



# New York Newsletter

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Dear Parent/s and Guardians,

## Ground Force Evening:

We feel impressed, amazed and extremely proud of our outstanding community and want to say thank you so much to everybody who helped with the Ground Force Evening last Friday, to give the grounds a general tidy, targeting specific areas, including the outside areas at the front of the school, cutting back trees and bushes along the boundaries. You are all brilliant... The children are now in the process of designing how they would like it to look throughout the year in all four seasons.

A massive thank you to everyone who came and took part. The grounds are looking much improved thanks to everyone's hard work!!



## Whitby Residential 2018:

Years 4, 5 and 6 will be going to Whitby for their residential trip next year... an excellent trip (especially the steam train ride!) The dates are: Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2018. We've had an amazing response across the two schools this last week and only have a few places left. We will have to have all deposits in by the end of October please. If there are any problems, please let me know.

## Parents' Afternoon

Appointment letters have been sent home, if you haven't made an appointment already please could you return your slip, thank you. If your child is on the SEN register, you will be issued a separate IEP appointment.

## Coats and PE Kits:

Could I please remind parents that all children should have their coats and PE kits in school every day. We do have PE timetabled on specific days, but this is flexible and subject to change depending upon our wonderfully varied and unpredictable weather. Thank you.

## PTFA:

**Halloween Disco @ New York ~ Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October ~ Tickets available soon £2.50 each**

**Chocolate Bingo ~ Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November ~ 5.30pm-7.00pm ~ New York Primary – All Welcome!**

## Headteacher Awards:

<b>Bertie Hurst</b>	Cutting skills
<b>Veev Phillips</b>	Cutting skills
<b>Jayden Skelton</b>	Retelling a story
<b>Mason Denham</b>	Inferring from a front cover
<b>Charlie Grant</b>	Story writing
<b>Felicity Foster</b>	Being helpful
<b>Isabella Place</b>	Adding and subtracting 11 & 21
<b>Felicity Foster</b>	Regular reading at home
<b>Felicity Webb</b>	Working hard

## House Point Winners:

**The Yellow Diamonds!**

## Stars of the week:

Class 1 – Mason Denham/Veev Phillips

Class 2 – Ben Bridges

## Shining Stars:

<b>Amelia Newman</b>	Improved writing
<b>Ciaran Parnham</b>	Progress in maths
<b>Olivia Leggett</b>	Making her name puzzle
<b>Amica Bracey-Lambert</b>	Always contributing to discussions
<b>Kristie Smith</b>	Always working hard
<b>Charlie Grant</b>	Enthusiasm and effort in writing

## Dates for your diary:

Parents' Afternoon	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> October, 1.15 p.m.
End of Term 1	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October 2017
Start of Term 2	Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> October 2017
End of Term 2	Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> December 2017
Start of Term 3	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> January 2018
End of Term 3	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February 2018
Start of Term 4	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2018
End of Term 4	Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March 2018
Start of Term 5	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2018
KS2 SATS Week	Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> May – Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
End of Term 5	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2018
Start of Term 6	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> June 2018
Whitby Residential	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June – Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> June 2018
End of Term 6	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2018