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Friday 12th April

Welcome back to everyone! We are looking forward to a very successful Summer term.

SEND Youth Groups

From Saturday 6th April SEND youth groups have started running for all primary aged children. These are run by Barnardo's. The local one to school is in Beverley at Church Lads and Church Girls Brigade. Please use the following link for more details and to sign up: <https://dsi.barnardos.org.uk/bumble-bs>

School gates

The school gates will close at 3.35pm promptly at which point all parents (unless otherwise agreed) must be off site. After school we regularly have children still in school and for safeguarding, the school gates must be closed. We would appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Car parking

Despite requests, we have a number of parents using the China Red car park to park their cars on drop off and pick up. We do ask that parents avoid this where possible as it is very unsafe when children are walking across the front of the restaurant. If you do choose to park here, can you please consider others when moving your vehicle. For parents who correctly use the sports hall, please be aware that there may be vehicles moving.

OFSTED's Big Listen

OFSTED is seeking the views of all people that it works alongside including parents and children. They are asking questions around four key areas:

- How Ofsted reports on its findings
- How Ofsted carries out inspections
- How Ofsted can have a positive impact in all the sectors it inspects
- What Ofsted needs to do to be a world-class inspectorate and regulator

More information can be found by clicking [here](#) and the questionnaire can be completed by clicking [here](#)

After School Clubs

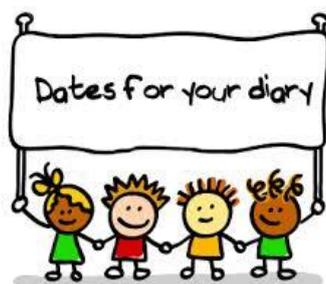
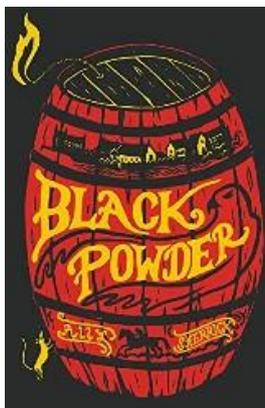
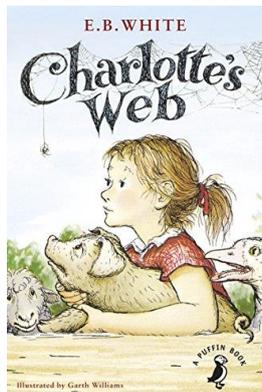
We still have spaces on our football club and art and craft club. Please contact the office if you would like to add your child on to these sessions.

Reading Book

Mrs Minns and Mrs Barrick have seen a real benefit to children having their own copies of the texts which they are reading in class. It is a great support when parents purchase those texts. Next term the following texts are being used:

Class 3 – Charlotte's Web by E.B. White

Class 4 – Black Power by Ally Sherick



SUMMER TERM 2024

Tuesday 9th April – school opens for the Summer Term

Wednesday 17th April – PTA Whole school Easter Egg Hunt on the playground (rescheduled from before Easter)

Thursday 25th April – PTA Cinema night at the Sports Hall 5.30pm

Monday 7th May – school closed for the early Spring bank holiday

Monday 13th May – Thursday 16th May – SATS week for Year 6 pupils

Wednesday 15th May – Friday 17th May – Year 5 residential

Friday 24th May – school closes for half term

Tuesday 4th June – school opens for Summer Term 2

We strongly recognise the part which parents play in their child's education. We can work together as a partnership to ensure that we all promote high standards of learning, behaviour and attitudes towards school so that all children can be the very best.

Yours sincerely

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