

Newsletter

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Menu Week 3—W/B 10.10.22

The highlight of the week ... was boys' football teams' participation in the Brian Robinson Trophy tournament at Filey Sports' Ground on Saturday. We sent **two teams of Y5 and Y6 boys** to give children an opportunity to represent school in a competition. Despite having had no chance to practise as teams, they gelled and improved as the tournament progressed. Newby B narrowly missed out on the knockout stage and Newby were runners up in their group but lost to the subsequent winners in the quarter final. My thanks to parents for transporting and supporting and for Mrs Smith and her daughter for excellent management. We look forward to building strong teams as the year goes on.

Other sporting news ...

- **Y3/4 girls netball team** took part in a tournament at St Augustine's. They made huge progress during matches and show great promise for the future
- The **girls' football team** have been in training ready for their matches in a tournament on Saturday. It is once again in Filey. We wish them luck and hope for similar weather to last weekend

Other news ...

- The autumn is a time where illnesses can spread rapidly. We talk regularly to children about carrying on with hygiene precautions that we have become familiar with during the pandemic. I have been asked to confirm that if your child has been sick, they should remain away from school for **48 hours** after symptoms stopped. This really stops the spread
- The Charity Committee have been busy publicising to the children details of our **Harvest collection**. We will be collecting tins and packets from next Monday that will be donated to our neighbours at Gatesgarth and the Rainbow Centre. The committee will prepare a message on Parent App and will deliver an assembly on the final Monday of the half term
- There was a very high uptake of the **All the Fun of the Fair menu** yesterday. The feedback from children was positive including 'I liked the corn' and 'The pudding was good, but I don't know its name.' Miss Candlish, the cook, said, 'Phew!' as she and the team had a sit down afterwards.

And finally ... the teachers are looking forward to speaking to you on **Monday, 10th or Wednesday, 12th October** in the **first parents' and carers' evenings** of the year. You should have received confirmation of your appointment time after booking on the Parent App. If you have not booked an appointment yet, please contact the office. **The parents meetings are by phone.** You will receive a call, possibly from a number you don't recognise, at the time you have booked. Teachers will send home your child's target sheet, which will reflect discussions during the meetings, after the half term break. The phone meetings mean that there will be no after school clubs on Monday.

Best wishes, Paul Davidson Interim Headteacher

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