

# **Romanby Primary School Newsletter**

## Issue 12, April 2022

It has been a really busy few days in school this week and everyone is looking forward to the Easter holiday but it was great to see the video Mrs Mayhew has shared with everyone that shows the fantastic range of learning experiences that the children have taken part in this term: https://youtu.be/WMnvQyTQXAA

Thank you to everyone who has supported the children and staff this term. It has been great to be able to do more things over the last few weeks such as sporting events and performances despite staffing absences. We are looking forward to more great learning opportunities next term!

Mrs Mayhew starts her maternity leave today and everyone is waiting excitedly to hear from her in a few weeks. We welcome Mrs Cornock who will be teaching in Y6 on Monday and Tuesday. Mrs Allen will be taking on the role of acting deputy headteacher and Mrs Clarke will take on the leadership of the Y5/6 team while Mrs Mayhew is absent.

We hope everyone has a great Easter holiday.

#### **Rights Respecting Ambassadors**

This week our ambassadors led team assemblies to remind the children about their work and our Secrets of Success. Despite some nerves, they did a great job!

#### Saltholme Visit

The children in EYFS/KS1 had a busy time at the RSPB nature reserve at Saltholme as part of their Wriggle and Crawl Imaginative Learning Project. They had a wonderful time exploring the environment and finding both land and pond minibeasts to learn more about. It was a brilliant end to their imaginative learning project!

## Y3/4 Production

Congratulations to the children and staff in Y3/4 who shared great performances of Mystery at Magpie Manor this week. It takes a lot of confidence to perform in front of an audience in whatever role you have whether it is acting or singing. It was great to see the children really enjoying the show! Here is a link to the performance if you would like to watch it: <u>https://youtu.be/A0EyTRrwT2g</u>

## Y5/6 Hockey

Well done to the children in Y5/6 who were fantastic representatives for the school at the inter-school hockey competition earlier this week. The team played well and really enjoyed themselves.

#### **Easter Celebrations**

Thank you to Romanby Methodist Church for inviting the children to visit them this week to find out more about the Easter Story. Over the last few weeks representatives from all the local churches have been leading assemblies to help the children understand the importance of this time in the Christian calendar. They children also had some great questions about Easter. Next term we will be looking at some of the beliefs of other religions as well as some of the current issues affecting us all.

## Learning The Ropes

#### Friday 8th April 5-6.30pm

Northern Saints Youth for Y5 & Y6 invite you to All Saints for a night of Learning The Ropes. You will be able to go up to the Bell Tower, learn how to ring the bells and go up even further to see the huge church bells.For more info please contact Donneta Tel: 07482343422

## FoRS

Thank you to the Friends of Romanby School for organising the Easter competitions and raffles in the run up to the holiday. As well as having some fun, their fundraising support is really appreciated by everyone in school.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our Easter egg and bonnet competitions. The creativity shown in these entries was fantastic! The winners chosen were as follows:

KS1 Easter bonnet competition winners- Harper S (3<sup>rd</sup> place), Lola D (2<sup>nd</sup> place) & Koby J (1<sup>st</sup> place)

KS1 Easter egg competition winners- Aria H (3<sup>rd</sup> place), Francesca K (2<sup>nd</sup> place) & Rex H (1<sup>st</sup> place)

KS2 Easter bonnet competition winners- Summer N (3<sup>rd</sup> place), Florence K (2<sup>nd</sup> place) & Lily W (1<sup>st</sup> place)

KS2 Easter egg competition winners- Lily W (3<sup>rd</sup> place), Summer N (2<sup>nd</sup> place) & Rosie H (1<sup>st</sup> place)

#### **Parent Questionnaire**

Thank you to everyone who completed our online survey. We are analysing the results and will share some of the actions arising from the feedback next term.

#### Covid-19

As you will be aware, from 1st April national COVID-19 education guidance changed. New guidance states that children with mild symptoms such as a runny nose, sore throat, or mild cough, who are otherwise well, can continue to attend their education or childcare setting. Children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and where possible avoid contact with other people. They can go back to education or childcare setting when they no longer have a high temperature and they are well enough.

If a child or young person has a positive COVID-19 test result they should try to stay at home and where possible avoid contact with other people for 3 days after the day, they took the test. The risk of passing the infection on to others is much lower after 3 days, if they feel well and do not have a high temperature.

Children and young people who usually attend an education or childcare setting and who live with someone who has a positive COVID-19 test result should continue to attend as normal.

#### Stars of the week

Every Friday we have a special celebration assembly when staff give out awards that link to our "Secrets of Success". Congratulations to the following children who received the "Star of the Week" award in our last two celebration assemblies:

Mrs. Allen's class	James N, Casper H
Mrs. Hugill's class	Ella S, Lola D
Miss. Hillary's class	Benjamin T, Isabella S
Mrs. Week's and Mrs. Crocker's class	Charlotte, Maisie,
Miss Lewis' class	Grayson H, Ivy C
Miss Payne's class	Maxim A, Eva B

Mrs. Bradnam's and Mrs. Everitt's class	Lily Faro, Sadie W
Mrs. Seal's class	Whole School
Mrs. Howe's and Mrs. Mayhew's class	Niamh T, Isabella W
Mrs. Clarke's class	Whole School

## **Team Point Scores**

Congratulations to the Yellow Lions who have won the Team Point Award for this half term. The last couple of weeks have been a really tight competition!

Team	Total this school year	Total this half-term
Blue Sharks	1896	339
Green Geckos	1667	291
Red Dragons	1694	295
Yellow Lions	1728	341



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