



Friday Flyer

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Dear Families,

Welcome to this week's news.

INTERESTING FACT OF THE WEEK

JAWS!

A huge, great white shark thought to be the biggest of its kind has been spotted by divers off the coast of Hawaii. The 50 year old shark named DEEP BLUE swam alongside divers. Deep Blue is nearly 6 metres long, (that is much taller than a double decker bus and even taller than an adult giraffe.)



SILLIEST HEADLINE OF THE WEEK

AN ALPACA WALKS INTO A FRENCH OPTICIAN! From BBC.CO.UK

*Brought to you from our roving reporters
 Tommy & Ellis*

This week's House Champions



Attendance

Our Target - 97%+

😊 Well done to Yellow 1 & Brown 3 who achieved 100% this week.

☹️ Whole school attendance - 96.5%

Head Teacher Award

	A Good Friend	Behaviour Badge	Teacher's Choice
GREEN	Lewis Lambert	Logan Bryant	Logan Bolton
ORANGE	Bryn Shaw	Isaac Whitehead	Max Shaw
BLUE		Christina Temke	Harley Bottomley
YELLOW	Freya Metcalfe	Zak Busuttil	Koby Hamlyn
BROWN		Mason Alway	Connor Bottomley
GREY	Mia Busuttil	Lennon Booth	Mcauley Thompson
PURPLE	Emmie Finch	Emma Appleby	Daniel Cole
RED	Kai Skiba	Freya Covell	Jessica Lagan

DEBATING CLUB – THE BIG DEBATE!

This week at debate club, we discussed:
Should we have 6 weeks off in the summer, or, longer half term holidays?
 The result of the final vote was: **A tie!**

THANKYOU TO MISS CARR & MR CAMPBELL'S CLASSES FOR FABULOUS DINOSAUR INSPIRED ASSEMBLIES THIS WEEK.

What's for Lunch Next Week?

Tuesday is the first day of the Chinese New Year. It is the year of the PIG. An additional dish of Chinese pork is on offer. Why not give it a try?

WEEK 2	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MEAT MAIN DISH	Chicken Casserole with Dumpling	Sausages +Chinese pork	Roast Beef with Yorkshire Pudding	Spaghetti Bolognese with Crusty Bread	Salmon Fishcake / Fish Fingers with Chips
VEGETARIAN MAIN DISH	Tomato Pasta	Vegetarian Chilli	Cheese Roll	Margarita Pizza	Vegetarian Sausage
ACCOMPANIMENTS	Seasonal Vegetables Salad Bar	Seasonal Vegetables Salad Bar	Seasonal Vegetables Salad Bar	Seasonal Vegetables Salad Bar	Seasonal Vegetables Salad Bar
DESSERTS	Chocolate and Banana Slice	Sticky Toffee Muffins	Shortbread and Mandarins	Fruit Crumble and Custard	Homemade Cookie
FRESH FRUIT & YOGHURT	Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt
JACKET POTATO & SANDWICH SELECTION	Jacket Potato	Sandwich Selection	Jacket Potato	Sandwich Selection	Jacket Potato

Leeroy's Joke Corner



What did the calculator say to the teacher?
 You can count on me.

LOST PROPERTY

We were shocked to see how much lost property we have accumulated, when we laid it out for your inspection during Open Evenings this week. Please do pop in if you have lost anything. Anything left after Wednesday will be donated to Sue Ryder.

Next Week At A Glance

Monday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.20, no need to book Come for a cuppa 9am – ALL WELCOME 442 Multisports Rec-Y6 3 – 4.15 Basketball Club Y5-Y6 3 – 4.15
Tuesday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.20, no need to book Yellow 1 - Mrs Duck's Assembly – 2.15pm Football Club Y5-Y6 3 – 4.15 Reading Club Y3-Y4 3 – 4.15 Martial Arts Rec-Y6
Wednesday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.20, no need to book Yellow 2 – Miss Solomon's Assembly – 2.15pm AFTERSCHOOL CLUBS CANCELLED
Thursday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.20, no need to book Yellow 3 - Miss Smith's Assembly – 2.15pm 442 Football Club Rec-Y6 3 – 4.15 KS1 Science Club Y1-Y2 3 – 4.15 KS2 Science Club Y3-Y4 3 – 4.15 Singing for Fun Rec-Y2 3 – 3.45 Year 5 Residential Meeting – 4.30pm
Friday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.20, no need to book Choir 8am

PARENT PARTNERSHIP

Would you like to find out more about what is going on in school? Meet other parents? Share your ideas? Please do come along to our Parent Partnership meetings held half termly after school. You can share a cuppa and make a difference to the work in our school.

Last meeting in December discussed:

- *School dinners and improvement in meals.*
- *Communication- not every parent is receiving the Friday Flyer.*
- *Behaviour badge- a great idea but not great quality, can we get more sturdy ones?*
- *Uniform- children and parents in Y6 are loving the trial of ties. Are there plans to extend into other classes?*
- *Breakfast club menu options.*
- *Homework expectations and deadlines.*
- *Time Tables Rockstars & improvement in recall speed.*
- *Dogs on the playground at 3pm.*

The next meeting is

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 7th at 3pm in Year 1

Agendas are prepared for Parent Partnership by

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Mrs Bateman (FS1 teacher f.bateman@skeltonprimaryschool.co.uk)

Mrs Smith (Family Support worker
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Please share your agenda ideas and come along if you can.

SKELTON UNITED VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers are wanted to help out on Saturday & Sunday mornings 9-12 at the café. If you can help, please ring Gina 07778410938



Love Family Festival



Crafts, songs, baking, games, stories, followed by lunch.
Wednesday 20th February, 11am till 2pm, Skelton Green Methodist Church
FREE event, please book via facebook @Hope4EastCleveland or Eventbrite.com
Email hope4eastcleveland@gmail.com for more information

Something to think about...

4.5 million children
live in poverty in the UK.

Mental health training for parents

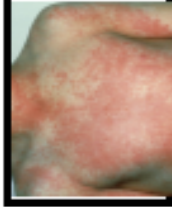


Parents and carers in Teesside who want to know about Eating Disorders in children and young people are invited to book on a free training session on Wednesday 20th March in Redcar. Email TEWV.CAMHS-Training@nhs.net to reserve your place
www.tewv.nhs.uk/camhstraining

Lost Property

The lost property was displayed in the hall during open evening for you to claim lost items. To prevent this, please ensure ALL property is clearly labelled with your child's name. If it has a name in it, it will get back to you.





Scarlet Fever



A rise in Scarlet Fever has been reported in the news this week.

Scarlet fever or scarlatina, is an infection that causes a blotchy, pink-red rash. It's most common in young children.

It isn't usually serious and can be treated with antibiotics from your GP. Once you've had it, you are unlikely to get it again.

Symptoms of scarlet fever

Symptoms of scarlet fever develop within a week of being infected.

Early signs include a sore throat, a headache, a high temperature (38.3C/101F or above), swollen glands in the neck and being sick.

This may be followed by a rash on the body, a red face and a white or red tongue:



Our Family Support Worker

Mrs Joy Smith



is here to help!

01273 650089

The scarlet fever rash:

- usually starts on the chest or tummy, before spreading to other areas
 - is made up of pink-red blotches that may join up
 - feels like sandpaper (this may be the most obvious sign in someone with dark skin)
 - may be brightest red in body folds, such as the armpits or elbows
 - turns white if you press a glass on it
- The rash doesn't usually spread to the face, but the cheeks may turn very red.

This may look a bit like sunburn.

The area around the mouth usually stays pale.

White or red tongue

Sometimes a white coating may form on the tongue.

Your GP will prescribe antibiotic tablets (or liquid for young children) to take for five or 10 days.

You or your child should start feeling better after a day or two, but make sure you finish the whole course of treatment.

While taking antibiotics:

- rest and drink plenty of fluids, take paracetamol or ibuprofen if you're uncomfortable or have high temperature (don't give aspirin to children under 16) try to avoid spreading the infection

To help stop the infection spreading:

- keep your child away from nursery or school for at least 24 hours after starting antibiotic treatment – adults should stay off work for at least 24 hours after starting treatment
- cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze – throw away used tissues immediately
- wash your hands with soap and water often, especially after using or disposing of tissues avoid sharing utensils, cups and glasses, clothes, baths, bed linen, towels or toys.