



NEWSLETTER

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News from the Classes

KS1 have had a great week exploring Tudor life as part of our History topic. We researched Tudor clothes, food and jobs and compared them to life today.

We had a fantastic experience of what it would have been like to live as a Tudor during our visit to Ryedale Folk Museum. We spent time carrying out jobs in the Tudor home, made medicines to cure the plague and even had a go at Tudor Calligraphy. Everyone had a great time and showed super behaviour and enthusiasm.



KS2: Just in case you haven't noticed the rehearsals for the Christmas production are in action. The children are bringing home their costume list; please could they bring costumes into school as soon as possible. The next task is to help with the learning of lines and the words for the songs please. A performance runs smoothly when everyone knows their part.

In English we have been working on the updating of the Castleton leaflet. Hopefully the audience will be entertained and informed in the new updated leaflet.

In Maths the work has been looking at 2D shapes and how they are organised, in terms of their properties. We have learnt that a polygon is the name of any 2D shape whether regular or irregular and not a dead parrot!!!

On Wednesday morning all the KS2 children took part in the Sports Hall Athletics event at Caedmon College Whitby. They enjoyed trying a range of track and field events and were enthusiastic participants. There was an excellent team spirit with the children offering each other plenty of support and encouragement.

Social, Emotional, Health and Wellbeing: This week we have been looking at healthy lifestyles and focused on the importance of a healthy diet, exercise and a good sleep routine. A healthy body creates a healthy mind!

Attendance: This week's attendance was **95.65%** and, as a school, we aim for at least **97%**.

Years 5 & 6 Peat Rigg May 2019

For those parents who wish to pay the contribution by instalments, please note that the first instalment is due by the end of this month. Thank you.

Updated List of Dates up to Christmas

Please find enclosed an updated list of dates of events etc up to Christmas which, as always, is subject to change!

Next Week

Monday

Choir

Wednesday

Year 4 Forest Schools, afternoon

Open Afternoon for September 2019 new starters, 2pm

KS2 Homework Club

Thursday

Fitness Club

Friday

Music Lessons with Mr Cross and recorders