



The Federation of Snape Community and
Thornton Watlass C E Primary Schools

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Ofsted

Thank you to everyone who completed online questionnaires. As soon as Ofsted publish our report we will forward you a copy, it will also be on the school website.

EYFS/Rec/Y1/2 Dinosaur Visit

We had a fabulous Federation day at Snape on Thursday 12th May. The children visited the nature area and the dinosaurs in the village and had a great time. Many thanks to Prices Paving's for allowing us to visit.



Kwik Cricket Tournament - Report written by Team STW

On the 16th May some of the year 5 and 6's went to B.A.S.A (Bedale Athletic Sports Association.) Team STW came to kwik cricket with good recent form as they have reached the final in all the competitions they have entered recently. The first match they played they successfully beat RAF Leeming, which would mean we would only have to beat Crakehall to qualify. STW did that with ease, gliding past them. In the end we made it through to the final but sadly we lost to Bedale by 6 runs. The team: Thomas, Ben, Mathew, William, Evie and Tilly. So all in all, a good outcome for STW.

Quad Kids

Y1/2 will be visiting Catterick Athletics Track on Thursday 16th June for a cluster day of various sports events. The children will be transported there by mini bus. A packed lunch will be provided by school which will consist of a sandwich, a slice of pizza, vegetable sticks, flapjack, fruit and a bottle of water. Please complete the attached permission slip and tick 1 of the boxes for the flavour sandwich your child would like.

Bikeability

Y6's will be taking part in an NYCC-run 2 day cycling course. All the paperwork will be sent home next week.

Uniform

Please can everyone check that they are wearing the correctly named jumpers as now that the good weather is here(?) jumpers are taken on and off and don't necessarily end up back on the correct child. If you could also double check that all jumpers are named. Thank you.

Snape stay and play

On Friday 27th May we will be having a stay and play at Snape from 9am-10am.

Class 1 Trip

On Monday 20th June all of Class 1 will be visiting the Yorkshire Arboretum at Castle Howard. Please can the children wear their school jumpers and weather appropriate clothing. A packed lunch will be provided by school which will consist of a sandwich, a slice of pizza, vegetable sticks, flapjack, fruit and a bottle of water. Please complete the attached permission slip and tick 1 of the boxes for the flavour sandwich your child would like. This is a free trip as all costs will be paid for by FRIENDS.

Chicks!

We have a fabulous incubator at Snape that on Monday was full of eggs, today it has chicks in it! The children have been able to watch them hatching and will learn how to feed and care for them once they all arrive! They should all have hatched by next week. If anyone would like some as "pets" please let us know asap as they will be leaving school next weekend.



Mon 23 May	Tue 24 May	Wed 25 May	Thur 26 May	Fri 27 May
		Rev Ian - Collective Worship TW	AM Y3-6 Trip to Darlington Theatre - Packed Lunch required PM Kofi's Journey Rehearsal Eyfs & Rec to Monk Park Farm for the day packed lunch provided	Stay and play at Snape 9am-10am Everyone welcome. Swimming Break up
Mon 30 May	Tue 31 May	Wed 1 June	Thur 2 June	Fri 3 June
School Holidays	School Holidays	School Holidays	School Holidays	School Holidays
Mon 6 June	Tues 7 June	Wed 8 June	Thur 9 June	Fri 10 June
School opens	Y5 Cluster ICT Day at TW		Rev Nick - Collective Worship at Snape	Swimming Football and Fun TOMORROW! 12-4
Mon 13 June	Tues 14 June	Wed 15 June	Thur 16 June	Fri 17 June
Bikeability Training - Y6 all day		Rev Ian - Collective Worship TW	Quad Kids Y1&2 Catterick- packed lunch provided Rev Nick at Snape	Swimming Snape Open Garden Weekend 18 th & 19 th
Mon 20 June	Tue 21 June	Wed 22 June	Thur 23 June	Fri 24 June
KS2 Dress Rehearsal for Kofi's Journey AM Class 1 to Castle Howard - packed lunch provided		Bikeability Training - Y6 - all day Rev Ian - Collective Worship TW	Rev Nick - Collective Worship at Snape	Training Day - School Closed
Mon 27 June	Tue 28 June	Wed 29 June	Thur 30 June	Fri 1 July
		Y6 Leavers Assembly at Ripon Cathedral Kofi's Journey Performance 6pm The Forum, Northallerton	Rev Nick - Collective Worship at Snape Kofi's Journey Performance 6pm The Forum, Northallerton	Swimming
Mon 4 July	Tue 5 July	Wed 6 July	Thur 7 July	Fri 8 July
	Y6 Friendship Day at BHS	Reception to TW for transition day. Y6 STEM day at BHS	Rev Nick - Collective Worship at Snape	Swimming (NOT REC) Reception to TW for transition day
Mon 11 July	Tue 12 July	Wed 13 July	Thur 14 July	Fri 15 July
Y6 Induction Day at BHS		Reception to TW for transition day	Federation Olympics Day - Picnic Lunch - Parents welcome	Swimming
Mon 18 July	Tue 19 July	Wed 20 July	Thur 21 July	Fri 22 July
Ks2 Cluster Sports at BHS - packed lunch required	Rev Ian - Collective Worship TW	KS2 Summer Play at Village Hall 1.30pm & 6.30pm	KS1 Seaside Trip - packed lunch provided. Rev Nick at Snape	Swimming
Mon 26 July	Tue 26 July	Wed 27 July	Thur 28 July	Fri 29 July
	Leavers Assembly 9.15am Everyone Welcome School Closes 2pm No club tonight	School Closed	School Closed	School Closed

Packed Lunches and Snacks

Please see below a snippet of our Healthy Eating Policy - the full document is on the school website. There is a list of foods and drinks that are acceptable for packed lunches. However quick, easy and yummy pies, cakes, chocolate bars and fizzy drinks are, they are not within our policy. It is also unfair for all the children having a balanced school lunch that there is a possibility of sharing a table with a friend who is eating cake and crisps. We hope you can help us keep our Healthy Schools certificate by supporting our policy, which is a national policy, not just us being difficult! Thank you.

Food and drink in packed lunches:

- The school will provide facilities for pupils bringing in packed lunches and ensure that free, fresh drinking water is readily available at all times.
- The school will work with the pupils to provide happy, comfortable and appropriate dining room arrangements
- The school will work with parents to ensure that packed lunches abide by the standards listed below.
- As fridge space is not available in school, pupils are advised to bring packed lunches in insulated bags with freezer blocks where possible to stop the food going off.
- School will ensure that packed lunch pupils and school dinner pupils will sit and eat together.

Packed lunches should include (to meet the national school food standards):

- at least one portion of fruit **and** one portion of vegetables every day.
- meat, fish or other source of non-dairy protein (e.g. lentils, beans, chickpeas, hummus, peanut butter) every day
- oily fish, such as salmon, at least once every three weeks.
- a starchy food such as any type of bread, pasta, rice, couscous, noodles, potatoes or other type of cereals every day.
- dairy food such as milk, cheese, yoghurt, fromage frais or custard everyday
- only water, still or sparkling, fruit juice, semi-skimmed or skimmed milk, yoghurt or milk drinks and smoothies.

Packed lunches should not include:

- **snacks such as crisps.** Instead, include nuts, seeds, vegetables and fruit (with no added salt, sugar or fat). Savory crackers or breadsticks served with fruit, vegetables or dairy food are also a good choice.
- **confectionery** such as chocolate bars, chocolate-coated biscuits and sweets. Cakes and biscuits are allowed but encourage your child to eat these only as part of a balanced meal.
- Meat products such as sausage rolls, individual pies, corned meat and sausages / chipolatas should be included only occasionally.

Special diets and allergies

Be aware of nut allergies. We recommend you visit the www.allergyinschools.co.uk website for accurate, reliable information on managing allergies in schools.

The school also recognises that some pupils may require special diets that do not allow for the standards to be met exactly. In this case parents are urged to be responsible in ensuring that packed lunches are as healthy as possible. For these reasons pupils are also not permitted to swap food items.

Film Club

The above policy also applies to after school clubs. Please send your child to the clubs with a healthy snack, not popcorn, sweeties etc. Although it is lovely that the children are willing to share their goodies we do have pupils with food allergies who are not allowed certain products. Please only send in a healthy snack for your own child.

Forms for completion



Saturday 11th June 2016. 12-4pm



Thornton Watlass School



As you know, we have our annual Football & Fun event coming up. We hope you are all planning to come along to support our school at this fun afternoon of sport. We will be running a selection of stalls, which are always popular. The event will prove to be as great a day as ever for the children and their supporters!

We really do need and appreciate all offers of help whether before the event or on the day and of course we rely on your kind donations. The stalls we are running this year are the cake stall, chocolate tombola, book and toy bring and buy and a café. If anyone has any suggestions for additional stalls they would like to run please do shout!

If you can help in anyway with either the planning or manning a stall or in the cafe just let a member of the committee know or contact TW school office admin@thorntonwatlass.n-yorks.sch.uk

Best regards 

Friends of the Federation of Snape and TW Schools

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Name

I am available to help on the day - please circle 11am-12pm / 12-1pm / 1-2pm / 2-3pm / 3-4pm

I can supply cakes for the cake stall



I can supply chocolate bars for the chocolate tombola



Y1/2 visit to Castle Howard 20th June

I give permission forto be transported to and from Castle Howard

20 June . Packed Lunch choice

Ham

Egg

Cheese



Y1/2 Quad Kids sports at Catterick Athletics track

I give permission forto be transported to, from and attend Quad Kids

16 June. Packed Lunch choice

Ham

Egg

Cheese



Please return this slip to school asap - thank you