



Skelton Primary School

Friday Flyer

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Dear Families,

Welcome to this week's news. Please check out your year group website page for more information.

HAPPY HALF TERM!

Reading

Y1	Max Shaw
Y2	Jamie Porritt
Y3	Maddie Garbutt
Y4	Taylor-Mae Walker
Y5	Eden Curnow
Y6	Isabelle Hedges



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This week's House Champions



Attendance

Our Target - 97%+



Well done to Yellow 2, Brown 3 & Grey 3 who achieved 100% this week.



Whole school attendance - 94.9%

Head Teacher Award

	Writing	Behaviour Badge	Teacher's Choice
GREEN	Pippa Jones		Mia Halton
ORANGE	Michelle Dale	Lewis Lambert	Henry Moorhouse
BLUE	Violet Roe	Isabelle Slater	Thea-Mai Cowell
YELLOW	Hollie Forster	Cole Walker	Emilia Brough
BROWN	Alfie Parkin	Lillie Stockdale	Ted O'Hare
GREY	Frankie Milburn	Holly Bryce	Harley Wetherhill
PURPLE	Ella Burgin	Faith Jackson	Charlie Bean
RED	Jude Flynn-Kurej	Joshua Turner	Isaac MacDonald

SOCIAL MEDIA & your children

Please note that social media has an age restriction of 13 years. This means that to make an account you need to enter false data.

This week, Mr Woolf led an assembly for Y6 showing them a lot of information that our children have made freely available on line; their full names, location, school name, friends' names and interests, photos video clips and contact details of their friends.

What do your children do when alone online?

What's for Lunch Next Week?

WEEK 2	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MEAT MAIN DISH	Beef Burger in a Bun	Chicken Casserole	Roast Beef Yorkshire Pudding with and Gravy	Meat Feast Pizza	Fish of the Day with Chips
VEGETARIAN MAIN DISH	Quorn Sweet & Sour	Tomato Past Bake	Vegetarian Mince and Dumpling	Vegetable Chilli	Vegetable Stir-Fry with Noodles
ACCOMPANIMENTS	Potato Wedges/Rice Beans/Peas Salad Bar	Mashed Potato/Crusty Bread Carrots/Sweet Corn Salad Bar	Roast Potatoes Cauliflower/Broccoli Salad Bar	Potato Mids/Rice Green Beans/Carrots Salad Bar	Chips Peas/Sweet Corn Salad Bar
DESSERTS	Marble Sponge and Custard	Homemade Biscuit	Fruit and Ice Cream	Pear and Chocolate Sponge and Custard	Sticky Toffee Muffin
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 with Beans/Cheese/Tuna	Sandwich Selection	Jacket Potato with Cheese/Tuna	Sandwich Selection	Jacket Potato with Beans/Cheese/Tuna

Missy's Joke Corner



Why did the café clock always run slow?

It always went back four seconds.

ASPERGERS

William Smith from Y6 gave a fascinating presentation to the school leaders this week about living with Asperger's.

It was an inspiring and informative account that will be shared with you all shortly.

WELL DONE & THANK YOU WILLIAM!

School returns on Monday February 24th

Next Week At A Glance

Monday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.50, no need to book Football Club Y3-Y4 3 - 4.15 442 Multi Sports Club Rec-Y6 3 - 4.15 Easter Crafts Y2 3 - 4
Tuesday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.50, no need to book Boot Camp Rec-Y2 3 - 4 Science Club Y3-Y4 3 - 4.15 Running Club Y2-Y6 3 - 4.15
Wednesday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.50, no need to book Girls Netball Club Y5-Y6 3 - 4.15 Top Trumps Club Y3-Y6 3 - 4 Film Club Y2-Y6 Finish: 4.30 Film: Happy Feet 2
Thursday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.50, no need to book Singing For Fun Rec-Y2 3 - 3.45 Lego Club Y3-Y6 3 - 4.15 Sewing Club Y3-Y6 3 - 4.15 442 Football Club Rec-Y6 3 - 4.15
Friday	Breakfast club 7.45am £1.50, no need to book Choir 8am



Thank you for supporting our weekly FAIRSHARE stall.
We have raised £36 this week for pupil funds and helped to prevent waste too!

Right of the week – Article 17

You have the right to get information that is important to your well-being, from radio, newspapers, books, computers and other sources.

Adults should make sure that the information you are getting is not harmful, and help you find and understand the information you need.

BASKETBALL NEWS

This week Year 5 held their Inter-House basketball competition to show off their ball skills that they have been working on this term. As well as getting point for winning a match, we looked for the best sporting person and the team that showed the best team spirit. The House with the most points was Cat Nab, with both Boulby and Hill Top receiving points for their great team spirit. Delilah and Louis were named as the best individuals of the competition for their great sportsmanship. Great to see the 5R's running across the court during the tournament.



UNIFORM

Please remember that leggings are neither suitable nor part of our school uniform.

Skirts, dresses, pinafores and trousers are great!
Thankyou



CLEVELAND SPORTS PARTNERSHIP

I was very proud to attend the award ceremony on Wednesday for young sportsmen and women from around the borough. Skelton were awarded the bronze award for sporting achievement, Emmie Finch & Sam Leyland were awarded the outstanding performance trophies and the audience of 500+ were treated to our dance troupe and choir closing the event. They were fabulous! A big thankyou to Mrs Johnson, Mrs Garratt and Mrs Cox for their leadership & support.



The Big Debate

This week we have been debating:



'Is climate change having an impact on our Country?'

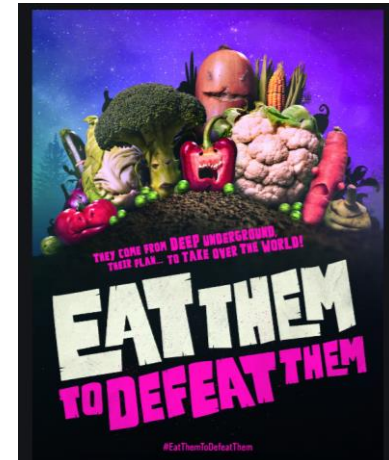
What do you think?

SCHOOL PARLIAMENT NEWS

Are designing a booklet '101 Things To Do Before you Leave Skelton.'
A little questionnaire will come home after half term. You will have chance to share your ideas and contribute to the design!

Here are the other thoughts that they shared at the meeting

	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Year 4 & 5 air conditioning• Nurture help in class• Girls' & Boys' clubs in Y6• Y6 preparing staff lunches on Wednesday• Teachers in class and on duty are very caring	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Toilet smells• The castle is still closed• Fruit litter on the playground• Can the poppy display come down and we make one whole school wreath for permanent display?



Eat Them to Defeat Them 2020

Our school is supporting the Eat Them to Defeat Them campaign to encourage children to eat more vegetables. It is award winning and proven to make eating vegetables more fun. The campaign has been created by Veg Power in partnership with ITV, Channel 4 and Sky and is well supported by celebrities and chefs.

Each week of the campaign will feature a family favourite vegetable starting when we return after half term. Our school menu for the first week back is including lots of carrots.

Please look out for the reward charts and sticker packs being sent home after the holidays.



Picture News

at Home

10th February 2020

What's going on this week?



10th-15th February

Should sportswear be banned if it gives an unfair advantage?

Nike Vaporfly trainers, which have revolutionised running allowing runners to break world marathon records, have been given the green light by World Athletics. In a long-awaited ruling the World Athletics, who are the sport's governing body, confirmed that Nike Vaporflys, which cost £240 and can improve marathon times by one-to-two minutes in elite athletes, are legally allowable despite many in the sport accusing the shoes of providing a huge advantage for runners.

Things to talk about at home...

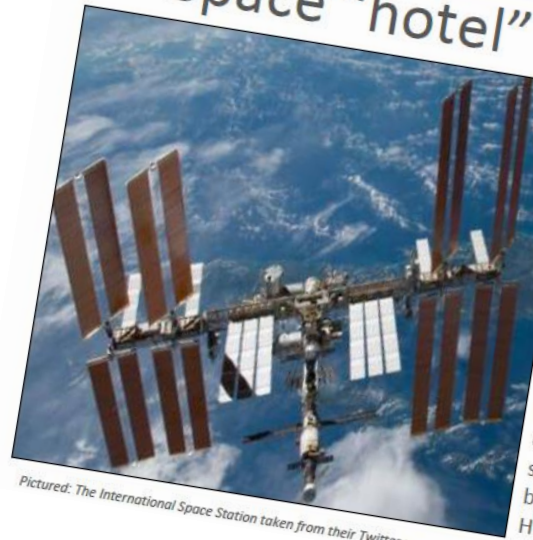
- Do you feel better taking part in sport in some clothes or shoes more than others? Which ones?
- Do you think the Nike trainers should be banned if they are proven to make people run faster?
- If the Nike trainers are banned for professional athletes for making things unfair, should they be banned for everyone else too? Why?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments here...



Share your thoughts and read the opinions of others on our discussion board: www.picture-news.co.uk/discuss

Space "hotel" planned for 2024



Pictured: The International Space Station taken from their Twitter page.

NASA have announced that it has selected a company to build a private hotel on board the International Space Station (ISS). The new additions to the ISS will include a crew habitat that will serve as a home for future space tourists. It will also have a research and manufacturing facility and a large-windowed Earth observatory. Axiom, the company who were chosen, hopes the space station that could replace the ISS when it is decommissioned. NASA tweeted "A big step forward in opening the @Space_Station to commercial opportunities: a new element for the station will be developed and built by a company based in Texas. We've selected @Axiom_Space of Houston to provide at least one habitable commercial module".

Panda twins at Berlin Zoo

Berlin Zoo's panda twins, nicknamed "Pit" and "Paule", have made their public debut in a specially prepared cub friendly glass-enclosed space. Their keepers have removed any dangerous obstacles and filled in a water basin to keep the twins safe. Their mother, Meng Meng, kept a close eye on her cubs during their first outing, pulling them down from any heights she considered too dangerous. The two cuddly cubs were the first pandas to be born in a German zoo and, whilst they are on loan from China, the public will be able to go and see the whole family. Five-month-old males, Meng Xiang and Meng Yuan, whose names mean "long-awaited dream" and "dream come true", seem to have enjoyed being centre of attention climbing over boulders and tumbling around for visitors.



Pictured: The Panda twins at Berlin Zoo taken from the zoo's Twitter page.