



Haxby Road News

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What glorious weather! We have been very fortunate to have a mini-heatwave for our recent outdoor events. Sports Day was a fantastic celebration of the children's skills and achievements last week. It was wonderful watching the speed and agility of some of our children whilst seeing them develop wonderful team skills. They were a real credit to you as parents and to school!

Whilst we are loving the sunshine, please remember to send your child into school with plenty of sunscreen. You can buy 'ALL DAY' sunscreen with a 5 star rating and a high SPF from most supermarkets. This can then be applied before school and the children will be covered all day. Children can also bring a hat or cap to wear when they are outside at break and lunchtime.

Have a lovely weekend in the sunshine and see you in school bright and early on Monday morning.

September 2015 new classes and teachers will be as follows:

2yr	Mrs Huggins		
Nursery	Miss Wilkinson	Year 3	Miss Lowth
Reception	Miss Woodward	Year 4	Mrs McQuade
Year 1	Miss Leighton	Year 5	Mr Robinson
Year 1/2	Miss Whittaker	Year 6	Mrs Thompson
Year 2	Miss Aldritt		

Children who are in the mixed Year 1/2 class will have already been informed of this by their current class teacher.

When the children start transition on Monday 13 July they will receive more information about the exciting events and themes planned with their new class.

A few staff are moving onto pastures new. Huge congratulations to Mr Card on his promotion to Deputy Head Teacher at Brotherton and Byram Community Primary School, to Miss Arnold who is joining New Earswick Primary School, and to Mrs Hill who will be working in KS1 at Bubwith Primary School. A big thank you also to Mrs Raffaelli for her hard work and dedication to the children she has supported in our Enhanced Resource Centre. We wish them all every success for the future!

We would, also, like to welcome our new teachers to Haxby Road Primary Academy—Mrs Thompson, Miss Aldritt, Miss Whittaker and Miss Wilkinson. We cannot wait until you join our team in September.

Attendance

We are working hard in school to achieve our target of 95.6% attendance and last week we had another exceptional week. An absolutely **MASSIVE** well done to **Years 2 and 4** for achieving **100% attendance!** This is fantastic! These are great achievements so please keep it up! Remember to be **In School, Every Day, On Time, In Uniform.**

Important– After School Club

Please note there will be **NO** after school club on the last day of term **FRIDAY 17 JULY**. School will close at 2pm on this day.

School Disco

Thank you to school governor Lucy Rycroft for organising the school disco, and also thanks to all staff and parents who helped. And thanks to the children who behaved fabulously! All had a great time and over £200 was raised for school funds.



4Family Community Hub Event

We had a fantastic day in the sunshine on Saturday at the Gruffalo themed 4Family Community Event with over 100 parents attending! Thanks to all who were involved and we're looking forward to our next event!

Strengthening Families Strengthening Communities

Congratulation to families who have completed the 13 week Strengthening Families Strengthening Communities programme. The families held their graduation day on the 11 June 2015, and chose to enjoy a big breakfast at a local restaurant as a celebration, where parents received their framed certificates.

A big thank you from Jane Whiteley, Sara Hannington and Sharon Hood (strengthening family facilitators) to the families for their time, commitment and contribution to the sessions. A huge well done to Fariha Choudhury, Shahinoor Miah and Jade Bains from Haxby Road Academy for completing the course!



Parent View

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