

Friday 2nd February 2024 - Newsletter 19

A message from Miss Towler...

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have definitely been loving our learning this week! Thank you to all those families who were able to join us this morning for NSPCC Number Day. We really appreciate the time families have given up to come into school and for those that were unable to join us please take a look at Twitter and below to see some images of the fun that was going on. Thank you for your generous donations and for

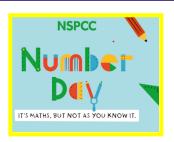




supporting your children to find something to wear with a numerical theme...certainly not an easy one!

We have enjoyed exploring our local community this week as we welcomed Chris from Towton Battlefield Society into school. The children were really engaged in lots of discussions about the past as part of our local history theme and the children loved looking at the weapons and armour that Chris brought into show the children.

Have a wonderful weekend, Caroline Towler, Headteacher



## NSPCC Number Day

What a fabulous morning we had welcoming in so many of our families for the NSPCC Number Day. It was a wonderful opportunity to celebrate maths and our families certainly got stuck in to the number challenges! It was also great to see so many of the children dressed up as part of the theme. I am pleased to share that we



raised a total of £75.35 which will go to the NSPCC. Thank you to everyone who contributed to a very good cause.

We heard lots of fantastic feedback from families who enjoyed finding out more about the maths that the children learn in our school. The children also shared that they loved having their families in school. See below for some quotes from the children which

were compiled by Niamh in Y6:



Sam: 'I enjoyed getting on the world leaderboard on Maths Shed.'

Eden: 'I had fun when the Parents came in and we did Maths with them.'

Samuel: 'I loved showing parents the maths magic trick.'



Our school R-Y6 attendance this week is: 93.98%

Our school attendance target is 97%.

Nursery: 92.77% Reception: 90.77% Jupiter: 88.80%

Neptune: 98.33% Top Attendance

Saturn: 96.00%

\*As Government guidance states, your child's attendance is compulsory in school and unless

96%

94%

60

they are unwell we ask that you ensure they are in school, on time, every day.

Dates	What's happening at TPA?
5th - 11th February	Children's Mental Health Week -The theme for this year's Children's Mental Health Week is 'My Voice Matters'. Through our daily check ins, Wellbeing Wednesday and our PSHE sessions we will be exploring how we can ensure our children make their voice heard.  Click on this link to find out more
Monday 5th January	Final: Y1-6 Football Club with York City FC Foundation 3.30pm - 4.30pm
Tuesday 6th February	Final Teams Venus Reception and Jupiter Rugby lessons with York Knights
	Final: Y1-6 Singing Club with Mrs Oldfield 3.30pm - 4.30pm
	Final: Y1-6 Rugby Club with York Knights 3.30pm - 4.30pm
Wednesday 7th February	Team Saturn Swimming lesson
	Final: Y1-6 Multi Skills Club with Five Star Sports 3.30pm - 4.30pm
	Valentines Disco ♥ EYFS Disco ~ 3.30pm - 4.15pm KS1 and 2 Disco ~ 5.30-7.00pm
Thursday 8th February	Tadcaster Historical Society
	Team Neptune Dance lesson with York Dance Space
	Final: Y1-6 Dance Club with York Dance Space 3.30pm - 4.30pm
Friday 9th February	Final: Y1-6 Dodgeball with Five Star Sports 3.30pm - 4.30pm
	Break up for half term #happyholidays
Monday 19th February	Children return to school
Thursday 22nd February	Y6 Sats Information Evening 5pm - 6.00pm - more details to follow
Thursday 7th March	World Book Day - more details to follow
Friday 15th March	Comic Relief - Red Nose Day - more details to follow





## Spotlight on... #TadcasterPE

## Spotlight on Team Saturn

This half term team Saturn has been exploring gymnastics. The end outcome for Saturn is for them to create a partner sequence. Each week we have been exploring a variety of skills such as canon and unison, matching and mirroring shapes, jumping and rolls. The team has worked really hard so far and our sequencing and teamwork has been brilliant. I am really looking forward to seeing their final partner sequence, with all the skills involved next week.

Mr Jeff



Rugby with York Knights



\* Team Saturn performing at York Theatre Royal







Balance bike training with Phil in Team Venus and Jupiter

