

ST PETER'S BRAFFERTON CE (VA) PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Small school, big heart

20th January 2023

Dear Parents,

Well done to the Year 5/6 footballers at Thirsk High School this week. They showed fantastic teamwork and determination! They looked the part too with a kit kindly donated by Richard Darcy, North Yorkshire Soccer Academy. Watch this space for an after school club.

New 'All - Age Service'

Padre John is beginning a new 'All-Age Service' in February to make church more accessible too children and young families and plans to start this on Sunday 19th of February at St Peter's Church in Brafferton. The service will be very laid-back and include modern worship action songs, interactive presentations, fun, etc, and there will be refreshments served afterwards so that people can meet and chat over tea, coffee, soft drinks, cake, biscuits, etc.

If the above service is to succeed it is important that we put it on at the right time on a Sunday afternoon, so I would be extremely grateful if you could contact me and let me know that if you were hoping to attend such a service, then what would be the best time on Sunday for you in light of your typical Sunday schedule. Please email details of a proposed start time as soon as possible to Padre John at easingwoldrev@gmail.com.

Teacher strike action

As you maybe aware in the news, there will be teacher strike action on several dates in February and March. We hope to minimise disruption as much as possible to the children's learning. I will confirm which classes will be affected in the next week.

Well done to all the children this week– they're all superstars!

Thank you for your continued support.

Your sincerely,

Mrs S. Anderson



HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Helperbees Austin. C for his amazing mathematical problem solving, 2,2, and 2 makes 6. Fantastic.

Class 1 Jake Wilkins - For challenging himself with his reading and helping Mrs Lott to produce a chocolate factory role play

Class 2 Isaac Blackwall for his enthusiasm and effort using maps to find Viking settlements

Class 3 Josie Wise for methodical fraction work and great explanations to develop understanding when working with a partner.

Dates for your diary

Swimming begins every Thursday (1st half term Class 2 and 3, 2nd half term Class 1)

Forest School every Tuesday (1st half term Class 3 and 2nd half term Helperbees)

30.1.23 Spiritual leader pupil training with Philippa Smith (Diocese Advisor)

7.2.23 Safer Internet Day with the theme 'Want to talk about it?' - whole school activities

8.2.23 Young Voices for Year 4, 5 and 6 Sheffield Arena

10.2.23 Break up for half term

w/c 13.2.23 Half term holiday club open to all year groups

19.2.23 All age worship @ St Peter's Church (time tbc)

20.2.23 Return to school

2.3.23 World Book Day- details of event to follow

PTA news

Thank you for your donations in the clothing bank- every collection raises money for school.

Our latest money will be used to pay for new Ipads for the children to use in lessons.

We have an Amazon Wishlist with items added all the time. Thank you for your support.

Kindness

Inclusivity

Community