

Dunnington News



22nd March 2019

AUTHOR VISIT

Children's Author and Actor, Grant Koper, will be coming to school on **Wednesday 10th April 2019** to read his new book 'The Day Granny's Knickers Blew Away!' While he is here, pupils will have the opportunity to ask questions and take away their very own signed copy of the book to read over again!

There is no obligation to buy but if you would like one, the order form is attached and will need to be returned to school along with £6 before **Friday 5th April 2019**.

Best wishes,
Mrs Waddle

MESSAGE FROM CITY OF YORK COUNCIL - YORK LOCAL OFFER

All areas are required to have a Local Offer to provide children, young people and families with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) support and information about what is available to them within their area. In York, we are always working to enable more people to use this site and to improve its accessibility. Parents and young people have told us that it is not clear what the name Local Offer means and many would not know where to find information. We need to find a new name that describes what the Local Offer does, but also keeps the term Local Offer within the title, as this is how it is referred to nationally. To help us do this, we kindly ask that parents and carers complete a survey and spend 5 minutes answering a few questions about their opinions of the Local Offer site and help us to choose a new name which will be more recognisable and understandable for all.

Please follow the link below to our survey.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/K6P8N8B>

Kind regards,
Laura Brown and Jess Haslam
Local Offer and Participation Officer, Head of Disability and SEN



Visit the Local Offer to find out what is available in York for disabled children/children and young people with special educational needs and their families www.yor-OK.org.uk/localoffer

New Dunnington Village Under 6 Football team for Year 1 boys and girls

This new club starts on Thursday 4th April, 6pm to 7pm on the sports field near the squash club. If you would like more information or wish to attend, please contact me on 07545965849 or seamm9@aol.com

Laura Battle

KS1 Pizza Making

Next Friday the 29th of March we will be making Pizzas with all of the children in KS1.

The ingredients we will use are: Flour, fresh yeast, olive oil, water, sugar and salt. As well as chopped tomatoes, basil, mozzarella cheese and cheddar cheese.

The children will get to eat a slice of Pizza just before home time.

Could you please inform us if any of the children have any allergies so that we can find a way of catering for them.

Can we also please ask that parents make a voluntary contribution of £1 per child to cover the cost of the ingredients.

Many Thanks,
KS1 Team.



Message from City of York Council's Travel Plan Officer

NATIONAL WALK TO SCHOOL WEEK

This Spring's Walk to School week will run from 20th – 24th May. Of course, as we are York, we encourage all forms of 'Human Power' so cycling and scooting are included as well as walking.

Children love walking and cycling to school. It helps keep them fit and healthy and they can travel with their friends. Reducing the number of cars making the journey to school helps make outside school safer and helps cut harmful air pollution around school, which children are more susceptible to. If you do need to get to school by car could you park a little further away from school and walk the last few minutes?

Many schools have problems with parking outside school. Walk to school week will help reduce those problems and encourage families to try a different way of getting to school. You may like to share this short animation with your family <https://www.itravelyork.info/journey-planning/going-to-school/journey-to-school-animation/> It is a parody of driver behaviour showing how inconsiderate behaviour affects children *from the child's point of view*.

EASTER TREASURE HUNT !



The PTA are going to be organising a Easter Treasure Hunt – details coming soon!!

SCHOOL MEALS – REMINDER

Please remember to let us know on a Monday morning if your child requires a jacket potato or vegetarian meal on any day that week – thank you all those people who are already doing this.

This is very helpful to both the admin staff and the cook.

Thank you for your co-operation.





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Come along to the next Drop in Session

**The Storehouse,
Mansfield Street
York. YO31 7US**

**Saturday 13th
April
2 – 4pm**

ABOUT It's an opportunity for children who have lost someone significant to them, to come together to play and / or do craft activities knowing that everyone there has experienced something similar. The focus is on play and creativity in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere with 'remembering' activities available to make and take away. Toys, crafts, table tennis, table football, soft play and games console... Suitable for all ages.

RESOURCES

There are children's books addressing loss and grief to take away, along with information resources for the adults.



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