



New York Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Coalbrookdale:

We are planning next year's residential field trip for Years 4, 5 and 6 to YHA Coalbrookdale, Shropshire. The proposed dates are Tuesday 4th – Friday 7th June 2019, and again this will be a joint venture with Frithville Primary. There are 12 places available for each school on the trip, the letter outlining the trip was sent out with last week's newsletter. Not only do we explore Ironbridge itself and take part in activities at the YHA, we also visit the Eginuity Museum and Blists Hill Victorian Town, please follow the links below for more information.

<https://www.ironbridge.org.uk/explore/enginuity/>

<https://www.ironbridge.org.uk/explore/blists-hill-victorian-town/>

If you would like your child/ren to go, please return the reply slip to Mrs Hawkins, as places will be allocated on a first come first served basis. Thank you.

Confidential Pupil Data Forms:

Thank you to all the parents who have completed and returned the forms.

E-safety:

Poster Competition...

The school councils at both school have asked me to extend the competition to allow more children to enter, so we will be extending the deadline by another week. The new deadline is Thursday 27th September.

Parking and Speed:

I've had a message from the Parish Council and our PCSO. Could we please take great care when driving past and parking outside the school. The Council have requested a mobile speed sign that flashes your speed as you drive through the village, the road safety partnership will be working in conjunction with this, so be prepared for camera cans and speed traps.

We have more children travelling to school by taxi and by shuttle from the Gipsy Bridge Breakfast Club now, so could parents please avoid parking in the bays marked with a T. I do apologise for the amount of time sections of the car park have been fenced off, the project has taken longer than expected, however the end is in site, with only a bit of tarmac and fencing to complete. We have also had an incident further down the road, with a resident's car being bumped whilst another car was reversing turning round. Please be aware some of the residents now have CCTV. Thank you.

School Council Trip:

We have organised another School Council trip to the Houses of Parliament, together with New York, Gypsy Bridge and a few other local schools. We only have five places, so children have been selected out of a hat. Those children will have received a letter today.

Headteacher Awards:

Flick Foster	Wonderful Willy Wonka writing
Kieran Place	Wonderful Willy Wonka writing
David Househam	Improved word recognition
Freyja Newman	Super maths work
James Potts	Work on punctuation
Mason Denham	Reading tricky words
Theo Jackson	Amazing listening and phonics skills
Nathan Foster	Participation in music
Mason Denham	Reaching beyond the stars
Theo Jackson	Ball control when playing football

House Point Winners:

The Blue Sapphires!

Stars of the Week:

Class 1: Mason Denham

Class 2: Isabella Place

Shining Stars:

Holly Ebbutt	Effort in all her work
Alista Archibald	Enthusiasm and effort
Kaylum Denham	Effort with improved handwriting
Olivia Leggett	Progress in reading
Mason Denham	Trying hard in all areas
Amelie Webb	Trying hard in all areas

Dates for your diary:

Wednesday 12 th Sept	Academy Consultation Period begins.
Tuesday 9 th Oct	Parents' Afternoon.
Monday 15 th Oct	Academy Consultation Period ends.
Friday 19 th Oct	End of Term 1
Tuesday 30 th Oct	Start of Term 2
Saturday 1 st Dec	Proposed date for academisation
Thursday 20 th Dec	End of Term 2
Monday 7 th Jan	Start of Term 3