



Newsletter

Friday 14th June 2019

"All Learning Together"

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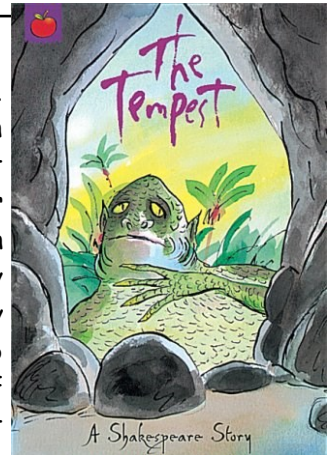
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Dear Parents,

In spite the weather, the second half of the Summer term has got off to a busy start. We welcomed two new pupils in Year 4 and they are settling well. All classes have been fully involved with arts activities during last week for our Art Theme Week. As a result



of this, we are now putting finishing touches to the backdrop for our end of year production of *The Tempest*. Our Year 6 children attended the Crucial Crew session in Scarborough where they found out about keeping safe—excellent preparation as they prepare for secondary school. Talking of which, our Year 6 children will be having their first proper experience of secondary school life when on Tuesday and Wednesday next



week, they will be out at their prospective secondary schools for their transition visits.

Teachers are continuing to work hard with their planning for our new topic curriculum which we will be launching fully in September. On Tuesday we had a very positive visit from our School Improvement Partner from the Local Authority. Likewise, I know that members of our Governing Board have been pleased with the progress we are making with all our plans.

Of course, the busiest five weeks of the year are still to come! My thanks to all of you who have sent in sweets and chocolate contributions for our Summer Fayre. We are certainly hoping for an improvement in the weather between now and the 28th of June.

Staff are also busy writing end of year reports which will come home on Wednesday 10th July. If your child has participated in any End of Key Stage Assessments, these results will be contained within the report. Within the



next fortnight, I will be sending you a letter regarding class organisation for September. We are delighted that we are able to maintain our four class structure for next year as it means we can maintain our relatively small class sizes. We will also be welcoming our new Reception pupils into school for their three transition visits and also appointing the new Year 6 buddies. Also on the horizon is the Bewerley Park residential for our Year 5 and 6 children and we are delighted that the touring production of *Matilda*



from Malton Secondary School will be performing here at Langton, with at least four of our alumni in starring roles.

The next FoLS Meeting will be on Tuesday 25th June at 3.15pm. This meeting will be making final preparations for the School Fayre on Friday. Please do let myself or a member of FoLS know if you are able to help on the day. We would be extremely grateful.

Many thanks for all your support in this very busy term.

Kind regards,

Rachel Ray





Attendance

The figures for the first 2 weeks of the Summer HT2 2019 term are



Reception:	94.4%
Year 1:	95.7%
Year 2:	99.2%
Year 3:	99.0%
Year 4:	93.5%
Year 5:	97.0%
Year 6:	100%
Overall:	96.8%

Well done to Year 6

for having 100% attendance!

FoLS Update

Thank you for all the donations of sweets and choc today for non-uniform day. Our prizes bucket and sweet stall are well stocked now!

The Summer Fayre is quickly coming round and we are super excited for what we have lined up. We will have hotdogs, Pimms, ice creams, strawberries & cream, fresh produce, cakes, traditional fayre games, kids entertainment and much, much more. Plus, our piece de

resistance - pony rides in the leafy glade! It is going to be a fantastic family event so please do bring along all the family.



We are looking for a few more volunteers to help us man stalls during the fayre, so if you think you can help, please email Vicky at vicky@olliepearsracing.co.uk

Our next meeting is on **Tuesday 25th June at 3.15pm** in the school hall, where we will be making sure it's all systems go for the Fayre and praying for sunshine!

- **Tuesday 25th June - next FoLS meeting, 3.15pm in school hall**
- **Friday 28th June - Summer Fayre, 3.30-5pm**

Looking forward to seeing you and your families,

The FoLS Team

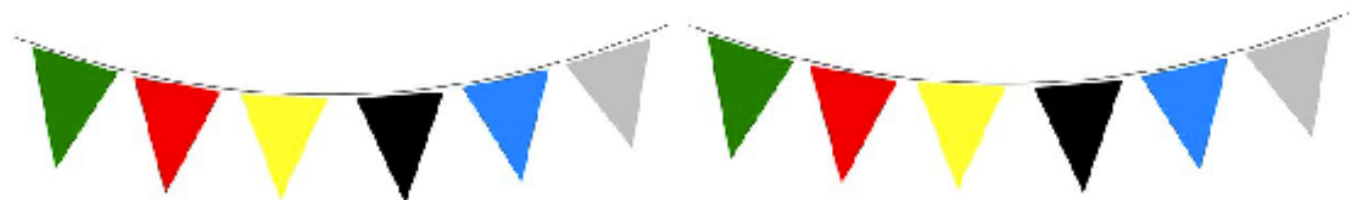


School Dinners

The children are all tucking into their delicious school lunches with gusto. Please see <http://www2.myschoollunch.co.uk/northyorks/primary-schools/about-us/menu/> for details of this term's menu. (although this is subject to change). Please note that pasta or jacket potatoes are available as an alternative to the menu, but please give Mrs Goodwill as much notice as possible, of any changes, and at least 24 hours, as we are not able to substitute a meal on the day.

School dinners for the second half of the Summer term are **£82.25. This must be paid in advance**, either weekly, half termly or termly through your ParentPay account. A reminder for all those bringing in packed lunches that **we have a nut free policy at Langton and ask that you please do not send nuts to school.** Thank you for your assistance with this.





FoLS presents

Langton Primary School's

TRADITIONAL SUMMER FAYRE

FRIDAY 28TH JUNE 2019

3.30pm to 5pm

WHAT'S ON



pony rides



Traditional games



Ice cream stall

pimms



Strawberries & cream



Hot dog stall



Cash prize raffle

(Proper sausages!)

*All proceeds go to Friends of Langton School

KS2 Multiskills

"On Wednesday 5th June, some of Rye Class went to Terrington Village Hall for a Multiskills competition. We had a great time doing these four events—football dribbling, hurdles, ladders and welly throwing.

"The events were supervised by the staff of Terrington Primary School. There were six other schools there and four people from our school got a certificate..

- ⇒ *Lottie got one for her amazing dribbling*
- ⇒ *Niall got one for the most points in welly wanging*
- ⇒ *Honor got one for the hurdles*
- ⇒ *Javan got one for the longest welly wang!"*

Report by Leon and Josie, Rye Class



Rose Theatre Trip

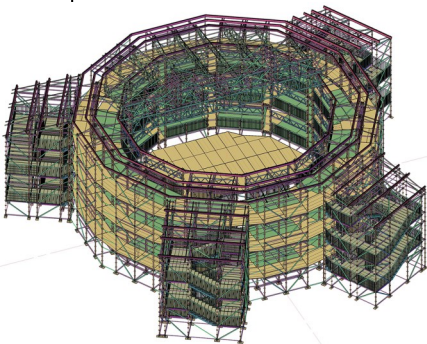
In preparation for their own end of year production, on Tuesday 9th July, Rye Class will be travelling to York to enjoy a performance of "The Tempest" at Shakespeare's Rose Theatre. The theatre itself first "popped up" in York last year, but has returned for a second year. The Theatre is currently well under construction and more information about this fascinating and very impressive pop-up structure can be found at <http://www.shakespearesrosetheatre.com/theatre>

More than 400 years ago, the first audiences for Shakespeare's plays enjoyed an experience that was as intimate as it was exciting, crowded in close to the actors and the action, in a small theatre in the bustling city of London. In an experience every bit as exciting, intimate and immersive will be offered to today's audience. The dramatic playhouse setting will pop-up beside the iconic 13th century Clifford's Tower in the heart of York.

The original Rose Playhouse was built in 1587 on the south bank of the River Thames in London. It was a slightly irregular 14-sided structure made of timber, with plaster exterior and a thatched roof, open in the centre to the elements. The success of The Rose Playhouse paved the way for other theatres to be built in the area, including The Swan in 1595, The Globe Theatre in 1599 and The Fortune in 1600. A trip to the new Rose Theatre for Rye Class to see a professional production of the play that they themselves will be performing, in authentic surroundings, should be most inspirational, as well as a great opportunity.

The coach will be leaving school at 9.15am so that we can arrive in York and get to the Theatre for the 11.00am performance. Children will need to bring a packed lunch with them, which they will be able to eat during the performance interval. Shakespeare's Rose Theatre is a temporary structure without air conditioning or heating; the temperature is dependent on the weather and seating is not covered so pupils will need to wear school uniform and may need a coat. We are aiming to leave York at 2.30pm to return to school but cannot guarantee that we will be back in time for the school bus, so please make arrangements for your child to be picked up if they usually go home on school transport.

FoLS have very kindly agreed to pay £10 per pupil towards the cost of the trip, but we would be grateful for a voluntary contribution of **£8.00** towards the cost of the transport to the Theatre. This will be added to your ParentPay account. **Please use ParentPay to give your consent for your child to go on the trip, and to provide us with emergency contact details for that day by Friday 28th June at the latest.**



Crucial Crew 2019

"On Tuesday 4th of June all the year sixes went to Scarborough to do a thing called Crucial Crew where we did a number of activities with local schools.

"Inside were lots of emergency services including police, lifeboat, ambulance and fire service. We took part in lots of activities relating to fire, electricity, shoplifting, graffiti and boy and girl stereotypes.

"During one activity we got to wear some special goggles that made you feel like you were drunk. We were also told about what it feels like to take drugs. All of it was very educational and everyone really enjoyed it. At the end we got free pencils :)."

Report by Robert, Year 6

Lifeboats



We're going on a Bug Hunt.....

Parents of Derwent and Foss Class pupils have this week received (by email) a letter from Mrs Laverack and Mrs C about the upcoming trip to Howsham Mill (on Monday 1st July) for some fun in the sun (we hope!!).



As well as being a great chance to enjoy some fresh air in the beautiful North Yorkshire countryside, the purpose of the visit is to address many outdoor learning and forest schools opportunities for learning. As well as looking at local history in our community and science objectives for E.Y.F.S and KS1, the children are sure to have lots of fun! The Education Officer at the Mill will lead the children in bread making and baking and will also provide materials for den building. Mrs Laverack and Mrs C will facilitate a minibeast/flora and fauna hunt and also complete some observational drawings.

The coach will depart from Langton at 9:20am for the short journey down to Howsham Mill; and the children will be back in school by the end of the school day. All children will need to bring a **packed lunch** and a water bottle, and as they will be outdoors for the

majority of the day and the conditions surrounding the mill are wood and meadowland, it is essential that the children all have covered legs (trousers or leggings) not shorts and skirts; with school shirts and hoodies. **Rain coats** and wellingtons, boots or outdoor trainers are a must as everyone will need to walk to and from different areas. Sun cream and hats are advised dependent on the weather.

Due to a generous contribution from FOLS there will be no charge for his visit as the transport costs have been met, but **we ask all Derwent and Foss parents to give your permission for your child to attend and your emergency contact details for the day via ParentPay, no later than Monday 24th June.** We would appreciate greatly, any family members (over 18's) who would be available to help supervise children on our visit. Please see either Mrs Laverack or Mrs Cummings if you are available.





School Council Update

In Ouse class, for democracy week we have been writing reasons why we should be chosen for the School Council. Quite a few people stepped forward for the roles. When we had finished seeing everyone's presentation we got to vote for who we wanted to be on the School Council. After break Miss Boyle announced that it was us! We were very happy.

This week the School Council have been busy making signs to go in the garden and collecting lots of packets of sweets for the Summer Fair.

Report by Lily & Harriet



Parent View

The Parent View website gives you the chance to tell OFSTED what you think about the school, asking for your opinion on 12 aspects of your child's school, from the quality of teaching, to dealing with bullying and poor behaviour. OFSTED will use the information you provide to help form judgements on schools. You can access Parent View from home at: <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/> or follow the direct link from the school website (Parents/Parent View)



Parent View
Your child's school



Staff Training Days:

Monday 2nd September 2019
Monday 6th January 2020
Monday 20th April 2020
Monday 1st June 2020
Monday 20th July 2020

HOLIDAY DATES 2019-2020

HOLIDAY	Last Day At School	First Day Back
Summer 2019	Friday 19 th July 2019	Tuesday 3 rd September 2019
Autumn half-term	Friday 25 th October 2019	Monday 4 th November 2019
Christmas 2019	Friday 20 th December 2019	Tuesday 7 th January 2020
Spring half-term	Friday 14 th February 2020	Monday 24 th February 2020
Easter 2020	Friday 3 rd April 2020	Tuesday 21 st April 2020
May Day	Thursday 7th May 2020	Monday 11th May 2020
Summer half-term	Friday 22 nd May 2020	Tuesday 2 nd June 2020
Summer 2020	Friday 17 th July 2020	

Dates for your diary

Non-Uniform Day	Friday 14th June
Year 6 Secondary School Transition Days	Tuesday 18th June
	Wednesday 19th June
FoLS Meeting	Tuesday 25th June @3.15pm
New Reception first transition visit	Wednesday 26th June, 1.15pm
Year 5 Experience Day @Malton School	Thursday 27th June
Sports Day & Summer Fair	Friday 28th June
Rye Class Bewerley Park Residential	Monday 1st—Friday 5th July
KS1 Trip to Howsham Mill	Monday 1st July
Year 2 Sports Day Event at MCSC	Wednesday 3rd July, 1.00-3.00pm
New Reception second transition visit	Thursday 4th July, 1.15pm
Whole school transition morning	Monday 8th July
Year 6 Puberty Talk	Monday 8th July (afternoon)
Rye Class Theatre Trip "The Tempest"	Tuesday 9th July
Costumes for KS2 Production	Wednesday 10th July
Reserve Sports Day	Wednesday 10th July
End of Year Reports to Parents	Wednesday 10th July
Malton School Touring Production of "Matilda"	Friday 12th July, 2.00pm
Production rehearsal at Norton College	Monday 15th July
Parents Evening Drop-in	Monday 15th July, 3.30-5.30pm
KS2 End of Year Production "The Tempest"	Wednesday 17th July 2.00pm & 6.00pm
Leavers Assembly	Friday 19th July, 9.00am
End of the 2018/19 School Year	Friday 19th July
Staff Training Day	Monday 2nd September
Start of the Autumn Term 2019/20	Tuesday 3rd September

Langton School Governing Board Meetings — Summer Term 2019

Full Governing Board	Thursday 11th July, 6.00pm
School Performance	Thursday 11th July, 2.00pm

Staff Training

Mrs Ray	Primary Leadership Network	Thursday 20th June
	Implementation Guidance Training	Thursday 27th June
Mrs C	Curriculum Design Staff Training	Friday 21st June

Changes to Routine

If your child's routine changes for any reason (e.g. they are being collected instead of going home on the bus), could you please ensure that you call or email the school office to confirm this. Thanks for your help with this.





Malton School

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OPEN DAY

Tuesday 2nd July 2019
9.30am – 3.00pm

Parents are invited to an open school event.
Please come and see the school in operation
on a normal school day.

Tours will operate between 9.30am and 3.00pm.
There will be a short presentation by the Headteacher
repeated at 10am, 12 noon and 2pm.

We seek to combine an emphasis on traditional values
with forward looking approaches to teaching and learning
to deliver the highest outcomes.

Please visit us to see if we can offer the right environment
for your child to flourish.

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