

## 'Sowing seeds of success: growing courageous learners'

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**Newsletter 21**

Dear Parents,

### Year 3/4 Roman Day

Our Year 3/4 children learned all about the Romans last Friday. They learnt about the Roman Empire timeline, battle formations, took part in an archaeological dig and debating session. They all listened very well and had a fantastic day. Thank you to FOSS who helped to make this happen.

### Music For Life

Once again we are having the *Music For Life Concert* at school for all the children to attend on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> March. This year we look forward to learning about and listening to the bassoon.

### Uniform

There is a link directly to the schoolshop website on the home page of our school website. There is no obligation to buy anything other than the sweatshirt or cardigan from here. Thank you.

### World Book Day 1<sup>st</sup> March

Children can dress up as a character from their favourite book tomorrow for World Book Day. Each child will bring home a £1 voucher. We are asking for a non-uniform donation of 50p to go towards class and library books for the children to enjoy. Thank you for your support.

### Cake Stall

Jade class cake stall will be held on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March at 3.30pm in the school hall. The class that sells the most cakes per capita will be treated to afternoon tea with a parent at the end of the summer term. Please come along and support us. All money goes into FOSS funds to fund extra school visits free for you and your children.

### Parents Evenings week commencing 19<sup>th</sup> March for Reception to Year 5 Pupils

Parents Evening for children in Reception to Year 5 will take place week commencing 19<sup>th</sup> March. This interview is an opportunity for you to discuss your child's progress. Letters will be sent home with your child shortly to book your appointment time. Mrs Clark, our Home school link worker, is always here to help if appointment times are difficult. Please don't hesitate to contact her on the school number. Thank you.

### Year 3/4 Production 'What a Night'

Our Year 3/4 children will be performing 'What a Night' on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March and Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March. Both performances will commence at 5.30pm. More information regarding the production and tickets will be sent home with your child. Thank you.

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### Scooters and Bikes

Please can we politely remind you that scooters and bikes should not be ridden around the playground when bringing and collecting children for school. Thank you.

### Collecting Children

Please can you inform the school if someone different to usual is collecting your child at 3.30pm. Messages can be left with the teaching assistants on the door on a morning or you can contact the school office. Thank you.

### Website Updates

The following updates have been added to the website: newsletter, diary, dates and gallery photos.

### Dates for your diary

1<sup>st</sup> March - World Book Day  
6<sup>th</sup> March - Music 4 Life day  
8<sup>th</sup> March - FOSS meeting 7pm  
9<sup>th</sup> March - Bikeability day 1 group 1  
16<sup>th</sup> March - Bikeability day 2 group 1  
16<sup>th</sup> March - Jade (JC) class cake stall  
19<sup>th</sup> March - Parents evening week for Reception to Year 5  
19<sup>th</sup> March - Bikeability day 1 group 2  
22<sup>nd</sup> March - Y5 Enrichment day Thirsk School  
23<sup>rd</sup> March - Non uniform day for Easter tombola  
26<sup>th</sup> March - Bikeability day 2 group 2  
26<sup>th</sup> March - Year 3/4 production 5.30pm  
28<sup>th</sup> March - Year 3/4 production 5.30pm  
29<sup>th</sup> March - School closes for Easter break at 2.30pm  
17<sup>th</sup> April - School re-opens for summer term

### Attendance last week

Whole school attendance 96.3%. Unauthorised absence 0.3%. Best class attendance: Emerald class 100%. Well done.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs K Ungerechts  
Head Teacher

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