

BRAFFERTON C OF E (VA) PRIMARY SCHOOL ST PETER'S



GOVERNOR NEWS LETTER APRIL 2025 ISSUE

Dear parents and carers,

The summer term is almost upon us and the children are working so hard in achieving their learning objectives and targets for the year. The Governing body, along with Mrs Anderson, our Headteacher, continue to be busy monitoring all the fabulous work the teachers and children are doing in school, to ensure that the teaching and learning standards remain high. Well done to everyone!

At this time of year some of our children are busy preparing themselves for the imminent SATS exams. We give thanks to Mrs Anderson for providing extra teaching to these year groups so that they get the best possible chance in showing what they have learnt. Good luck to all those pupils who are sitting their SATS exams in the week of the 12th May, all that we can ask is : TRY YOUR HARDEST AND DO YOUR BEST, because above all, this is what really matters the most!

As usual, this Spring term Mrs Anderson and her team have arranged lots of extra activities for the children to develop their confidence to interact socially with others; extend their social networks; provide them with new skills and abilities and of course for all the children to have lots of fun with! The Young Voices experience in February will stay with our class 3 children forever and the superb dancing competitions that our school came 1st in both groups, fills us with pride.

Also, a Viking Day at Murton Park - Class 2, Judaism workshop - whole school, Children's Mental Health week - Wellbeing warriors planned activities each day and a Y6 Cycling Proficiency course. Wow! I am sure you will all agree with me that we are one very lucky school!

Our highly successful Preschool continues to be busy as ever, the Governors would like to say a massive thank-you to Mrs Holmes and all the Helperbees team! Also a huge thank-you to our fabulous PTA, their fundraising is outstanding, and we are very grateful for their endless support of our amazing village school.

Finally, on behalf of the *Governing Body*, may I wish you all a very happy and restful Easter and we hope you enjoy spending quality time with your children and your families. We will look forward to welcoming all the children back in school on Tuesday 22nd April, ready to start a 'cracking' summer term! Just watch out for a special visitor at the school gates today at the end of school (wink wink)

Best wishes

Shirley Sowray Chair of *Governors*