



### **May - Article 29**

Your education should help you to develop your talents and abilities. It should also help you learn to live peacefully, protect the environment and respect other people.

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2025

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Dear Parents/Carers,

## **Next Week at School**

<b>Monday 19<sup>th</sup> May</b>	SFX staff to meet Y6 student for transition 3.20pm KS2 Mr Scaife sports club
<b>Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> May</b>	3.20pm Year 6 London residential meeting 'Cycling for All' hosted at Broomfield 5.45pm Governor meeting 5
<b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May</b>	6.00pm Karate Club (external provider)
<b>Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May</b>	Northallerton school and Sixth Form college staff to speak to staff about y6 transition 4.00pm Arete Learning Trust Governor conference
<b>Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May</b>	KS2 Celebration assembly 3.20pm <b>NO</b> Mr Darcy After School Football club <b>3.20PM SCHOOL BREAKS UP FOR MAY HALF TERM HOLIDAY</b>

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

Attendance for each year group this week is:				<b>Well done this week to Year 1 for the highest attendance in school – 100%!!</b> <b>Please remember to call us before 9.00am if your child is absent.</b> <b>If you don't contact us, we will call you and work down our contact list.</b> <b>If we still cannot contact you, we may come to your house to do a welfare check.</b>
Reception	94.8%	Year 4	98.3%	
Year 1	100%	Year 5	98.2%	
Year 2	96.3%	Year 6	99.6%	
Year 3	95.8%	Whole School	97.7%	
Safeguarding Lead – Mrs Fiona Sharp Deputy Safeguarding Lead – Mr Dave Fenn Safeguarding Governor – Mr Richard Shuttleworth				

### **YEAR 6 SATS WEEK**

We are so proud of our year 6 children who have had a week of assessments each morning as part of the National Y6 assessments. These are completed under very strict conditions and sent off to be marked externally. They have all tried hard and showed resilience during some really quite difficult assessments. We will be holding a parent information evening for year 6 parents in September to share information about the end of year assessments and how to help prepare your child for them during year 6. Here they are enjoying a well-earned ice-cream celebration afternoon in the sun to mark the end of the week!



### **THANK YOU TO YEAR 2**

Last Friday our Year 2 children were wonderful, helping us with our teacher recruitment. Their behaviour was exemplary, and we were very proud of them. We were successfully able to recruit a teacher for 3 days a week to work in Year 2 from September. We will tell you more about who we appointed once their school parents have been notified.

### **NEW WEBSITE AND PROMOTIONAL PHOTOS**

You may have seen various fabulous photos of our children on promotional things such as job vacancies for our school and the Arete Learning Trust. On Monday 9<sup>th</sup> June, we have photographers coming to do updated photos for a new school website, including drone footage, and photos for future promotional things. If you have not given your child permission to be in photos, they will be given a white sticker to wear to make sure they are not shown. If you have previously not given permission and would like your child to feature on any of the photos, please get an updated permissions form from the office.

### **TCHOUKBALL CHAMPIONS!**

On Tuesday our Year 3/4 Tchoukball team were very excited to finally take part in a re-arranged tournament at Northallerton Leisure Centre. After an exciting warm-up and a reminder of the rules to this fast-paced, energetic and skilful game the children took part in 5 matches against the other Northallerton schools. They improved with every game as their understanding of the tricky rules and tactics grew. There was some excellent leadership on display as the team used resilience, quick-thinking and excellent communication to organise themselves into a formation with roles that worked very successfully in the games. The team remained undefeated all afternoon with some very impressive victories. A nervous wait as the results were tallied and then it was revealed that Broomfield were the winners! A special mention also goes to Izzy, who was identified by the young leaders for the excellent leadership and encouragement of the team. We are very proud of our brilliant representatives of the school with their gold medals around their necks!



Yours sincerely



Mrs Fiona Sharp

## FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY – WE WILL ADD MORE AS THEY OCCUR

Date	Event
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	3.20pm Y6 London residential parent meeting 5.45pm Governor meeting 5
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	School breaks up at 3.20pm for May half term holiday
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Year 4 multiplication assessment fortnight
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Premises health and safety visit Reception educational visit
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> June	Y5/6 Sports hall athletics
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 1 Phonics assessment week Photographers in school for new website photographs FOBS Fathers Day Elfridges
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3/4 Sports hall athletics
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> June	English Hub visit day 3
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	Y3/4 Mini-tennis competition Year 6 Residential visit to London to Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> June
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Year 1 Educational visit KS2 Sports afternoon
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	5.45pm New Reception Parents Information evening
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	KS1 and Reception sports afternoon
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 Richmond School transition day 1
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Year 6 Richmond School transition day 2
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Year 6 SFX School transition day 1
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Year 6 SFX School transition day 2
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Governor and Areté school visit
Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	FOBS Summer fair
Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> July to lunch time Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Thirsk Secondary transition day
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Bedale High School transition day 1
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Bedale High School transition day 2 Y 1/2 Multi-skills competition
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Northallerton School transition day 1 Whole school transition morning 1
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Northallerton School transition day 2 Whole school transition morning 2
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	2.00pm Y6 Leavers afternoon tea 5.45pm Governor meeting 6
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 5 Festival fun day at Northallerton School and Sixth Form
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	2.30pm Break up for the summer holidays