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## Message from Miss Collier

If you haven't yet seen the KS2 performance of 'Alice the Musical' then you are in for a treat this evening. Having watched the first two performances, I would like to congratulate every individual for an amazing show. It has been an absolute pleasure watching you on stage, seeing your confidence, enthusiasm, energy and most of all, your enjoyment. I wish you the best of luck for your final show this evening. Thank you to all the KS2 staff that have worked hard to bring the show together and a huge thank you to Mrs Dunnigan who has contributed significantly to the performance. For me, it has been one of the best shows I've seen at Elvington.

Tomorrow there are further celebrations to look forward to. At 2pm we have the annual mini-marathon, followed by our trophy and attendance assembly, followed by the summer fair! We look forward to seeing you there.

Wishing you a fantastic weekend. Miss Collier

Working together, we can all achieve success.

## **Staffing Update**

I would like to take this opportunity to show our collective appreciation to staff who are leaving us at the end of term.

It is with sadness that we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Free at the end of the term, as she retires from Elvington after working as a teaching assistant for 21 years! Mrs Free has worked tirelessly for our children. She has been a fantastic member of the team here, inspiring and supporting generations of children. In her role as an Emotional Literacy Support Assistant she has provided a wealth of support for individual children and families. Thank you. Mrs Free's last day in school is on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July at midday.

Goodbye and good luck to Miss Shepherd as she leaves us to embark on teacher training next year. Miss Shepherd has been an absolute whizz in the office! An incredible support to myself, staff and parents, with the quickest IT skills I have ever seen. Thank you for all your hard work, we hope to keep in touch and enjoy your future career in teaching.

We wish you both well, you will be greatly missed by the children and staff.

Our thoughts will also be with Miss Richards and her family as she takes maternity leave. Our very best wishes for a healthy and happy baby. We hope you have a few weeks well-earned rest beforehand.

### **Job Vacancy**

We are seeking to appoint a Level 2 Teaching Assistant, who will work to provide outstanding support across KS2. As well as classroom support on a morning, we are looking for an individual who will confidently be able to lead small group work to boost attainment as well as support any emotional needs. Further details can be found on the <a href="City of York Council website">City of York Council website</a>. The closing date for applications is Thursday 19 July 2018 at 12 midnight.



Our Christian Value for the Summer half term.

Dates for your diary

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Thursday 12th July 6:00pm KS2 Play Friday 13th July Meet Your New Class -9:00am Mini-Marathon - 2:00pm Trophies/Attendance Assembly – 2:50pm School Reports Summer Fair - 3:15pm -4:30pm Monday 16th July Class 2 Trip to Woodlands Tuesday 17th July Class 1 Trip to Woodlands Wednesday 18th July 2:30pm **EYFS** Graduation Wednesday 18th July 5:00pm - 6:15pm Class 1&2 PTA Disco 6:30pm - 7:45pm Class 3,4& 5 PTA Disco Friday 20th July 2:30pm

Dates added or changed this week are shown in red

Leavers' Assembly

# Leavers' Assembly: Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July, School Hall



At the request of some parents, and to allow for the Y6 children to have their final send off from school, please note there has been change in dates and times for next week. There will no longer be an assembly on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> of July at 2.30pm, instead there will be one final service held in school on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July. We look forward to seeing you all there, and saying our final farewells to Year 6.



Week 2



#### Golden Book

This week's assembly will our Trophy Assembly: there will be no golden book certificates.



Summer Term, Second Half All clubs finish at 4:15pm, with the exception of Rainbows which finishes at 4:30pm. Clubs will not run in the final week of term.

Monday KS2 Cricket Club <u>Tuesday</u> Gardening Club KS1 Cricket Club Eco Club Wednesday KS2 Tennis Rainbows Thursday KS2 Rounders <u>Friday</u> KS2 Dance Club

#### Summer Fair 2018

This year's summer fair will take place on Friday 13th July.

The PTA are looking for any parent helpers who are willing to help run the following stalls: cake stall, sweet stall, tombola and bottle stall. If you are able to help in any way, please speak to our PTA Chair, Lisa Smith or email elvingtonprimarypta@gmail.com.



Any donations for the cake stall can be brought into school on Friday.

Many thanks for your support.



#### Reminder: After School Clubs

Please be aware that after school clubs will **not** be running next week as it is the final week of term.

## **Elvington Under Fives Summer Fete**

On Saturday 14th July, Elvington Under Fives will be holding their Summer Fete in Elvington Village Hall between 11:00am and 2:00pm. There will be a number of stalls, including hook-a-duck, a tombola, pick-a-stick, splat-the-rat, a lucky dip, treasure map, face paints and many more! There will also be burgers, bacon sandwiches, cakes and other refreshments available. Please pop down and support our pre-school!



The Elvington Under Fives Team

#### Slime



Please can we kindly ask that children do not bring slime into school. Unfortunately it has been left on furniture around school and a number of children and staff members have damaged their clothing

If any slime is purchased from Class 3's Enterprise stall at the summer fair, please ensure that it remains unopened until you get home, and that it does not come back into school. Thank you.

#### **Dunnington Fayre Goes Live**

Dunnington's traditional village fayre and music festival will take place on Saturday 28th July between 11:00am-4:00pm (fayre) and 2:30pm-9:30pm (music festival). There will be entertainment and displays, foot stalls, a bar, fair rides, a horse show, a dog show, and over 18 live bands and artists. For more information, visit www.dunningtoncommunityevents.org.uk



## Elvington Out of School Club



Elvington Out of School Club is open every day after school at the Lower Derwent Sports Club for children aged 3-11. Throughout 2018 we will be open during Elvington school holidays and training days, except bank holidays and the weeks when we will be closed for our summer break. Summer Holiday Club will be open from 23rd-27th July inclusive. We will be closed the week commencing 30th July and the week commencing 6th August 2018. We will re-open on 13th August and run until school re-opens. For more information contact the manager, Mrs Challis, on 07790 480 229.











