

News from Oakridge CP School



Nurturing School

Our focus principle of nurture this week is:

The importance of nurture for the development of wellbeing

“Wellbeing” can be used to describe our holistic health, including our physical, mental and emotional health. When we have good levels of wellbeing we feel that life is in balance and that we can generally cope well. We feel motivated and engaged and are able to show resilience and “bounce back” from life’s challenges (Anna Freud.org).

We recognise how important Nurture is and thread it through daily school life. I’m always delighted when visitors share how nurturing our staff are.



Nurturing spaces have been created throughout school where children can take the time to feel nurtured.

Attendance

Good attendance is linked to success in all aspects of school life.

This fortnight, our attendance has been

96.1%

This is slightly above our target of 96%.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast club has a new home!



Breakfast Club Timetable

Monday – Cooking

Tuesday – Craft

Wednesday – Cooking

Thursday – Eco-crafts

Friday – Outdoor Adventure

Summer Term Clubs

After-School (3.15 – 4.15pm)

Tuesday – Tuesday club with Ms Kaye

Wednesday – Summer Sports Club

Thursday – Gardening with Mr Everson

Lunchtime clubs

Tuesday – Times Table Rockstars (y2-y6)

Thursday – Gardening with Mr Everson

You have been sent a form to update after school club consents. Please complete by next Tuesday.

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Birds on the Edge

Dolphin Class are taking part in the exciting Birds On The Edge project organised by the North York Moors Education Service.

Starting from the 2nd May, the children will survey avian visitors to our site for 15 minutes each day.



On Thursday, the children were visited by Polly who helped us set up a bird feeding station in school.



The children learned why bird numbers have decreased, what efforts are being made to help them and how they can support this by surveying numbers.

Seahorse Class



The children in Seahorse class have shown fantastic concentration particularly in science.



They've loved observing their amaryllis bulb flower.

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Dolphin Class



Taking science learning outside with these fantastic diagrams of the circulatory system.

Celebration!

Please join us at 2.50pm today to celebrate our superstars:

Stars – Tommy, Marlie, Dexter and Freddie.

Specials – Regan, Isabella, Reggie and Alexander.

Mr Russell's BfL award – Elizabeth.

EYFS Stay and Play

If you have a child who is starting nursery or school in 23/24, please bring them to one or more of our taster sessions.

Wednesday 14th June 1.30pm – 2.30pm

Tuesday 20th June 1.30pm – 2.30pm

Wednesday 28th June 10.30am – 11.30am

Tuesday 4th July 10.30 – 11.30am

Coronation Celebration

Please join us next Thursday 4th May between 12.15 – 1pm for a Coronation Picnic.



Weather permitting, we will sit outside to enjoy a lovely celebratory picnic.

Please bring your own picnic/packed lunch.

Dates for the Diary

Fri 5th May – Seahorse Class Saltburn Trip

Mon 8th May – Bank Holiday

Tue 9th May – Fri 12th May – SATS week

Wed 17th May – KS2 cycling competition day

Fri 26th May – Break up for half term

Mon 5th June – Back to school

Fri 16th June – Y1/2 Quad Kids @Whitby Sixth Form

Tue 27th June – Y5/6 Athletics @Eskdale

Wed 5th July – Y5/6 Rounders @Caedmon

Thu 6th July – Year 6 Edinburgh trip

Tue 11th July – Summer Fayre

Wed 19th July – Sports Day

Thu 20th July – Leavers' Disco

Fri 21st July – Leavers' Assembly