



## Year 3/4 Bollywood Dancing

On Tuesday afternoon a lady called Janie came in and taught us some Indian dancing. We had to remember a whole routine of Bollywood dancing. The actions to the dance were difficult so we had to work really hard. It was really good fun! By Mia Holbrook and Tom Norman.

## **Change4Life Sports Festival**

On Tuesday, a group of Year 3/4s went to St John Fisher's to represent our school whilst doing sports. I really enjoyed the archery and the football. Overall I think everyone who went had a great time. By Reese Harrison.

"My favourite activities were archery and golf as they were both fun and exciting. It was a really good afternoon." By Amelia Dunseath.

## **Year 2 interviews from Harrogate High School Infant Agility**

On the 14<sup>th</sup> January, some Year 1 and Year 2 children went to Harrogate High School to participate in sport activities as part of our School Sports Partnership. Here is some feedback from children who went, enjoy!!!

"We went to Harrogate High School, my favourite activity was where there was a piece of material with holes in and you had to throw balls into it to score points." By Tyler Johnson.

"My favourite activity was running in the relay race, the best part was where there was a big tube that we had to go through, I thought everyone had a wonderful time!!!" By Martha Wilson.

"We did lots of different sports and I enjoyed the balancing beam and there was an activity where there was a sticky board and we had to aim at the bulls eye on the board and throw a sticky ball to stick on the board. I got the bulls eye!!" By Adam Sorrell.

Written by Kate McCartney and Phoebe Hall-Jones.

## Information for Parents



### School Dinners

The cost of school dinners for all Key Stage 2 school children is £2.10 per day, payable every half term. **Please note that all school dinners must be paid for in advance.** The cost of school dinners for this half term (until 13<sup>th</sup> February) is **£60.90**. Could you please pay online at [www.parentpay.com](http://www.parentpay.com).




### Free school meals and Assistance with Residential Visits

Free school meals and assistance with residential visits (such as Bewerley Park and East Barnby) are available to children whose parents receive certain benefits.

These include one or more of the following:

- income support;
- income-based Jobseekers' allowance;
- income-related employment and support allowance;
- child tax credit with an income of less than £16,190 and not in receipt of working tax credit;
- support under part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999;
- guarantee element of state pension credit.

Where parents are entitled to working tax credit during a four-week "run-on" period immediately after their employment has ceased, or after they have started to work fewer than 16 hours a week, their children are entitled to free school meals.

If you meet the above criteria, apply by using the  [application form \[56kb\]](#). Or collect a copy from the school office. Applications are usually processed the same day. If your child is entitled to free school meals you will receive a letter confirming the date when the meals will start. We will also be notified. You should continue to pay until confirmation comes through. We may be able to arrange reimbursement of payment made while your entitlement is being confirmed. If you are not entitled to free school meals, you will be notified in writing.

Free school meals claims cannot be backdated. They are awarded from the date we receive the application, once eligibility is confirmed.

If you have moved to North Yorkshire from another authority area, your entitlement to free school meals does not automatically transfer. You will need to re-apply using the above application form.

### **Free school meals - frequently asked questions (click for the answers)**

- If my child is at nursery or sixth form, are they still entitled to free school meals?
- What will my child receive as a recipient of free school meals?
- What do I need to do if my circumstances change?

### **Spring Term School Clubs**

Please find attached a list of the school clubs that are planned for this term. If you have any queries regarding any of the clubs and activities listed, please see the member of staff given as the contact.



### **Brilliant Board Games Club**



A reminder that the Brilliant Board Games Club runs on a Tuesday from 3.15 to 4.15 in Mr Broad's Classroom and is suitable for children from Year 2 to Year 6. We have had some new games donated, please see Mrs Edwards if your child is interested.



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## Swimming

### Year 2 Swimming Dates:

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2015 – Miss Jones' class  
Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2015 – Mrs Taylor's class  
Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2015 – Miss Jones' class  
Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2015 – Mrs Taylor's class  
Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2015 – Miss Jones' class  
Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2015 – Mrs Taylor's class  
Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2015 – Miss Jones' class  
Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2015 – Mrs Taylor's class  
Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2015 – Miss Jones' class

### Year 3/4 Swimming:

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December – Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> April – Mr Fraser Smith's class  
Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April – Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July – Mrs Collett's and Ms Smith's classes

# Awards

## House Point Winners:

### Key Stage 1 Awards

Evra Bailey  
Eddie Rainbow  
Ethan Gibbs  
Jay Slaterpartridge  
William Straker  
Ralph Ogden  
Joe Thompson  
Rachel Morris  
Jessica Hart  
Eva Hughes  
Lewis Jalal

### Lunchtime Awards

**Well done everyone!**

## Lupton House

### Key Stage 2 Awards

Lauren Ball  
Oliver Boxall  
Amelie Aylesbury  
Flynn Stankler  
Eva Condon  
Samuel Gibbs  
Lucy Coatesworth  
Konrad Plokarz  
Ruby Chapman  
Linnea Pollitt



## Dates for your Diary:

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> January** – Nursery (FS1) purple room parent consultations

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> January** – Reception (FS2) Pirate Day

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February** – Parent Teacher Consultation Evening  
3.30pm - 6.30pm

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February** – Parent Teacher Consultation Evening  
3.30pm – 6.30pm

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February** – Y1 trip to the Deep

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February** – Y2 trip to Sea Life Centre

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February** – Y6 Parents' information evening re-SATs and East Barnby

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> February** – Reception (FS2) Valley Gardens spring walk

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March** – Y3/4 Mrs Collett's and Mrs Coatesworth's classes trip to Drax

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March** – Nursery and Reception (FS1 & FS2) Easter Fun at Valley Gardens

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March** – Y5/6 Space Invasion event for parents  
2.00-3.00pm

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March** – Y2 Under the Sea show for parents 2.00pm

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March** – Y6 residential to East Barnby

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March** – Y1 Under the Sea show for parents  
2.00pm

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March** – Nursery and Reception (FS1 & FS2) Easter Bonnet Parade 9.20am & 1.30pm

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May** – Y4 residential to Beweley Park



## School Holidays

### Spring Half-Term Holiday:

School Closes: Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February at 3.15pm

Return to School: Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February at 8.55am

### Easter Holiday:

School Closes: Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March at **2.30pm**

Return to School: Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> April at 8.55am

### Summer Half-Term Holiday:

School Closes: Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 3.15pm

Return to School: Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June at 8.55am

### Summer Holiday:

School Closes: Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July at **2.30pm**

Bags2School collection - Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> February

### Cake Bake Dates:

When it is your child's class cake bake, please leave cakes under the pergola on Friday morning, ready for the cake bake after school.  
Thank You!



Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> January	Y3/4 Ms Smith
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January	Y5/6 Miss Riddle
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> January	Y3/4 Mrs Coatesworth
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	Y1 Miss Thompson
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	Y2 Mrs Taylor
<b>HALF TERM</b>	
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> February	Y3/4 Mrs Collett
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	Y5/6 Mr Frost
<b>Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>WHOLE SCHOOL CAKE BAKE - CHILDREN IN NEED</b>
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Reception Mrs Magill
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	2.30pm finish – NO CAKE BAKE

Well Done to Mrs Brooke's class who raised £31.80 last week.