 16 hours per week, their children are entitled to free school meals.

Children who receive income support or income-based jobseeker's allowance in their own right are also entitled to free school meals.

Applications are usually processed the same day. If your child is entitled to free school meals you will receive a letter confirming the date when the meals will start. The school is also notified that your child is entitled to free school meals. In the meantime, you should continue to pay for free school meals until confirmation comes through. School may be able to arrange a reimbursement of any monies paid whilst your entitlement is being confirmed. If you are not entitled to free school meals you will be notified in writing.

Class 3 Swimming Lessons

Class 3 swimming lessons started today and we would like to thank those parents/carers who have already made a contribution towards your child's swimming lessons. The full contribution should be paid by Friday, 3 February 2023 and weekly contributions can be paid via ParentPay if preferred.

Please note that, although these lessons are part of the school curriculum, the school receives no extra funding for swimming and relies on parental contributions to enable the children to take part in this activity.

No child will be excluded if his or her parents/carers do not contribute, but if insufficient voluntary contributions are received then regrettably, this activity will not continue.

Class 4 Residential Visit to Marrick Priory

Please remember that ParentPay is currently set up to accept payments for this autumn term's residential visit to Marrick Priory, near Reeth. This allows payments to be made in regular instalments and parents/carers can determine how much to pay at any given time as long as full payment is made by the stated deadline.

Residential Visit to Eshton Grange in May 2023

The Year 4 visit to Eshton Grange will take place from Wednesday 24 May 2023 to Friday 26 May 2023, which is in the last week before the May half-term holiday. We are hoping to set up this visit on ParentPay in the new few weeks to allow parents/carers to make regular instalments - you can determine how much to pay at any given time as long as full payment is made by the stated deadline.

COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

We are delighted to be able to promote community events in our Friday News that may be of interest to our families and friends. If you would like us to promote a local event, please pass the details to the school office by Wednesday to be included in the Friday News of that week.

Soccer Hub

Please find attached flyer from Soccer Hub regarding weekly courses taking place in the area, for your information.

DIARY OF EVENTS

If you wish to promote a community event in our diary below, please contact the school office. Please note there may be circumstances in which these dates are subject to change:

School Events:

- Mon 19 Sep 2022** - LSA Annual General Meeting at 7.00pm in school
- Fri 23 Sep 2022** - Class 4 visit to Murton Park
- Tue 4 Oct 2022** - Healthy Child Team ~ Influenza Immunisations
- 14 to 18 Nov 2022** - Class 4 residential visit to Marrick Priory



AUTUMN TERM 2022

	WEEK ONE w/c 5 Sep 2022 w/c 26 Sep 2022 w/c 17 Oct 2022 w/c 7 Nov 2022 w/c 28 Nov 2022	WEEK TWO w/c 12 Sep 2022 w/c 3 Oct 2022 - w/c 14 Nov 2022 w/c 5 Dec 2022	WEEK THREE w/c 19 Sep 2022 w/c 10 Oct 2022 w/c 31 Oct 2022 w/c 21 Nov 2022 w/c 12 Dec 2022
MONDAY	BURGER IN A BUN Oven Baked Diced Potatoes Sweetcorn & Beans ***** Strawberry Ice Cream, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt	PIZZA MARGHERITA Oven Baked Potato Wedges Salad Bar ***** Traditional Flapjack, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt	CHICKEN KORMA Wholegrain Rice Garden Peas & Sweetcorn ***** Vanilla Ice Cream, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt
TUESDAY	SWEET & SOUR CHICKEN Whole Grain Rice Carrots & Broccoli ***** Chocolate Sponge & Chocolate Sauce, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt	MSC FISH FINGERS Chips Baked Beans & Garden Peas Tomato Ketchup ***** Sponge & Custard, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt	PASTA BOLOGNAISE Garlic Bread Salad Bar ***** Sponge & Custard, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY	TRADITIONAL COTTAGE PIE with Gravy Cabbage Carrots ***** Vanilla Cookie, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt	ROAST CHICKEN & GRAVY Roast Potatoes Cabbage Carrots ***** Oat Cookie, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt	ROAST CHICKEN Mashed Potatoes Cabbage Carrots ***** Iced Grasmere Gingerbread, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt
THURSDAY	JUMBO SAUSAGE ROLL Chips Garden Peas Baked Beans ***** Chocolate & Orange Cookie, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt	MINCED BEEF & DUMPLINGS WITH GRAVY Mashed Potatoes Broccoli & Carrots ***** Frosted Carrot Cake, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt	OVEN BAKED SAUSAGE & MASH WITH GRAVY Broccoli Carrots ***** Coconut Macaroon Muffin, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt
FRIDAY	BBQ CHICKEN CHEDDAR PASTA Garlic Bread Peas & Sweetcorn ***** Gingerbread Man, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt	SAUSAGE & BEAN CASSEROLE Mashed Potato Vegetable Medley ***** Apple Crumble & Custard, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt	BATTERED FISH FILLET Chips Baked Beans & Garden Peas Tomato Ketchup ***** Chocolate Crispie Cake, Fresh Fruit or Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

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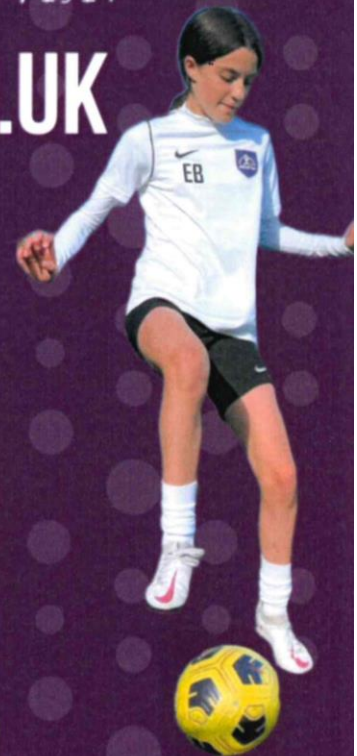
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