



New York Newsletter

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Dear Parent/s and Guardians,

Happiness Heroes:

Last week I took four children from New York and Frithville to Mareham le Fen School for a special school council morning. We had an inspirational speaker, “Andrew Black” who spoke to the children about the importance of being happy in school and how we can achieve anything if we persevere. Please check the tweets from last week.

I’ve set the children a task over Easter to ask themselves, “what makes them happy at school?” “What is it about school that makes them happy?” We will be replacing the Ofsted banner outside of school over the Summer, because to be honest, although their judgements are important, they are only here one day every three years. Your children are here every day, as are you.

Our Happiness Heroes from both schools will be collating the “Happy Thoughts” and creating a Happiness Heroes badge that we can use across the Federation. Any input from parents would be greatly appreciated please. The Annual Parental Questionnaire will be out after Easter as usual.

E-safety Policy:

Hopefully you’ve all had time to read and digest the E-safety Policy that I sent out with last week’s newsletter. Any comments or recommendation, positive or negative would be greatly appreciated please. Please feel free to annotate the document and drop it off at the office, or bring it to parent’s afternoon next week and leave it with Mrs Hawkins in the office.

World Book Day:

A huge thank you for the wonderful effort last Friday in helping us to support World Book Day. We had a fantastic day at both schools, with some absolutely amazing costumes. Thank you!

Planetarium

All children will take part in a visit to a mobile planetarium on Monday morning at Frithville Village Hall.

PE kit:

Could I please remind parents that PE kits should remain in school all week and taken home on Friday to be washed. All children do require a change of clothing for PE, not just for safety reasons, but also hygiene, particularly as they get older. Could I also please remind parents that swimming is an integral part of the PE curriculum and that every child should be able to swim 25m, by the time they leave primary school. All of our children from both Frithville and New York leave us able to swim 25m. Please also remember a coat – whatever the weather!

Sports Stars: Class: 1 Maya Heaton/Lily Hurst/Aeryn Martin/James Potts Class 2: Kristie Smith/Makenzie Mousley

PTFA Chocolate Bingo

Next Friday – New York Primary School

Doors open - 6.45pm

Eyes down - 7.00pm

Headteacher Awards:

Felicity Foster

Effort during piano lessons

Kieran Place

Scientific thinking

William Ablewhite

Writing independently

Kaiden Sanders

Writing his name

Maya Heaton

Trying hard

Lacey Davis

Independent maths

Luke Morley

Marvellous maths

House Point Winners:

The Yellow Diamonds!

Stars of the week:

Class 1 – Aeryn Martin

Class 2 – Nola Heaton

Shining Stars:

Charlie Grant

Determination

Ben Bridges

Effort in his work

Seren Evans

Enthusiasm in all she does

Harley Denham

Improved writing in phonics

Sunny Birks

Progress in maths

Dates for your diary:

PTFA Chocolate Bingo

Friday 23rd March

Parents’ Afternoon

Tuesday 20th March 2018

End of Term 4

Wednesday 28th March 2018

Start of Term 5

Monday 16th April 2018

KS2 SATS Week

Mon 14th May 2018 – Thurs 17th May 2018