Thornhill News



This week, we have had lots of sporting activities going on both at school and outside of school.

Year 3 Dance Festival

Year 3 took part in a dance festival at Newton Aycliffe Leisure Centre and had great time performing their dance routine to Ed Sheeran's Bad Habit!



Well done Year 3!

Let's Play Football



On Wednesday we held a girl's football tournament in school to raise the profile of the game and to develop girls' confidence in sport.

It was a terrific morning and we certainly have some very talented footballers.

Football Cup

Our Year 6 boy's team took part in a football competition at Spennymoor Football Club and were runners up in their group. Well done to all those who took part!

Year 3 / 4 Football League

Our Year 3 and 4 team started the league this week and got off to a flying start, with two draws and a 3-0 win!

Cross Country County Final

Jack Liddle in Year 6 went through to the Cross Country County Final today and came an amazing 14th out of 72. What an achievement!

Year 3 Assembly

Year 3's assembly linked into the sporting theme and they did an amazing assembly all about the Paralympics. They also learnt a song in British Sign Language. Well done Year 3!

Shildon AFC Visitor

We also had a special visitor from Shildon AFC speak to all of KS2. Billy Greulich plays for Shildon and spoke to the children about playing for the club as well as talking about the start of a new career, as he is training to be a police detective! It was such an inspirational talk and hopefully encourages all our children to have high aspirations for the future.

Sports for School Athlete

Next Wednesday the heptathlete Lucy Turner will be coming in to lead our sponsored sport's event in school. Any money raised will be used for new sports equipment for school.

Reminder that all sponsor money to be in school for the week after – 23.03.22. You can also sponsor online. All details were on the sponsorship form.

Bikeability

Our bikeability programme begins soon, remember children can travel to school sustainably by walking, scooting or coming on their bikes.

There are so many amazing benefits to regular physical activity and it is fantastic to see all of our pupils participating in sports at lots of different levels.

Important Dates

Tues 15th Mar

Wed 16th Mar

Thurs 17th Mar

Yr 4 Forest Schools

Football League Yr 3/ 4

Yr 5 Seven Stories visit

Fri 18th Mar Red Nose Day

Yr 2 Assembly (online 9.30am)

Week commencing Mon 21st Mar

Tues 22nd

Wed 23rd

Thurs 24th Mar

Fri 25th Mar

Yr 5 Bike ability

Yr 3 Forest Schools

Football League Yr 3/4

Yr 4 Seven Stories visit

World Maths Day

Yr 1 Assembly (online 9.30am)

Tues 29th Mar Yr 5 Forest Schools
Thurs 31st Mar Yr 3 Seven Stories visit

Fri 1st Apr Nursery Easter Songs (outdoor performance for parents/carers)

Yr 4 Bike ability

Week beginning Mon 4th Apr

Tues 5th Apr

Yr 1 Bike ability

Yr 6 Forest Schools

Thurs 7th Apr

Yr 2 Seven Stories visit

Fri 8th Apr Reception Assembly (Outdoor performance for parents/carers)

Break up for Easter

Academic Year starts

12th – 14th Apr
Easter School Yr 6
19th – 21st Apr
Easter School Yr 6
Mon 25th Apr
Return to school
Mon 2nd May
Bank Holiday
Week commencing Mon 9th May
Fri 20th May – Sun 22nd May
Yr 6 Residential

Fri 27th May Break up

Wed 7th Sept

Wed 8th Jun return to school

Wed 20th Jul break up for summer