





Feelgood Friday Newsletter

14th October 2022













From the Headteacher's Office...

Dear Children, Parents and Carers,

A huge thank you to all the staff and children in Owls for their amazing first assembly this morning. This was our busiest Celebration Café yet and the children did us proud. We looked at the books they have been reading, saw the Owls they created in art and they even included two songs! I particularly enjoyed the Colour Monster song!

Sadly, we have been told about a number of occasions recently where parents have been heard shouting and swearing outside of school. We know that this is a very small number of parents, but please do continue to let us know if this does happen. We always want to work with families to resolve any concerns and issues that may arise. Remember, your first point of call should always be the class teacher.

We also continue to have a number of children who arrive late at school. School starts at 8:45 am, so children should arrive at school from 8:30. The gates and doors close at 8:45 as the children should be inside ready to learn by this time. Thank you for your support with this.

Don't forget that school is closed for staff training on Friday 21st October. We are then closed for the half term holiday, but look forward to welcoming everyone back on Monday 31st October.

Best wishes,
Mrs Bowyer (Headteacher)





Dates for your diary



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Tuesday 18th & Wednesday
19th October - Virtual Parents
Evenings (Spotted Kestrels
date tbc)

Friday 21st October – staff training day – school closed

Monday 24th - Friday 28th October – October half term

Monday 31st October – school photographer in (individual photos)

Reception 2023

If your child will be starting school in September 2023 and you would like to look around the school, please email the office to arrange an appointment

Autumn Term Year Group Celebration Cafes

We would like to invite parents and carers to join us, in the School Hall for our new Celebration Cafes. Come and join us to share in your children's learning and for coffee and a cake!

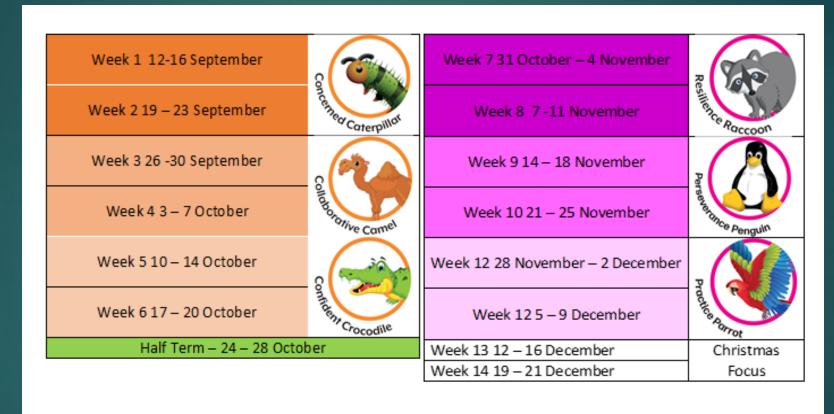
All Celebration Cafes will take place from 9-10am

Year 4: Friday 4th November Year 6: Friday 11th November Year 5: Friday 25th November

Year 3: Friday 2nd December



This term, we will be focusing in our school assemblies, including Feelgood Friday, on our VAAs.

















Our HPL Stars of the Week

Snowy Owls:

Red Kites: Maddison

Yellowbill Kites: Arabella

Goshawks: Melani

Sparrowhawks: Valters

Spotted Kestrels:

Golden Kestrels: Ana

Western Ospreys: Tanaka

Eastern Ospreys: Ollie-Ray

Collaboration is about working together – in school we do this through talk partners, and group work. We collaborate in our classes, our year groups, in assembly and at break and lunch.

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Merlin Falcons: Fabio

Sea Eagles: Cade

Peregrine Falcons:

Martial Eagles: Sumnima





Don't forget to send in your child's personal bests, so we can celebrate them with you.



Happy Birthday from everyone at Ravensthorpe!

Medicine in school



Due to health and safety, cough sweets are no longer allowed in school, as they are a choking hazard.

In line with our policy, we are able to administer prescribed medicines, Piriton, Paracetamol (calpol) and Ibuprofen in school. Parents/Carers **MUST** complete a consent form which can be found under the 'Useful Links' tab on the website. It is the responsibility of the child to come to the office at agreed times for medication.





It has been fantastic to see the children looking so smart in their uniforms at the start of term. Thank you to all of our families for your ongoing support School Uniform



Reception (Owls) Uniform and PE Kit for Years 1-6



Please note: earrings **cannot** be worn on PE days. If children are wearing earrings they will be asked to remove them. (We will not be responsible for any loss.) Small stud earrings may be worn on non PE days.

In Years 1-6, the PE uniform should be worn on:

Year 1: Monday and Tuesday

Year 2: Tuesday and Friday

Year 3: Thursday and Friday

Year 4: Wednesday (swimming) and Friday

Year 5: Monday and Wednesday

Year 6: Tuesday and Thursday

October half term holiday clubs



<u>Little Tigers Holiday Club</u>

An October half term holiday club is run by Little Tigers at Ravensthorpe.

For more information or to book a place please call 01733 330630 or email <u>littletigers@littletigersnursery.co.uk</u>

Providing wrap around childcare in the Dogsthorpe community



Dogsthorpe Den October Half Term Club



(located in mobile at rear of Dogsthorpe Academy)



Primary school children aged 4 - 11 years welcome

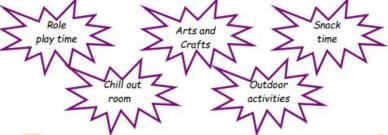


Monday 24th October to Friday 28th October 2022

8am - 6pm: £23.00 per child 8am - 1pm or 1pm - 6pm: £13.20 per child HOURLY RATE: £3.50 per child

Session costs payable at least one week in advance.

Cancelled/ non-attended places charged at full session cost.





For more information or to book a place for your child, please contact Suzanne Williams at The Dogsthorpe Den on:





(01733) 343581 ext. 4 (landline) 07920160118 (mobile)



We look forward to seeing you there!