

2019



Stoneferry Primary School

March Newsletter—Week 3

Upcoming dates

25th March

Y4 Swimming begins

27th March

Y3 Pedestrian Skills training

3rd April

Year 2 Class Assembly 9am

Y3/4 Production 1:45pm

This week has been packed full of the examples of children working really hard. Children in Year 2 to 6 have been completing termly assessments and in Year 1 and the Foundation Stage, children have been making breakthroughs in all sorts of area. A special mention also to Year 5 this week who for the 3rd week in a row have achieved 100% home reading success. Other classes are now starting to follow suit so please continue to encourage your child to read at home 3 times each week to improve our class percentages and support them with their work within school. Thank you.

Mr Raw, Head of School

Top Hill Low

On Thursday, children from Year 5 and 6 visited Top Hill Low near Driffield. This formed part of their topic Biomes, which has looked at the different places and conditions that people live in around the world.

The visit gave the children the chance to carry out nature walks, through wetlands, woods and grasslands, to find out how water is treated and learn about the different creatures which live within each of the habitats. Behaviour of the children throughout the trip was great and I am sure that the learning will now support the activities which the children will be completing in class.

Parents' Evening

I would just like to say a big thank you to everyone who attended parents' evening on Monday night. I hope that the meetings were helpful and informative and you enjoyed looking through your children's books. If you were unable to come on Monday, but would still like to speak with your child's teacher, please do not hesitate to contact the school office and a time can be organised for this to happen. Thanks also to everyone who completed and returned the school questionnaire which was sent home on Tuesday. The information gained from these is very useful in developing the school.

Mile Markings

On Tuesday of next week we will be having a track of footprints marked onto the school playground. We will be using money from the Sports Premium funding to do this, in order to encourage the children to be more active within their school day. To complete a mile, the children will be required to run around the track of footprints 10 times. It is hoped that over the course of the week the children will take the opportunity to do this or to just cover some of the distance.

Teddy Bear Success

On Friday of last week the children from the Animal Action Club held a teddy bear sale to raise money for a charity which protects bears in the wild. I am pleased to say that the sale raised over £16, which has been matched by the school. This money will now be sent to the charity which will hopefully allow them to continue their good work. Excellent work too from the members of the club who planned and organised the sale.

Mother's Day Lunch

Next week, on Thursday 28th March, we will be welcoming mums from Year 5&6 into school. I hope you can make it. Please let us know in the school office if you are able to attend.

Year 3 and 4 Production

The children of Year 3 and 4 are currently practicing very hard for their Easter production and it is sounding great. Thank you for all the support with learning lines and preparing the children for the show. A letter will be coming home next week with details of how to purchase tickets.