

Small School Big Ideas

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Dear Parents,

Thank you to all who came to the 'Meet the Teacher' events held last week. We have had some very positive feedback about them, so hopefully this has helped you to know a little more about what to expect this coming year.

Thanks also to the Y1/2 parents who are now dropping their children off at the door. This has led to a much calmer, quieter start to the school day and has enabled the children to start work sooner and settle more quickly into their tasks. It also means you can get to work more speedily!

What's on this week:	
Monday 19 th September	York City Knights KS2 lunchtime Multi-Sports Club
	Netball Club after school for Y5/6 with Mrs Denison
Tuesday 20 th September	Reception 'Meet the Teacher' at 3.15pm and 6.30pm with Mrs Christison and Mrs Pemberton
	York City Knights KS2 Multi-Sports Club after school
Wednesday 21 st September	Open the Book in the Village Hall
	Piano lessons start with Mrs Wragg
Thursday 22 nd September	Non-Uniform Day for McMillan. Bring £1
	McMillan Coffee Afternoon. All welcome. In the school hall from 2-3pm, where you will be served by Y5 and 6 pupils. Please bring donations of cakes or yummy treats to the school hall in the morning.
	
	School choir after school with Ms Cordingley
Friday 23 rd September	9.15am Parents' Prayer Group at St Matthew's Church (see below).
	Multi-skills KS1 club after school with Miss Harris from City of York Sports Partnership
	NB PTA Movie Club postponed until 25th November

Lost Property

There is already quite a lot of lost property in school. Please remember to label your child's clothes clearly and then we can make sure they are returned to the right owners.

Parents' Prayer Group

The Yo-Yo team who work with York schools and often come into Naburn to lead workshops and Collective Worship have offered to help us to set up an informal prayer group. It will meet once a half term, at 9.15am in church, just for half an hour. Please come along. If you know of any local residents who might also want to come along, let them know too.

PTA News

Tickets for the Ceilidh on 15th October are now on sale and posters up around the village. It promises to be a good night!

Football Request

If anyone would like to run the School Football Team, please let me know. It could be a job for one parent, or a small group of parents – it will involve training the team, taking them to matches and sometimes refereeing.

Harvest Request

The theme of this year's Harvest Festival will be 'Farming' and this is an ideal opportunity to research and celebrate our school logo.

If anyone knows the story behind our logo, please let me know as it is so perfect for our school, but rather unusual....and quite a mystery! Do not worry – I will not be changing it!!



Library Assembly

As mentioned last week, Mo Bird from York Explore will be presenting Summer Reading Challenge certificates on Tuesday 27th September. This year, we will present them in the Village Hall, to allow more space for any parents who wish to come along too to join in the celebration. We will start at 2.30pm.

Another busy week ahead of us!

Thanks,
Mrs Christison