

Dunnington News



6th July 2018

Whole School Science Day - 9th July 2018

On Monday 9th July, the whole school will be participating in a Science Day. The theme of the day is water and the teachers have planned different investigative activities related to water. It is hoped that most of the activities will be outside so children will need sun hats, sun cream and water bottles.

The children will also need their PE kits to change into in case they get wet.

Hopefully it will be a fun packed day and the children will learn lots of new things.

Charlotte Todd

School Picnic

The school picnic this year will be on Wednesday 18th July. As usual, parents and other family members are invited to come along to this event. This year, in order to enable the catering staff to order sufficient provisions, we are asking that people book in advance. We will be using a ticket system to facilitate this and you will need to present your ticket to the catering staff when collecting your meal. If you prefer to bring your own picnic, you do not need a ticket.

Please complete and return the attached form for your child, even if you are not attending yourself.

Hopefully the sun will be shining for us!

Non-Uniform Day Reminder

Also on 18th July, we will be having a non-uniform day in memory of Steve Spence. All donations received will go to the Yorkshire Air Ambulance.



ROCKSTARS

Here are our amazing Times Table Rockstars for this week:-



Data Protection

To ensure compliance with new data protection regulations, we will be sending home a consent form early next week which should be completed for each child and returned to school before the end of term. We appreciate your co-operation in supplying this information.



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Sports News from Mrs Rowntree

We have two action packed days of sport coming up this week.

On Tuesday afternoon, 10th July, it will be the whole school Sports Afternoon starting at 1.15pm. We have a lot of children to get through so we will be aiming to start promptly. Please make your way to stand at the school side of the track. We will sit the children near the hedge.

On Wednesday 11th July we are having a World Cup day. All the children will take part in mini football matches organised by Mr Scoreby and Mr Gargulio. The KS2 pupils will head out in the morning and KS1 will take part in the afternoon. They will be put into mixed teams (based on both gender and age) and they will all be given a team name based on a country that has taken part in the World Cup. There will be a trophy for the winning team.

Please ensure your child has full PE kit, including a hat, sun cream and a water bottle on both days.

The Y6 girls football team enjoyed a fantastic day at York College last week. They took part in the York City girls day and enjoyed a range of football activities in the morning and then competed for a winning place against other schools in the afternoon. Mr Gargiulo accompanied the team and was very proud of the girls attitudes and the progress they made in a short space of time. They finished in 4th position out of 7 schools. Well done girls!



The Y5/6 cricket team played in the North Yorkshire finals at the University on Thursday. It was an extremely hot day and the boys were an absolute credit to the school and their parents. We won 3 matches in brilliant style and narrowly missed out on the final spot with a loss to Barkston Ash Primary School. It was a disappointing end to a very exciting day but the positive attitudes and support from parents was fantastic. A great set of children who were a pleasure to take out of school.

STOP PRESS! *The cricket team have now been given a place in the Yorkshire finals on Thursday after a team dropped out. Our performance at the North Yorkshire finals impressed coaches so much that we were given first refusal and we took it! I am sure the children will have an amazing day...what a fabulous opportunity it will be!*



The Y5/6 girls football teams played in a mini tournament last week. It was an extremely hot day and all the girls put in a 100% playing against Clifton With Rawcliffe Primary School and Osbaldwick Primary School. The Y6 team worked hard and won two matches, lost one and drew one. This was the final match of the season for the girls and we have been really impressed with their enthusiastic attitude towards football and just 'having a go'!

The Y5 team are building up their skills ready for the new season in September and they worked hard as a team to demonstrate their passion for the game. Many thanks to Rosie Todd for accompanying and supporting the girls.

Well done to all involved!



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