

Adel St John the Baptist Church of England Primary School Newsletter

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HEADTEACHER NEWS

As of Wednesday we are half-way through this academic year - time is flying! As always, please check out your child's class blog by clicking on the links above. There is much to celebrate.

KEY STAGE 2 HEALTHY SNACK For morning break, Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 can bring a piece of fruit for a mid-morning snack. Please, no cereal bars, fruit winders, chocolate bars, sweets or crisps.

ONLINE SAFETY AND CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WEEK Next week we are marking two important national focus weeks. On Tuesday, Mrs Ventress will be leading a special assembly to launch online safety activities in class. Please do ask your child about what they have learnt each day. It is also national children's mental health week. Our Peer Mentors, guided by Mrs Starkey, are delivering a special assembly on Monday to launch the week and increase awareness about the need to look after our mental well-being.

SCHOOL COUNCIL - ACORN HOUSE (written by Katherine and George in Y6) You may know that we have an Acorn House for people to relax in. If you don't, it is a little wooden hut shaped like an acorn. We are looking to renovate it to make it a more comfortable and cosy place. For that, we will be doing some fundraising events. These include: a fancy-dress funrun, a bake sale, a book sale and during Healthy Living Week a daily healthy tuck shop.

The fun run will be happening on Friday 14th June. Your child is to come to school in fancy dress. The bake sale will be taking place on Friday 8th March. The book sale is on Thursday 11th July. The healthy tuck shop will be every day of healthy living week (10th - 14th June). We will have a moneyometer at the entrance to school to show how much we have raised and how much we need to reach our goal. The Acorn House will be full of happiness and life once completed. Thank you.

<u>RELATIONSHIPS AND HEALTH EDUCATION</u> On Tuesday 27th February at 9:00am we will be holding a meeting for parents and carers on our relationship and health education. Please note, this is a change of date from Tuesday 19th March. We will share the content of our RHE lessons and resources too. An online booking form will be sent out closer to the time.

GIRLS' FOOTBALL On Monday, our girls took part in a football tournament at Leeds United training ground. The girls played with passion and grit. Every game was so close, but we lost 5 games and drew 1 game. The girls did amazingly to get to the stage they did. As a special surprise, our girls met Leeds United Women's player Rebekah Bass and asked her about her career and what it was like for her growing up playing football. Thank you to Mr. Gleeson for coaching the girls and organising the event.



UPCOMING DATES

Valentines Rave! Thursday 8th February

Tickets £4 available on parent pay now!

Includes Glitter Bar / Snack / Drink

Rave 1: 3-30-5pm
Reception, Y1, Y2
Rave 2: 5.15-6.45pm
Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6

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SAVE THE DATE

No impact to after school club - children will be taken to after school clubs following their disco or taken to the disco from after school clubs

SPRING TERM PARENTS'
EVENINGS

Wednesday 6th and Thursday 7th March 2024

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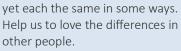
Friday 9th February at 3:15pm

NEXT TERM STARTS

Monday 19th February at 8:50am OOSC opens 7:30am

Dear God,

Thank you that you made us each different from each other



Help us to be kind to those around us.

Help us to think about the needs of other people.

Please help us to seek to live in peace.

Amen



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Congratulations to our Well Done and Gold Award Children



House Points		
House Team Names	This Week's Total	This half term's total
Bolton Abbey	1,228	3,469
Fountains Abbey	1,298	4,630
Rievaulx Abbey	1,463	4,730
Kirkstall Abbey	1,508	4,510

Our target for whole school attendance is 97%

Attendance from Sept. to date is: 96%

Attendance last week was: 95.9%

	Attendance since September	Attendance since last week
Reception	96.7	92.7
Year 1	95.2	97.3
Year 2	97.5	98.1
Year 3	96.9	97
Year 4	96.4	92
Year 5	95.7	96
Year 6	93.7	97.9



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DATES FOR THE DIARY (new dates added in red)

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w/b: 5th Feb 24	Open Classrooms - come and celebrate your child's learning Internet Safety Week - staying safe online & Children's Mental
	Health Week
	Y5/6 boys Football v St Joseph's Otley at ASJ
7 Feb	Ms. Christie returns from maternity leave
	Year 1 Open Classroom at 9:00am
	Year 6 debate event with Adel Primary
	Year 4 Open Classroom at 3pm
	Y5/6 Girls Football V Holy Family CPS at Holy Family
8 Feb	Year 6 Open Classroom at 3:00pm
	Cross Country Final Temple Newsam (3 pupils)
	PTA Valentine Disco
9 Feb 24	Year 1 Hearing Screen - all morning
	Spring Term 1 Ends
19 Feb 24	Spring Term 2 Starts. OOSC opens at 7:30am.
20 Feb 24	Reception Open Classroom at 9:00am
21 Feb 24	Year 2 Open Classroom at 9:00am
22 Feb 24	Year 3 Open Classroom at 9:00am
23 Feb 24	Year 5 Open Classroom at 9:00am
26 Feb 24	Y3 Trip to Herd Farm
27 Feb 24	Change of date from 19th Mar: Relationships and Health Education Parental Meeting at 9:00am
	Y5/6 Boys football v Weetwood at ASJ
6 Mar 24	Parents' Evening
7 Mar 24	World Book Day - dress as a word
	Parents' Evening
12 Mar 24	Year 6 Basketball Festival
20 Mar 24	T4 Trip to Royal Armouries
21 Mar 24	Science Day - whole school celebration of the wonder of science
27 Mar 24	Please note, change of date from 26 March 2024 to the 27 March 2024. Year 3 and 4 Easter Production: 2:00pm and 6:00pm



