



# Friday Flyer

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## Dear Families,

Welcome to this week's news. You will notice that we now have two roving reporter journalists from Y6. It is so important that children take an interest in the news! Tommy & Ellis will do their best to help us all learn more.  
Well done to our footballers and cross-country teams this week. We are very proud of you!

## Head Teacher Award

	Maths progress	Behaviour Badge	Teacher's Choice
GREEN	Skye-Rose McMahon	Harley Nawton	Leo Oldroyd
ORANGE	Zac-Robert Welford	George Rispin	Edward Hales
BLUE	Harvey Thompson		Caden Cochrane
YELLOW	Dexter Winspear	Blake Sherwood	Annie Hodgson
BROWN	Millie Watson		Poppy Young
GREY	Frankie Akers	Joseph Burns	Aine Severs
PURPLE	Nicola Allan	Lily Watson	Nathan Kennedy
RED	Bobby Bishop	Finlay Cadman	Chezca Tyreman

## Leeroy's Joke Corner



What can a whole apple do that half an apple can't do?

It can look round!

## WOOL & CROCHET & KNITTING EQUIPMENT APPEAL

Our after school club is growing! Can anyone please donate any equipment that would help??

### INTERESTING ARTICLE OF THE WEEK

## SHORTER CHIPS!

It was reported in the news last week that frozen chips will be up to 3cm shorter this year because of the long, hot, dry summer. The potato crop was badly affected. Harvested potatoes have dropped by 25% EEEEEK



### SILLIEST HEADLINE OF THE WEEK FROM THE TELEGRAPH

"London train delayed after driver locks himself in the toilet!"



Find out more by checking out [bbc.co.uk/newsround](http://bbc.co.uk/newsround) or read **The Week** in our library.  
From Tommy & Ellis your roving reporters!

## FLU IMMUNISATION

Flu immunisation will be administered in school on NOVEMBER 5<sup>th</sup> for FS2 - Y5 pupils.

You will need to register your child to receive the immunisation online. Please follow the link to 'Teesside schools' and insert the Skelton code 81716

<http://www.hdfc.nhs.uk/services/childrens-services/imms-cdurham-darlington-teesside/childhood-flu/> Or Call 0300 303 1603

## HAVE YOUR SAY

A Redcar & Cleveland travel survey is being undertaken. Please follow this link if you are interested in sharing your view: [www.ibyd.com/travelsurvey](http://www.ibyd.com/travelsurvey)

## Harvest Festival Donations

We would welcome any donations of produce for our **Harvest Festival on Friday 12<sup>th</sup>**. Please do join Y1/2/3/4 plus our choir in church at 10am. All donations will be taken to the local food bank, following the service.



## Next Week At A Glance

Monday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.20, no need to book Cup for a cuppa 9am - ALL WELCOME Y3 trip to Alnwick 442 Multisports Rec-Y6 3 - 4.15 Tag Rugby Y5-Y6 3 - 4.15
Tuesday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.20, no need to book Football Club Y3-Y6 3 - 4.15 Martial Arts Rec-Y6 3D Art Club Y5-Y6 3 - 4.15 Crochet Club Y6 3 - 4
Wednesday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.20, no need to book FILM CLUB: Moana / Shrek 2 Finish: 4.30 Running Club Y2-Y6 3 - 4.15
Thursday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.20, no need to book 442 Football Rec-Y6 3 - 4.15 Singing for Fun Rec-Y2 3 - 3.45 Netball Club Y4-Y6 3 - 4.15
Friday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.20, no need to book Choir 8.30am at Church Cup for a cuppa 1.30pm - ALL WELCOME

## This week's House Champions



## Attendance

Our Target - 97%+



Well done to Purple 1 & Red 1 who achieved 100% this week.



Whole school attendance - 96.3%

Sausage pasta bake	Chicken and leek pie with mashed potato	Roast pork with gravy, apple sauce and roast potatoes	Chicken tikka masala with brown rice	Fish of the day with chips
Vegetable stir fry with noodles	Sweet potato and vegetable hot pot	Cauliflower and broccoli bake with roast potatoes	Spicy vegetable and bean pitta with brown rice	BBQ bean burger with chips
Seasonal vegetable Salad bar	Seasonal vegetable Salad bar	Seasonal vegetable Salad bar	Seasonal vegetable Salad bar	Seasonal vegetable Salad bar
Film yoghurt cake	Courgette and apple muffin	Banana and oatmeal	Fruit in jelly	Shortbread biscuits and mandarin
Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt
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What's for Lunch Next Week?

# TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS

What is Times Table Rockstars?

When it comes to times tables, speed AND accuracy are important - the more facts your child remembers, the easier it is for them to do harder calculations.

Times Table Rock Stars is a fun and challenging programme designed to help students master the times tables!

To be a Times Table Rock Star you need to answer any multiplication fact up to  $12 \times 12$  in less than 3 seconds!

It's essential that your child does a little bit of times table practice every day. In our experience, short bursts of daily practise are more effective than spending hours once a week. We are aiming for 10 minutes daily during school time but we need to continue this outside of school hours too.

And this is where you come in. For your child to be fully motivated and for them to get the best out of the practice, they need your help. Without your praise and your reminders, without you sitting down next to them or checking their work, practising times tables will not feel important to your child.

Over the course of the next few weeks and months, your child WILL get faster and more accurate with the times tables. All your hard work and theirs WILL make them a Times Table Rock Star!

Visit [www.ttrockstars.com](http://www.ttrockstars.com)

or download the free app!

School goes here – Skelton Primary School

The screenshot shows the 'Sign in' page of the Times Table Rock Stars website. The page has a dark header with navigation links: Home, Register, Log Out, Log Started, Events, About, and Contact Us. The main content area is white and features a 'Sign in' heading with a decorative flourish. Below the heading is a form with the following fields and labels:

- A dropdown menu for 'Your school organisation' with the instruction 'Pick your school organisation'.
- A text input field for 'Username Or Email' with the annotation 'Username goes here'.
- A text input field for 'Password' with the annotation 'Password goes here'.
- A checkbox for '(Show Password)'. Below it is a link: 'Forgotten your password? [Set yourself a new one.](#)'
- A blue 'Sign In' button.

At the bottom of the page, there is a footer with a logo on the left, the text 'Designed by Allrollover.' in the center, and another logo on the right.



# Children's flu vaccine

## Why children are offered flu vaccine

Flu is a very common infection in babies and children. It can be very unpleasant for them.

Children with flu have the same symptoms as adults – including fever, chills, aching muscles, headache, stuffy nose, dry cough and a sore throat lasting up to a week. Some children develop a very high fever or complications of flu, such as bronchitis, pneumonia and a painful ear infection.

They may need hospital treatment, and very occasionally flu can be fatal.

In fact, healthy children under the age of 5 are more likely to have to be admitted to hospital with flu than any other age group.

## How safe is the flu vaccine For children?

The flu vaccine for children has a good safety record.

In the UK, millions of children have been vaccinated safely and successfully.

## How does the vaccine work?

*The vaccine contains live but weakened flu viruses that do not cause flu in children.*

*It will help your child build up immunity to flu in a similar way as natural infection without the symptoms.*

*Because the main flu viruses change each year, a new nasal spray vaccine has to be given each year, in the same way as the injectable flu.*



## How is the vaccine given?

The vaccine is given as a nasal spray.

*(There are no needles!)*

## Stopping the spread of flu

The immunisation nasal spray will not only protect your child against flu, the infection will also be less able to spread from them to their families, carers and the wider population.

Children spread flu because they generally don't use tissues properly or wash their hands.

Vaccinating children also protects others who are vulnerable to flu, such as babies, older people, pregnant women and people with serious long-term illness.

Ref Children's flu vaccine NHS

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Our Family Support Worker

Mrs Joy Smith.

is here to help!



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