SAXTON NEWSLETTER

FRIDAY 15TH FEBRUARY 2019

SCHOOL NEWS

Good afternoon everyone,

Last week we had a focus on handwriting throughout school. We ran a competition to see who could write a school prayer using their neatest handwriting. We had prizes for the best presentation and most improved. The standard was phenomenal and choosing winners was extremely difficult.









MATHS WEEK

This week we have held a Maths week throughout school with the focus being on shape and space. In Willow they have been doing lots of practical activities exploring 2d and 3d shapes and having lots of fun along the way. Their valentines biscuits and midget gem 3d shapes also went down a treat -quite literally!







In Sycamore we have been working on finding the perimeter and area of 2D shapes. We identified the names of some irregular shapes by looking at their properties. We have created some art work based on Kandisky who creates art using a variety of shapes and sizes and at the end of the week, we used Tangrams to experiment with moving shapes around and we identified what type of angles they had.



In Maple this week, we have been learning all about angles and how to use a protractor. In class, on each table, Miss Holgate set up different angles for us to measure using a protractor. Later on in the week, we learnt about finding the missing angles around a point and on a straight line.







SCIENCE WITH STRAWBERRY LACES!

Maple have also been learning about adaptation in Science lessons. We gave 6 children different adaptations and then conducted an investigation to see who was best adapted to our classroom environment, where the only food supply was strawberry laces dangling from the classroom ceiling! The adaptations included hands tied behind backs, only able to move on knees, boxing gloves on hands and blindfolds. Here are some photographs of our investigation in action! It was great fun and we got to eat the strawberry laces afterwards too!







Have a great weekend.

Mr Garland-Collins, Miss Baldwin, Mrs Blades & Miss Holgate



TWITTER

Our Twitter account is now officially up and running!! There will be pictures and updates about events happening in school so you don't miss out on anything exciting.

Please follow us @SaxtonCE so you don't miss out on anything happening in school.

The link to our Twitter feed is also now on our website so if you are not yet into Tweeting you can still be kept up to date with the exciting things going on throughout school.

ROBINWOOD RESIDENTIAL

The information meeting for the Robinwood Residential on the 12th -14th June has been brought forward and will now take place on Friday the 8th of March.



RAINBOW AND VALUE AWARDS

Value Awards W/C 4th February go to:

Rory Watson-Compassion award for being kind, helpful and a good friend.

Sienna Leonard-Compassion award for always playing kindly and fairly without a fuss and always following instructions.

Meggy Spencer-Courage award for her great effort at cross country.

Sycamore-Whole class respect award for super listening during reflection time.

Rainbow Awards W/C 4th February week go to: Juliet Horne

Value Awards this week go to:-

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WELL DONE!!

CROSS COUNTRY EVENT

Well done to all our pupils who took part in the Cross Country Event at Selby College. A great time was had by all and the sun shone for us!













DIARY DATES

Monday 18th February :

• Total Sports after school club - Yr 3/4/5/6 3.30-4.30pm

Tuesday 19th February:

• Biscuit club for Yr 6 3.30-4.30

Wednesday 20th February:

- Bikeability for year 6
- Swimming Lessons for Sycamore
- Music lessons for Maple
- Cookery Club 3.30-5.00-CANCELLED

Thursday 21st February:

Bikeability Year 6

Friday 22nd February:

• Break up for half term

MENU CHANGES

Week 1

Tuesday:- Jam sponge and custard instead of roly poly and custard. Friday:- fish fingers with beans and peas instead of carrot sticks and apple salad. Cheese flatbread instead of cheese and onion flatbread.

Week 2

Tuesday:- Crispy chicken bites with tomato sauce instead of tomato salsa. Wednesday:- Sausages and yorkshire pud with savoy cabbage and carrots instead of carrot and parsnip.

Thursday:- Chicken in a tomato sauce with rice instead of quorn keema. Friday:- Fishcake with peas and carrots instead of peas and coleslaw.

Week 3

Monday: Carrot and cucumber sticks instead of fruity pasta salad Tuesday: Apple crumble and custard instead of apple tart Friday: Peas and carrots instead of mushy peas and beetroot salad

Please let us know if you would like to make any changes.

CAR PARKING REMINDER

Please be considerate when parking near the school crossing. If parked too close it can be very difficult to see if it is safe to cross, particularly at pick up time-thank you.



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Sherburnhigh.co.uk/



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Please <u>click here</u> to be re-directed to ParentPay, where you can pay for lunches and other school related items.



LUNCH MENU

Please <u>click here</u> to access the lunch link where you can make your child's choices for lunch this Spring Term. If you do make amendments please remember to let me know!!



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