



# Romanby Primary School Newsletter

“Making Every Moment Matter”

4<sup>th</sup> October 2024

Drama workshops, a visit from the fire service, learning at Preston Hall Museum and two hockey tournaments are just some of the activities different groups of children have been involved with over the past couple of weeks along with all their normal lessons. We have also started the Mastering Number programme in EYFS and KS1. This project aims to secure firm foundations in the development of good number sense for all children from Reception through to Year 1 and Year 2. The aim over time is that children will leave KS1 with fluency in calculation and a confidence and flexibility with number.

## Parent/Teacher meetings

In the next few days you will receive an email with details of how to make a booking for our parent/teacher meetings on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> October.

## Attendance

From the first day of term to the last, the small moments in a school day make a real difference to your child. We are aiming for at least 96% attendance which as the thermometer shows equates to missing just seven school days each year.

## Governing Body Vacancy

The vacancy for a parent governor has been filled by Mr. A. Dale

## Writing Competition

We have been busy reading lots of writing competition entries and have been blown away by how many have entered. It has been wonderful to see the children ignite their creative writing skills. The winners will be announced in an assembly before half term. Thank you all for your fabulous entries. Mrs Clarke.

## Sports events

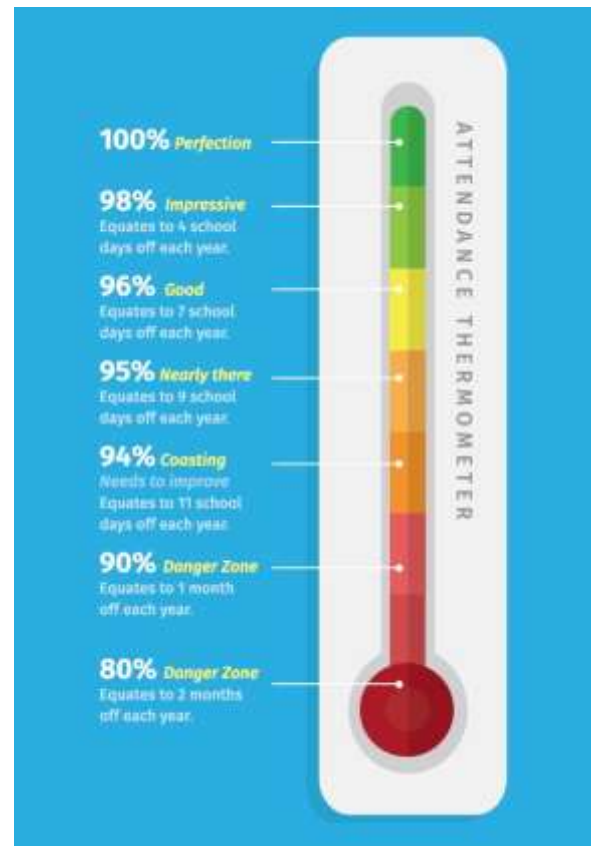
### Y5/6 Hockey

On Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September our Y5/6 team aced the hockey competition with Seth Wh, Oliver, Maisie, Summer, Alyssa. Zoe, Harrison, Sadie, Grayson and Elliott W all smashing the game with scoring and defensive skills. We didn't win but the experience was amazing and really fun for everyone. By Summer



### Y3/4 Hockey

A group of Y3/4 children (Lincoln, Annie, Daniel, Joshua, Charlie, Emily, Hameed, Ella, Isaac and Darcy) attended the interschools Y3/4 hockey competition on Wednesday of this week at the Leisure Centre. All the children really impressed with their enthusiasm and keenness. Even after a few injuries, their bravery at getting back on the pitch impressed us all. A couple of excellent defence moves earned Lincoln a mention. Well done to all of you.



## Photographs

A reminder that individual school photos are taking place next Tuesday.

## Diary Dates

The Y3/4 project open afternoon is on 4<sup>th</sup> December not the 4<sup>th</sup> November as listed in the last newsletter. Apologies for listing the wrong date.

- 7th October FoRS EYFS/KS1 Bake Sale
- 8th October Individual Photographs
- 9th October Y5/6 Girls Football Competition
- 16th October Y5/6 Football Competition
- 16th October EYFS Phonics meeting for parents at 6pm
- 17th October Y6 Inter School Debate at County Hall
- 17<sup>th</sup> October Collection for Hambleton Foodshare
- 21<sup>st</sup> October Y1/2 Project workshop for parents
- 22nd October FoRS Halloween Discos
- 23rd October Parent/Teacher Meetings
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- 24th October Reception "Stay and Play"
- 25th October Staff Training Day (school closed)
- 28th October Half Term Week
- 5th November FoRS Non-uniform Day
- 6th November Y5/6 TAG Rugby Competition
- 11th November FoRS KS2 Bake Sale
- 12<sup>th</sup> November Y6 at Crucial Crew
- 15<sup>th</sup> November Children in Need Day
- 26<sup>th</sup> November FoRS Christmas Fair
- 4<sup>th</sup> December Y3/4 Project open afternoon for parents
- 10<sup>th</sup> December Reception Christmas "Sing Song"
- 11<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day
- 16<sup>th</sup> December Y3/4 Christmas Party
- 17<sup>th</sup> December Y5/6 Christmas Party
- 18<sup>th</sup> December Reception Christmas Party
- 19<sup>th</sup> December Y1/2 Christmas Party
- 20th December Last day of term

Dates are also on our website [Calendar < Romanby Primary School](#)

We have been asked to remind parents about the following websites that might be helpful;  
[The Go-To - Emotional wellbeing and mental health \(thegoto.org.uk\)](#) the home of wellbeing and mental health for young people in North Yorkshire.

<https://www.hnyhealthiertogether.nhs.uk/> This website provides consistent and high-quality advice from local health professionals. You'll find clear information on common childhood illnesses, including advice on what 'red-flag' signs to look out for, where to seek help if required and how long your child's symptoms are likely to last.

## 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:

<b>Reception</b>	Rain, Jaxson, Alaia, Robin
<b>Mrs. Seal’s class</b>	Aimee, Imogen, Josh, Whole Class
<b>Mrs. Whittaker’s class</b>	Thomas, Halo, Joshua, Isaac, Omar
<b>Mrs. Weeks’ and Mrs. Crocker’s class</b>	Ella, Lincoln, Francesca, Esme
<b>Mrs. Holme’s class</b>	Zak, Omra, Rosie, Tabitha
<b>Mrs. Hugill’s class</b>	Harry, Dylan, Summer, Toby
<b>Mrs. Slaney’s class</b>	Poppy, Emilia, Joshua, Nathan, Edie, Rowan
<b>Mrs. Howe’s class</b>	Edward, Millie, Macey, Ashton
<b>Mrs. Clarke and Mrs. Webster’s class</b>	Isabel, Harrison, Peter, Erica

## Safeguarding

If you ever have any concerns about the safety or wellbeing of a child at our school, please speak to one of our Safeguarding Leads. Our Designated Safeguarding Lead is Mr Foxwell and the Deputy Safeguarding Lead is Miss Jenkins.



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