Osmotherley Primary School





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Dear Parents and Carers

Covid19 Restrictions

Following the government's announcement, on the 14th of June, that the remaining restrictions would not be relaxed until the 19th of July at the earliest, there have been a number of changes to our proposed end of year activities. Stokesley School has unfortunately cancelled all their cluster sporting events and transition days for the children starting at their new schools have also been cancelled. This is obviously very disappointing for everyone but this week two local primary schools have had positive cases and have had to send children home so we need to be careful. The DFE has sent guidance to all schools advising against any indoor events, including leavers' assemblies, however, the good news is that schools are allowed to hold sports days outside, providing that there are groups of no more than 30 people. There can be multiple groups of 30, but these groups need to be separate and, within the groups, families must remain socially distanced from other families. It will take some careful planning and organisation but I am so pleased that it can go ahead.

Friends of School

I would like to extend a huge thank you to the Friends of School who have bought 4 fabulous sheds to enhance outdoor learning and playtimes for the children. The sheds should arrive in the next couple of weeks. We are very excited and the children are going to be thrilled. Thank you for all your fundraising efforts. We really appreciate all the support you have given to the school, especially for those members who are 'retiring' this year. If you are interested in joining the Friends of School please contact Michelle Waldron or the school office.



At Your Gate Summer Festival

Thank you to Kirsty for helping the children to decorate the school gate and railings for the Community Summer Festival—it looked beautiful!

Robinwood

The Year 5 and Year 6 children enjoyed their action-packed residential visit last weekend. Everyone succeeded at every activity, including caving, climbing and a giant swing. They all dived into the pond during the raft-building and they all survived the piranha pool! The leaders at the centre were very impressed by their behaviour and their positive attitudes and Ms Pickard and I couldn't have been prouder of them all. There will be some photos of the visit on the website.

DATES FOR DIARIES

Forest School —Acorns	Thurs: July 1,15
Forest School— Oaks	Weds: July 7
Music for Life Workshops Acorns and Oaks	Thursday 1st July
Sports Day and BBQ	Friday 9th July 1.30- 3.30pm
Ice Bridge Challenge Y4, 5 & 6	Wednesday 14th July
Summer Day Out Acorns and Y3	TBC
Break Up for Summer	Friday 23rd July
Training Day	Mon 26th July
Training Day	Mon Sept 6th
First Day of the Autumn term	Tues Sept 7th



After School Clubs



Mixed Sports Club

Fridays

3.30—5pm
Please see SCSS flyer on website for
further details

After-School Yoga Mondays

from 3.30pm— 4.30pm. Kate can accommodate

10 children per session.
Please see flyer on website
for bookings.
Thank you



PHILOSOPHY CLUB KS2

Thursdays 3.30-4.30pm

There will be 4 sessions of Philosophy Club next half term on the following dates:

Thursday 1st and 8th July

Please let us know if your child would like to attend. Thank you.







JUNIOR FILM CLUB AND CHESS CLUB

We will let you know as soon as Film Club can start again. If anyone is interested in helping with a lunchtime chess club, please let us know. (a DBS check and a reference would be required)

Payments to School

Please make all payments to school using ParentPay if at all possible. Please contact the school office if you require any further information, help or advice.

Thank you.

admin@osmotherley.n-yorks.sch.uk

Morning Mile Every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday

8.25 am - 8.55 am

All Y1 - Y6 pupils and parents are welcome to join us for a run before school (FS children can join in too if they are accompanied by an adult).

Please arrive at 8.20am. Children can wear joggers or leggings with their school tops all day but they will need a change of shoes.



Dance and Gymnastics Club

Tuesdays

3.30-5pm

See flyer from SCSS on website for further details and booking information.



After School Minecraft Club



Minecraft Club continues on **Mondays** from 3.30 –4.30pm. School iPads are provided but children are also welcome to bring their own devices, which can be stored in the school office during the day. If your child would like to join, the information is on the school website.

If your child is absent, please telephone or email School before 9.15am to let us know.
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Please don't forget to inform school of any changes to your emergency contact details.