



October Right of the Month
Article 30

You have the right to your own culture, language and religion. Minority groups need special protection for this right.

Thursday 24th October 2024
 Letter 8

AFTER HALF-TERM AT SCHOOL

Monday 4th November	SCHOOL OPENS FOR AUTUMN 2 TERM 3.20pm Y3-6 KS2 Mr Scaife Sports club 3.20pm Y3-6 Drumming after-school club
Tuesday 5th November	
Wednesday 6th November	Y4/5 Swimming Y5/6 Tag rugby competition NO Craft club after school 6.00pm Karate Club (external provider)
Thursday 7th November	Y1/2 Mr Scaife after school sports club
Friday 8th November	My Darcy After school Football club

The weekly letter is now also on the school website under the newsletter tab.

Attendance for each year group this week is:				<p>Well done this week to class Reception class again with 100%!</p> <p>Attendance for the first half term is 95.9%</p> <p>Please remember to call us before 9.00am if your child is absent.</p> <p>If you don't contact us, we will call you and work down our contact list.</p> <p>If we still cannot contact you, we may come to your house to do a welfare check.</p>
Reception	100%	Year 4	95.6%	
Year 1	98.8%	Year 5	92.8%	
Year 2	98.3%	Year 6	96.8%	
Year 3	95%	Whole School	%	
Safeguarding Lead – Mrs Fiona Sharp Deputy Safeguarding Lead – Mr Dave Fenn Safeguarding Governor – Mr Richard Shuttleworth				

Dear Parents/Carers,

This has been one of the longer half terms at school and the children, (and staff), all seem ready for the half term break. We hope you have a lovely week, whatever you have planned, enjoying the many beautiful colours that autumn brings.

READING COMPETITION MESSAGE FROM MR PATERSON

Our amazing reading ambassadors are running a competition to promote reading at Broomfield School! All your child needs to do is to read a book (or two!) and write a book review. They have asked me to remind everyone in Y2-Y6 that, for every book review completed, your child will receive an entry into a draw to win a £10 book token prize. Teachers have provided the children with a template for their book reviews.

There is a prize for each year group involved, and the deadline is the first Monday back after half term (4th November). The more reviews completed, the more chances your child has of winning the prize. Get reading!



HARVEST COLLECTION FOR HAMBLETON FOOD SHARE

Thank you so much for the donations of food. We have been inundated with tins, packets, bottles and packages that will make such a huge difference to people in our local community. The school council have been busy delivering the food to the Hambleton Foodshare this afternoon, who were very thankful for our donations.

COLLECTIONS FOR THE POPPY APPEAL

Once again, thank you for all your kind donations towards the British Legion Poppy Appeal. This week the children have enjoyed getting poppies, wristbands and keyrings in exchange for their kind donations. The year 5s have collected lots of donations during breaktimes. This will continue for a week after half-term, where the Y6 children will collect donations (again during breaktime) so you haven't lost your chance to get your hands on a poppy yet!



FANTASTIC FOOTBALLERS TRIUMPH IN THIRSK

A very busy week of football has seen both the Y5/6 Girls and Boys teams compete at the Hambleton regional finals afternoons at Thirsk High School. Both teams competed against the top 9 teams from all the sports clusters in the region. The level of strength, speed and skill on show was truly impressive and both teams had to up their game hugely, even after winning the qualifying round to compete amongst the best. All the games in both competitions very evenly matched, tense and nail biting, but our Broomfield teams did not disappoint...

The boys really gelled as a team with some excellent teamwork, positivity in adversity and brilliant skill to win 5 of their 7 games: drawing and losing narrowly in the other. Some brave goalkeeping, speedy attacking, strong defending and some crucial last-minute goals demonstrated the boys' resilient spirit to fight to the end. Their efforts were rewarded with a very impressive silver medal, coming second in the whole tournament! A special mention also to Teddy, who was named as 'most valuable' player of the whole tournament for his great skill on the ball and stunning strikes.



Improving on the impressive performances in Northallerton even further, the girls' determination, fitness, teamwork and resilience was tested to the max in some very close encounters. Winning all but one of their 7 games, the girls came back from losing positions, passed fluidly, defended bravely and scored some stunning team goals to put themselves in contention of becoming tournament victors. A nervous wait for the results led to excited celebrations as the girls were crowned CHAMPIONS OF HAMBLETON!!! With gold medals around their necks, they will now progress to compete against the best teams in North Yorkshire in York in January. In addition to the team success, Eva was named as best goalkeeper of the tournament and Sophie received a medal for her superb performances too.

Well done to both teams – we are all very proud indeed
We hope you have a lovely half term break, school opens Monday 4th November.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs Fiona Sharp
 Headteacher

FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Date	Event
Friday 25th October	School closed for training day
Monday 4th November	School opens for Autumn 2
Wednesday 6 th November	Y5/6 Tag Rugby competition
Tuesday 12 th November	Year 6 Crucial Crew Safety Education at Carlton Lodge
Tuesday 12 th to Tuesday 19 th November	Scholastic book fair
Thursday 14 th November	FOBS Bingo evening
Friday 15 th November	Flu vaccinations Children in Need Day
Thursday 21 st November	7.00pm FOBS Meeting – all welcome
Monday 25 th November	Arete Trust School Visit
Tuesday 26 th November	Governor meeting 2
Monday 2 nd December	FOBS Christmas Elfridges
Tuesday 3 rd December	FOBS Christmas Elfridges
Thursday 5 th December	FOBS Christmas fair
Tuesday 10 th December	2.00pm Y1/2 Christmas performance 6.00pm Y1/2 Christmas performance
Wednesday 11 th December	2.00pm Reception Christmas play
Thursday 12 th December	2.00pm Y3/4 Christmas performance 6.00pm Y3/4 Christmas performance
Monday 16 th December	2.00pm Y5/6 Christmas performance 6.00pm Y5/6 Christmas performance
Wednesday 18 th December	Christmas dinner
Thursday 19 th December	Christmas parties
Friday 20 th December	Santa round the tree Break up for the Christmas holidays at 2.30pm