

Learning to Live, Living to Love, Loving to Learn

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# Newsletter

25th June 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have re designed the layout of the newsletter and you will see that it is written in sections using our school vision statements – Learning to Live, Living to Love, Loving to Learn. This is to help further embed them within the school and community and help us recognise all the fantastic things we do; all relating back to our vision.

Today you will be receiving a letter outlining which class your child will be in next year. When grouping the children, we consider a number of different factors including: friendships, term of birth, academic ability, siblings as well as the number of boys and girls in each class. We will be holding covid secure ‘bubble friendly’ transition mornings before the end of term, where your child will have the opportunity to spend time with their new teacher and in their new classroom environment. On this note we will be saying goodbye to Mr Donizetti who leaves at the end of this term and welcoming back Mrs Fordham in September, when she returns from her maternity leave. Children’s reports are currently being written and we will be sending these out before Friday 16th July.

The Governing Body met this week to review our school strategic plan and look ahead to what this will look like in September. I presented ideas from parents and children. I will update you with further details about the contents before the end of term.

Thank you for all your donations for Kidney Research, Adam’s family have been really touched by this kind gesture.

There have been rises in cases locally resulting in bubble and school closures. Please continue to be vigilant and follow the school protocols. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Have a great weekend

Mr Whitehead

Headteacher

25th June 2021

# Learning to Live

## Team Building

Class One have taken part in team building games and learning how to cooperate. This was led by Mick Ellerton.



## Walking to School

It has come to my attention that some children have been walking to school alone, without our knowledge. We would only recommend this for children in year 5 and above and only for local children. Ultimately this is a parental choice but school MUST be informed of this in writing / email. Thank you for your support.

## School Photograph orders

Reminder that all photo orders need to be in by Monday 28th June

## Dinner Money

Please can all parents login to ParentPay and settle any outstanding balance before 23rd July.

## Healthy School Event

Class 3 Kingfishers and Class 4 Owls enjoyed taking part virtually in a Healthy Schools Celebration Event. They certainly gained some valuable ideas about how to make our school even healthier! Our Pupil Voice groups will be gathering these ideas ready for September. We submitted our application form this week for the revised Healthy School Award. It focusses on; PSHE (Personal, Social and Health Education), Emotional health and wellbeing, Active Lives and food in schools

## School Walking Bus

The School Walking Bus is gaining momentum. We had 13 children and a dog in a hi Viz this week. Thanks to the parents that volunteered to walk down with us. If you would like to be involved or drop your children off to walk down with us, then please do see the booking information on Parent Pay. We set off each Tuesday morning at 8.30am from the back entrance of Coop in Cross Hills.



# After School Activity Club Schedule

## June & July 2021

**Mondays** Kanga Sports

**Tuesdays** Kanga Sports / Technology

**Wednesday** Running Club

**Thursday** Cooking Club / Forest School

## Forest School



# Learning to Live

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to update you about the Governing Body before the school breaks up for the summer holidays.

After almost three years as Chair of Governors I will be stepping down from the role in September. I have enjoyed the role tremendously; it has been an honour to work with such an excellent school and committed set of Governors. Prior to taking on the Chair's role I was involved in appointing Mr Whitehead as the Head Teacher and it has been wonderful to see the school flourish under his leadership in spite of the recent challenges of Covid . So I will be sad to leave the role but at the same time I know it's the right thing for me to do, so that I have a bit more time for my other commitments, especially caring for my grandchildren! We have been working hard with succession planning and will be electing a new Chair in September. I will stay on as a Foundation Governor for at least a year.

I also wanted to let you know that there will be 2 Parent Governor vacancies next term. One post will be available immediately in September and one will be available from November 2021. It would be really good if you could think about this over the summer and decide if being a governor is something you may wish to do. Just to remind you that this is a strategic role, not about the day to day running of the school. The Governing Body is responsible for:

- Setting the strategic direction of the school
- Ensuring the budget is spent appropriately and
- Monitoring the performance of the school.

Whilst any interested parent can put themselves forward to be a governor, we would particularly be interested in nominations of parents who would like to champion and oversee the engagement of parental views in the school and the business of the Governing Body. We also will need a governor who is knowledgeable about Health and Safety for the role that becomes available in November, as it is a statutory requirement that we have a lead governor for Health and Safety. Both governors will also need to be involved in monitoring elements of the school curriculum.

The school will organise the nomination and voting process for the 2 parent governors in September.

I hope you have a good break over the summer!

With best wishes,  
Geraldine Sands

# Living to Love

## Non uniform day for Kidney Research

Today we have been raising money for Kidney Research. Adam Cox's mum passed away last week suddenly. Adam is the founder and director of Skipton Tennis Centre and coaches from the club regularly teach tennis at school across the year. I know that many of you take your children for lessons at the centre too. Thanks for all the donations today, we have raised £189 I know that Adam and his family will appreciate your support.

## Defibrillator fundraising

Our final fundraiser for the defibrillator is a silent auction for this amazing bench made by Sam Kidd in Kingfishers. Please give sealed bids to class teachers by Friday 2nd July. Your bid needs to be in a sealed envelope marked 'Bench Bid' with your child's name and class on it. Please bid generously!



## Rev Peter Thomas Visits

Peter Thomas spent time in each class, spending time helping children to think about how they can listen to what is happening around them and listen to each other. This is an important aspect of pupil leadership which we will be exploring further over the coming weeks.



### Birthdays

Ralph, C2  
Austin, C2

# Loving to Learn

## Design and Technology Day – Robins and Swallows

Our Design Technology day on Tuesday was fantastic. We had so much fun. The children explored different fruit using their senses. Lots of them tasted fruits they hadn't tasted before and some children had a go at tasting fruits they thought they didn't like. We thought about healthy eating, labels on foods and different food groups.

Next the children designed their fruit salads. Their design was intended to suit their own tastes and we thought about colour and appearance too. Then the children made their designs thinking about how to safely prepare food. The final stage was to evaluate our designs and think about ways to make improvements. I was VERY impressed!



## Shakespeare

Jess from the Shakespeare Schools Foundation has been into school this week working with Class 4 Owls. The children were introduced to the story of A midsummer Night's Dream, learnt about how to move around the performance space as a company and started to put scenes together from the story through freeze frames



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# Class Awards

## Class 1 - Robins

ELLIOT      ALICE      VIOLET  
ARCHIE C      JACOB      ROSIE

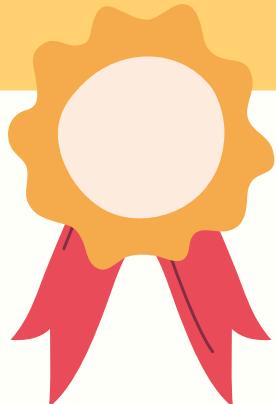


## Class 2 - Swallows

MATHEO      MEGAN      ISLA  
                  RIAN

## Class 3 - Kingfishers

RUBY      SETH      IMOGEN



## Class 4 - Owls

AMELIA      ORLA  
                  ZACH

## Class 5 - Eagles

ZACH      IZZY  
                  FRANKIE



**NYCC - North Yorkshire Catering – Spring 2021 – Choice Menu**

	<b>WEEK 1</b> Served w/c 12th April, 3rd & 24th May, 21st June, 12th July	<b>WEEK 2</b> Served w/c 19th April, 10th May, 7th & 28th June, 19th July	<b>WEEK 3</b> Served w/c 26th April, 17th May, 14th June, 5th July
<b>M O N D A Y</b>	<p>v Cheese &amp; Tomato Pizza with Diced Potatoes</p> <p>v Vegetable Chilli, Rice &amp; Pitta Bread Peas &amp; Sweetcorn</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Peaches &amp; Ice Cream Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Minced Beef Enchiladas</p> <p><i>Jacket Potato + Tuna</i></p> <p>Broccoli &amp; Sweetcorn Herbie Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Chicken Korma &amp; Rice</p> <p><i>Jacket + CHEESE</i></p> <p>Cauliflower &amp; Green Beans Naan Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>
<b>T U E S D A Y</b>	<p>Tuna &amp; Sweetcorn Pasta Bake</p> <p><i>Jacket Potato + Beans</i></p> <p>Potatoes</p> <p>Mixed Salad &amp; Coleslaw</p> <p>Garlic Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p><i>Cauliflower MAC + CHEESE</i></p> <p><i>Lentil Curry + RICE</i></p> <p>Peas &amp; Carrots</p> <p>Naan Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Chocolate Crunch with ¼ Orange</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Sausages &amp; Onion Gravy with Creamy Mash</p> <p>v Vegetable Lasagne</p> <p>Carrots &amp; Broccoli</p> <p>50/50 Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Crunchy Apple Crumble with Ice Cream</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>
<b>W E D N E S D A Y</b>	<p>Pork &amp; Apple Plait with Gravy</p> <p><i>JKC + CHEESE</i></p> <p>½ Jacket Potato</p> <p>Medley of Vegetables</p> <p>Wholemeal Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Cheese &amp; Crackers with Apple</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Roast Chicken with sage &amp; Onion Stuffing &amp; Gravy</p> <p>v Country Vegetable Bake</p> <p>Creamy Mashed Potatoes</p> <p>Spring Cabbage &amp; Cauliflower Wholemeal Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Minced Beef &amp; Yorkshire Pudding with Roast Potatoes &amp; Gravy</p> <p>v Baked Mexican Wrap</p> <p>Carrots &amp; Peas</p> <p>Sliced Wholemeal Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Fresh Fruit Salad or Fruit Yoghurt</p>
<b>T H U R S D A Y</b>	<p>Beef Lasagne</p> <p>v Quesadilla (Cheese, Onion &amp; Potato Crispy Tortilla Wrap)</p> <p>Crunchy Veg Sticks</p> <p>50/50 Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Fruity Gingerbread &amp; Custard</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Pork Meatballs in Tomato Sauce &amp; Pasta</p> <p>v Vegetable (No Sausage) Roll with Chipped Potatoes</p> <p>Green Beans &amp; Sweetcorn</p> <p>Apricot &amp; Seed Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Raspberry Bun &amp; Cheese</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Creamy Chicken &amp; Broccoli Pasta</p> <p><i>Jacket Potato + Beans</i></p> <p>½ Jacket Potato</p> <p>Green Beans &amp; Sweetcorn</p> <p>Crusty Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Krispie Cereal Bar</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>
<b>F R I D A Y</b>	<p>Harry Ramsdens Battered Fish</p> <p>v Roast Veg Quiche</p> <p>Chipped Potatoes</p> <p>Green Beans &amp; Sweetcorn</p> <p>Sunflower Seed Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Date &amp; Oat Squares</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Crunchy Breaded Fish</p> <p>Potato Wedges</p> <p>v Cheese &amp; Tomato Pasta</p> <p>Mixed Salad &amp; Grated Carrot</p> <p>H/M 50/50 Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Marble Berry Sponge &amp; Chocolate Sauce</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Fish Fingers</p> <p>v Veggie Burger in a Bun</p> <p>Baked Beans</p> <p>Peas</p> <p>Chipped Potatoes</p> <p>Tomato Bread</p> <p>*****</p> <p>Banana Brownie</p> <p>Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt</p>

V = suitable for a vegetarian diet