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NEW MENUS – WEEK 1
AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS

Friday 23rd June 2023

Dear Parents,

In school this week we have continued to think about our Christian value of Respect and we were able to deepen our understanding by learning about some of the events which are happening around the world. One of these events was Juneteenth which is celebrated in America on June 19th to remember the end of slavery in the States in 1865. As our oldest children are currently learning about slavery, in the past and present day, they were able to demonstrate their knowledge and make links with their learning to our value of Respect. We have also continued to think about Pride month and celebrated our own sense of self in the clothes that we wore on Friday. Thank you for also taking the opportunity to support the school with items for our school fair which is taking place on July 2nd.

Next week is Enterprise Week where each class will be making items to sell at the Summer Fair. This event is supported by the PTFA where each class is loaned a sum of money which they have to pay back after the sale of their items. This event is a competition between the classes and parents are encouraged to help the children with ideas for making and selling things. Any profit that is made will be spent on resources for their class or put towards something that they would really like to do. Good luck everybody!

Change in School Times

Following government guidelines, we need to extend our school day by 15 minutes. The following proposed timings have to be agreed by governors, but from September 2023, the school day will begin at 8:45 and the school day will finish at 3:15. When these times have been agreed, we will send the details formally.

Happy Book

In the Happy Book this week; the MDAs thanked Finley for fixing another child's scooter at lunchtime and I thanked Harry and Pablo for their gift of a paper aeroplane and the lesson in how to fly it!

Achievement from Home and School

Home: Leia, Esmée and Robin were all very proud of their Learn to Swim Level 3 certificates; Lyra was presented with her Level 6 Trampolining award; Max was excited to tell us about the award he received on his first day at karate for being pupil of the week and Isabelle has continued with her success in football after her team won another football tournament at the weekend.

School: The following children have all achieved their **Bronze Athletics** award; Pablo, Laura, Noah, Mya, Elsie-Mae, Max, George, Joshua, Louie, Olivia, Sophia, Jessica, Esmée and Isabelle. Harper, Noah, Otis, Leia, Mya, Darcy, Amalie and Belle were presented with their **Gold Building Learning Power award** and Max was very proud of his **Platinum BLP** award. Our class **Spelling Shed** superstar is Durrington class with 42,060,815 points and our **Top 10 Super-Spellers** are Charlie, Aaron, Joshua, Noah, Alfie, Tilly, Patrick, Mya, Tommy and Isabelle. Oliver, Sophia, Lenny, Belle, Amelie, Isabelle, Ray, Ruby, Harry, Poppy and Archie lead our school to victory in the rounders tournament at Leventhorpe School on Tuesday. We are so proud to retain the rounders cup!

Roll of Honour

Our Learning Heroes this week: Children who have shown respect by readily helping to tidy up.

Copeland: Scarlett always tries hard to tidy up and she will scan the room for toys to put away.

Durrington: Esmée and Teddy are always offering to tidy up the classroom and the book corner.

Fitzwalter: Minnie always works hard to make sure the classroom is a neat, organised and lovely place to be.

Quickbury: Danielle is always helpful in tidying up the classroom. Her desk is always tidy and she is keen to help others tidy up their mess.

Well done children. You are all TERRIFIC!

Mrs Brittain's Star of the Week

My Stars of the Week are Amelie, Charlie and Lilly Mai who have all shown respect to others by helping to tidy up without being asked.

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Birthdays: Today we sang the birthday song to Jack, Oskar, Charlie and Darcy.

Dates

Please note these dates are subject to change if necessary.

Every Friday from 9th June – PTFA Ice Cream Sale after school

Monday 26th June: Enterprise Week

Sunday 2nd July: PTFA Summer Fair

Tuesday 4th July: Sports Day (am)

Tuesday 11th July: KS2 Performance (am)

Wednesday 12th July: KS2 Performance (6pm)

Wednesday 19th July: Leavers BBQ (after school)

Thursday 20th July: Leavers' Assembly

Thursday 20th July: Last Day of term (school finishes at 1.30pm)

Friday 21st July: Inset Day (non-pupil day)

Have a good weekend,

Mrs Lorna Brittain
Headteacher