



Small School Big Ideas

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Dear Parents,

Well done to everyone who walked and scooted to school last week in Walk to School Week, and to all those who parked a little way away and walked, or even jogged around the playground! We won the York Schools 'Scoot to School' Competition, with a prize of a Scooter Pod to park our scooters in. School Council will be choosing the colour in their meeting tomorrow. (If anyone has lost a screw from their scooter, it is in the school office. It looks quite important!).



Here is what is happening this week:

What's on this week:	
Monday 17th October	York City Knights KS2 lunchtime Multi-Sports Club
	Netball Club after school for Y5/6 with Mrs Denison
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> October	York City Knights KS2 Multi-Sports Club after school
	Parents' Evenings after school 3.30pm – 5.30pm
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	Open the Book to lead Collective Worship in Village Hall
	Parents' Evenings after school 5pm – 7pm
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	Gardening Club at lunch time with Mrs Pemberton
	Yo-Yo meeting with our newly formed 'Worship Team'
Friday 21st October	Multi-skills KS1 club after school with Miss Harris
	<b>Break up for half term</b>
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Monday 31st October	<b>Training Day. School closed</b>
	Ugly Bug Ball

### **Friends of Naburn (PTA) News**

Thankyou to all who came to the Ceilidh on Saturday evening. It was such fun!! Well done to everyone who helped to make it such a successful night. A special thankyou goes to the superb band, who certainly inspired us all to get up and dance!

### **Ugly Bug Ball – 31<sup>st</sup> October 2016**

Tickets are £3 each which includes a drink and a hotdog and will be on sale on the playground every evening this week after school.

Please note that KS1 children must be accompanied at the village hall and all KS2 children must be collected and must not walk home on their own as it will be dark. Don't forget the spookiest house competition in Naburn. Please register your house and details via: friendsofnaburnprimary@gmail.com



Compassion Trust Perseverance

## **School Values**

My 'Trust Award' went to Gemma for her help with School Council's Healthy Shop (even though the maths is a bit tricky for all of us sometimes).



We are learning about Trust this term in our Collective Worship each day. Please see the attached sheet if you wish to follow up this work at home. It is not homework – just an opportunity to explore one of our core values further.

## **Open Afternoon (New Starters)**

On Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November and Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January we are holding open afternoons for any parents who might like their child to come to Naburn in the future (particularly September 2017 starters). These are opportunities to see the school in action and have a guided tour! Please come along if you have a young child and spread the word to anyone you know!! Both afternoons are from 1.30pm until 2.30pm and children are welcome.

## **Parents' Evenings**

Don't forget Parents' Evenings this week! I am available on the Wednesday evening if you want to chat with me, but not on Tuesday as I will be seeing the Reception parents with Mrs Pemberton.

## **Worship Team**

We are in the process of forming a Worship Team, which will help to organise, lead and evaluate our Collective Worship. The children are currently nominating people to be chosen. All nominations need to be in by Wednesday (posted in the box in the entrance hall) as Yo-Yo are coming in to help set the team up on Thursday!

## **Coats**

Now that the weather has taken an Autumnal turn, please ensure that your child has a coat with them so that they can be toasty warm on the playground and also when we walk to the Village Hall for PE.

## **Photographer**

Our school photographer will be taking individual photos (and groups with siblings) on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November, ready for ordering in time for Christmas. A letter with more information will follow after half term.

Have a lovely half term break! The children have started this year brilliantly, with lots of learning going on, which I hope you will see at Parents' Evenings.

Many thanks,  
Mrs Christison

