



## A message from Miss Towler...

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week has seen our children move up to their next year group. The children had a fantastic couple of days making new friends and having fun learning what it was like to be in the year above. Well done to the children for being so positive about their transition days.



Our Pupil Parliament representatives had a fantastic afternoon on Thursday afternoon with Mrs Roche and myself. After a taxi ride to York, a very tasty buffet and a movie screening of 23 school's videos of what they achieved as part of the Global Goals initiative, the children loved meeting with other Pupil parliament representatives. I was incredibly proud of the children and the work they put into helping our planet.



On Monday, Mr Foster and Mrs Bairstow took nine Year 5 and 6 children to a girl's football tournament at Staynor Hall, Selby. The children were such good representatives of our school and certainly got stuck in winning all of their games! Well done girls!

Have a lovely weekend,

Caroline Towler, Headteacher

## Pupil Parliament on tour



## Our school attendance this week is:

Our school attendance target is 97%.

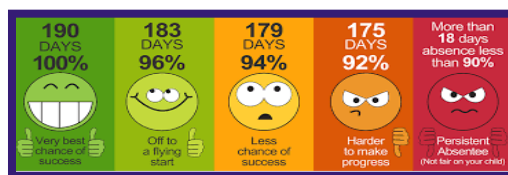
This week's R-Y6 attendance is: 96.67%

Venus Reception: 97.78% Top Team attendance :)

Neptune: 97.58% Jupiter: 97.14% Saturn: 94.83%

Venus Nursery: 93.52%

\*As Government guidance states, your child's attendance is compulsory in school and unless they are unwell we ask that you ensure they are in school, on time, every day. Thank you.



## Dates for your diary for the coming weeks

Please see dates for this term's diary. We will always try to give you as much notice as possible if circumstances mean that dates need amending.



Dates	What's happening at TPA?
Monday 10th July	Years 2-6 Football Club with York FC Foundation on Mondays 3.30pm - 4.30pm
	R-Y2 Gardening Club with Mrs Roche and Miss Ambler 3.25pm - 4.25pm
Tuesday 11th July	Key Stage One and Two (Years 1 - 6) Hand Chimes with Mrs Oldfield on Tuesdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm  Parents and Carers are welcome to attend from 4.15pm to see children performing their newly acquired hand chimes skills!
	Key Stage One and Two (Years 1 - 6) Dodge Ball with Five Star Sports on Tuesdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm
Wednesday 12th July	Year Six Celebration Evening at 6pm - Parents and Carers welcome
Thursday 13th July	Key Stage One and Two (Years 1 - 6) Dance Club with York Dance Space on Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm
	Craft Club with Miss Ambler (Team Reception) 3.25pm - 4.35pm
Thursday 13th July	Leed Rhinos Open Training Session for Teams Saturn and Neptune - details shared this week. Please go on to Parentpay to acknowledge your child is accessing this trip.
Monday 17th July	Team Neptune Crucial Crew trip, York. Details shared this week.
	Reception New Starters meeting for all Parents and Carers of children who will be starting Team Venus Reception in September at 4.30pm
Tuesday 18th July	Mini Music Makers Performance (9.10am - 9.40am) - Team Venus Parents/ Carers welcome
	Y1 - Y6 Musical Extravaganza (6pm - 7pm) - Parents and Carers welcome
Friday 21st July	School closes for children - Happy Summer Holidays!

### Parking near school

Please remember that our school car park and Sandfield Terrace are not to be used by Parents and Carers for parking at drop off or collection time. Take a look at these reminders about parking near school. Dangerous parking is an increasing issue around schools, putting the safety of children and others at risk. Parking on zig-zag line or pedestrian crossings can cause visibility issues to drivers and people walking on the pavements.

- Stopping or waiting on a double yellow line is strictly prohibited
- Double yellow lines prevent vehicles owners from parking or waiting in the area at any time.
- Single yellow lines prohibit parking during specific times

**Please help our children to keep safe by leaving the car at home where you can.**



## What an amazing Summer Fair we had!

Thank you to all of the families and friends of school who came along to spend their spare coins at our annual Summer Fair last Friday evening. We were really pleased with the final figure and thank

every member of TPAC and staff who gave up their evening to raise funds for our school.

Thank you!



Total amount raised

**£1700.01**

From the Summer Fair!

Thankyou to everyone that came and supported our Summer Fair

A graphic with a yellow-to-purple gradient background. At the top left is the school's logo. The main text is centered and framed by decorative lines. The amount raised is displayed in large, bold, orange font. The background features stylized sunburst or starburst patterns on either side of the central text.

## Keeping safe near water

Recently, the children in all year groups took part in some online learning linked to keeping safe near water. The online drowning prevention assemblies were age appropriate and helped the children understand the dangers when being near open water. In a town with a river it is so important that our children are educated on the risks of playing near or in rivers and streams.

With around 85% of accidental drownings occurring at open water sites, many occur due to the lack of knowledge and understanding of open water safety. Our children know that the shock of cold water can make swimming difficult and increase the difficulty in getting out of water. Also the depth of water is unpredictable and strong currents can rapidly sweep people away.



Take a look at some of our children's advice below:

*'A red flag shown at the beach means 'Danger.' Olivia (Venus)*

*'Don't go too near to water as it can be dangerous, it can be dangerous because we don't know how deep it is.' Millie (Venus)*

*'We are not allowed to swim in reservoirs as in some places it is really deep.' Harry (Venus)*

*'Call 999 if there is an emergency a red flag means NO SWIMMING!' Payton (Jupiter)*

*'Spot the danger near a canal because it is not safe. You don't know how deep it is.' Amir (Jupiter)*