

### Thought of the week

“Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.” **Philippians 3:13-14**

### Year 6 photo

We have had a request from the Gazette & Herald to come into school and take photos of our Year 6 leavers for their newspaper and website. If anyone would not like their child to appear in the photo just please let the school office know.

### Parentpay

Breakfast club payments are now to be made through your school Parentpay accounts – once your child has attended a debit will be added, however you can continue to pay in advance as has previously been the case should you wish.

Can we also ask you check your payments are all up to date as we start to approach term end.

### Building update

The Horsa building has finally been demolished last week and work will now begin on the ground works required to rebuild.



**Mon – 18<sup>th</sup> June 2018**



*Hand in hand we learn*



### **Stars of the week**

Class One – Ashleigh

Class Two – Elsie

Class Three – Myles

### **Writers of the week**

Class One – Lorena

Class Two – Isabella

Class Three – Amelia &  
Leighton

### Calendar for the Week

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> June:** Puzzle club, Water safety talk in worship

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June:** Whole school swimming lessons, Biking club for Year 3/4, Computer club, maths session for Year 5 parents, new starter morning in Class 1, Year 6 induction day at Malton

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> June:** Art club, guitar lessons, Children's University end of year passbook check for Year 2-Year 5, Year 6 Induction day at Malton, Year 5 forest schools session

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> June:** Fencing and construction club

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June:** Circuit training club, puzzle afternoon for Class 2 and 3, trip to Scampston Hall for Class 1 (morning only)

### FOCAS news

The Duck Race is fast approaching and we very much hope everyone is able to come along on the day and support what we hope will be a great afternoon of fun.

Could we please ask for donations of prizes, specifically 'jar prizes'. If you would be kind enough to fill a jar and donate it for the 'Jarbola' game it would be much appreciated. The jars can be filled with anything; some examples are new hair bobbles, sweets or lollipops, jam, rubbers, empty balloons etc.

We are also looking for donations of wine bottles, both full and empty (screw top wherever possible) please. If these could be brought in to school by Thursday the 29<sup>th</sup> that would be great thank you.

### Children's University passports – Year 2 to Year 6

The Children's University are holding a graduation ceremony at the Spa for all Year 6 children, but they didn't want children in year 2-5 who have also done so well to miss out on a treat. They are therefore going to come into school and hold a 'mini graduation'. In order to do this they need to know what has been achieved. Please can all children bring their passports into school this Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> June, so that Mrs Booth can have a look through and add up this year's totals for you. Thanks.

## Amsterdam



To be in a position to take our Year 5 and 6 children to Amsterdam was such an enormous privilege. Their behaviour was amazing and we all learnt plenty. To get to see our children sitting in front of 'the Potato Eaters' in the Van Gogh Museum discussing the Industrial Revolution and Post-Impressionist paintings with a lovely Dutch lady was quite mind blowing. They all represented our school impeccably and were a pleasure to take. I would also like to thank Mrs Sedman, Mrs Branston and Mrs Anderson for helping with this fabulous experience.

By Mrs Palmer

## Year 3 & 4 Rounders

On Wednesday of last week our Year 3 and 4 children went to Malton School to take part in a KS2 rounders tournament. They did very well as some other schools had sent only Year 6 children. They split into two teams, each team playing three games. Many rounders were scored and the children really enjoyed it.

Class photos were taken on Friday. We hope to have the proofs back shortly so that anyone who wishes to order a copy may do so.

## Debating Final



On Friday our Year 6 children went to Northallerton to take part in the County debating final having qualified from the regional heats. Although they didn't win, they did really well. Out of the 9 schools that attended 5 could easily have won, including ours – the children really enjoyed it and it was pretty cool!