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Message from Mrs Hird

Our Oak class represented the school fantastically this week, during both their exciting visit to the Yorkshire Countryside Day in Harrogate and also in the Rotary Club Design Technology competition. Huge congratulations to the Year 6 children, who had the winning entry, and a massive thank you to Mr Wadley for coaching them through the design and build process. In Acorn class, there have been some fantastic examples of children helping each other, as well as some very athletic moves in PE lessons.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Hird

Attendance: This week's attendance was only **90.65%**, so below our target of at least **97%**.

Oaks had a fabulous day on Wednesday at the Countryside Day at the Great Yorkshire Showground. The pupils took part in a wide variety of informative and enjoyable activities, finishing with the fantastic Sheep Show. Sheep really can dance!



Huge congratulations to our Year 6 pupils, whose glider design won the Whitby Rotary Club Young Engineers Competition. All their hard work has paid off. Against tough opposition, they thoroughly deserved their victory. We are very proud of them all!



Stars of the Week

Acorn Star of the week is **Rue** for wonderful sight reading and holding a sentence.



After their winning glider flight on Thursday, **Year 6** are the **Oak Stars of the Week**. Thank you for representing us with pride and maturity. Well done!



Choir News

Sponsored Sing

What an amazing day the Choir had last Friday 'Singing for Syrians' around the village, raising money for the Hands up Foundation. The weather was perfect and the children sang beautifully. Thank you to everyone who came out to support the children, they really enjoyed themselves and have done a brilliant thing in singing to raise awareness of those in need and also bringing joy to family, friends and community members.

Please can any remaining sponsor money be returned to school with sponsor forms by Friday, 24th June.

Thank you.

'Come and Sing!' on Tuesday

The Choir are now looking forward to taking part in the Whitby Area Schools 'Come and Sing!' on Tuesday at Whitby Pavilion where they will join together with other Primary School groups for a music workshop and unite in song by performing together.

Please can the Choir children bring a packed lunch from home on Tuesday and be at school ready to leave at 9am. They will return to school by 3.15pm.

Reminders

- Now that summer appears to have arrived, please make sure children have long lasting sun cream applied before coming to school and also wear a sun hat.
- **Whole school / group photographs** are being taken on Monday afternoon. Please make sure children are all smartly dressed in their school uniform!
- Please support the **PTFA Beetle Drive** on Monday, 6pm at the Village Hall. Entry is £2.50 to include refreshments and there will be a raffle etc.

Updated list of dates of events etc

Enclosed is an updated list of dates up to the summer holiday which, as always, is subject to change!

Next Week

Monday

PE for Acorn pupils. Please remember kit.

Whole School / group photographs. 1pm. Children to be smartly dressed in uniform.

PTFA Beetle Drive in Village Hall, 6pm.

Tuesday

Music Lessons with Alix Lillie. Please remember instruments.

Choir to Whitby Area Schools 'Come and Sing!' Please bring a packed lunch from home.

Years 5&6 Parents Meeting re Puberty Talks, 3.30pm.

Wednesday

All pupils Outdoor learning. Children to come to school dressed in appropriate outdoor clothing, including gloves, waterproofs and wellies.

Thursday

Reception new starters in for morning and lunch.

Choir after school. Finish time 4.15pm.

Friday

PE for Oak pupils. Please remember kit.

Years 5&6 Quad Kids, 1 to 3pm at Whitby Sixth Form. Letters have been given out today to those who would like to take part.

Children to be picked up on their return at approximately 3.30pm.

Oak Sports Club after school. Finish time 4.15pm.