

# Appleton Wiske Community Primary School



## Newsletter

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17 November 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

This week is anti-bullying week and all of the children and staff have signed our anti-bullying charter. Please see the attached information about our approach to bullying. If you would like to discuss this further, feel free to get in touch with me via the school office.



### ATTENDANCE

Our whole school attendance is currently 95.09% which is below our target of 97%. Please remember that I am unable to authorise holidays. **From September 2023, penalty notices will be issued for unauthorised absences which reach the local authority limit.** Thank you for helping us to maintain high rates of attendance. **Well done to Class 2 for winning the fortnightly attendance award.**



### YEAR 5/6 FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

On Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November, our Year 5/6 football team took part in a tournament in Northallerton. They played some fantastic football and finished in second place, missing out on top spot by goal difference! The team has qualified for the finals which will take place in Thirsk on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December. Congratulations to Ben, Charlie, Daisy, Edward, Erin, Eva Mae, Imogen, Jack, Kian, Teddy and Zak.



### YEAR 2 MULTISKILLS

Our Year 2 pupils had a great time at the recent multiskills event at Northallerton Leisure Centre. They enjoyed developing their running, jumping, throwing and catching skills. The children came home with lots of stickers for fantastic efforts, attitudes and achievements. Well done to Art, Ava, Darcy, Dylan, Henry, Jack, James, Jay, Jessie and Percy.



### WINTER WEATHER

Please remember to send your child to school with a warm winter coat every day as we will be going outside for playtimes and lunchtimes as much as possible.

### FRIENDS OF THE SCHOOL

The next meeting will take place on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November at 6.00pm at the Lord Nelson. We hope to see as many family members as possible. Thank you for your support.



### CHILDREN IN NEED

We would like to thank you for supporting our Children in Need appeal – in total we raised £105.45.

### SCHOOL BENCH

A big thank you to Richard Hauserman, one of our local residents, for giving the bench at the front of school a coat of paint and some TLC! It is very much appreciated.

Have a great weekend.

Yours faithfully

Mr N Clark  
Head Teacher

**Happy, Healthy and Productive**

## DIARY DATES



23<sup>rd</sup> November – Crucial Crew, Carlton Lodge – Y6  
 23<sup>rd</sup> November - Friends Meeting - Lord Nelson, 6.00pm – 7.00pm  
 30<sup>th</sup> November – Phonics Information for Class 1 Parents – 2.00pm  
 7<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Jumper Day – ‘Save the Children’  
 7<sup>th</sup> December – Y5/6 Football Finals – Thirsk  
 13<sup>th</sup> December – C1 Nativity – 9.30am – 10.30am, 2.00pm – 3.00pm  
 14<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Lunch  
 18<sup>th</sup> December – Musical Performance – 2.30pm - 3.00pm  
 20<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Carol Concert  
 22<sup>nd</sup> December – Special Visitor – “Ho Ho Ho!”  
 22<sup>nd</sup> December – School Closes for Christmas Break

## ABSENCE

Please ensure the school office is notified by 9.00am either by telephone or email if your child is absent from school due to illness.

Thank you.



## COMMUNITY LINKS



Used stamp collection for bone cancer research trust and cystic fibrosis.

Please keep sending in your used stamps, Thank you.

## AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Please let us know your club arrangements. Booking forms and Parental Contracts are available from the office.

### CLUB ACTIVITIES – W/C 20<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER AND 27<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023



**MONDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

**CHOCOLATE MUFFINS**

**TUESDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

**AUTUMN CRAFTS**

**WEDNESDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

**COMPUTER GAMES**

**THURSDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

**FOOTBALL / INDOOR GAMES**

**FRIDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

**FILMS AND GAMES**

**MONDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

**HOT DOG ROLL-UPS**

**TUESDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

**ADVENT CALENDAR**

**WEDNESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

**COMPUTER GAMES**

**THURSDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

**FOOTBALL / INDOOR GAMES**

**FRIDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER 2023**

**FILMS AND GAMES**

## LUNCH MENU

**W/C 20<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

Main Choice **OR** SANDWICH

Monday - Pasta Bolognese Bake **OR** Cheese Sandwich  
 Tuesday - Chicken Burger in a Bun **OR** Ham Sandwich  
 Wednesday - Roast Loin of Pork **OR** Chicken Sandwich  
 Thursday - Mexican Beef Pitta & Rice **OR** Tuna Sandwich  
 Friday - Fish & Chips **OR** Egg Sandwich



## LUNCH MENU

**w/c 27<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

Main Choice **OR** Jacket Potato

Monday - Mac & Cheese **OR** JP with Baked Beans  
 Tuesday - Nacho Beef Bake & Rice **OR** JP with Tuna  
 Wednesday - Roast Chicken & Mash **OR** JP with Veg Bolognese  
 Thursday - All Day Breakfast **OR** JP with Cheesy Beans  
 Friday - Salmon Star & Chips **OR** JP with Cheese