



Collective Worship Theme this half term=Responsibility/Hope

Attendance this week is 92.32% (target is 96%)

21 July 2023

School News

The end of another year; how time flies! Your children have grown and flourished before our eyes and are a pleasure to work with. So much has happened that it is hard to recall everything at times but we hope that the children look back and see how we try to make learning fun and exciting and feed their curiosity, broadening their horizons. Our Vision is *to nurture the youngest to the oldest in our community, enabling all to flourish. Inspirational learning through curiosity will encourage aspiration and the desire to be the best they can through the respect, care and love they have for each other. Enabling a life lived in all its fullness.*

We hope you feel this is the case for your family.



*First the blade, then the ear,
then the full grain.*

@SchoolGillamoor

Gillamoor C of E Primary School

This week's winning House is Oak

Last week's winning House was Oak

Make £5 Grow results

This KS2 project run by Mrs Smith as part of the PSHE curriculum really took off. From a £5 investment, children have learnt about profit and loss and reinvesting to improve their business. Awards went to;

Highest profit; 1st Anna; 2nd Ronnie; 3rd Chloe F.

Most original ideas; Jonny

Most likely to go on and become a regular business; Tabby

Children's University Graduation

On Tuesday, the Y6 pupils all of whom had gained enough points to graduate, attended the Graduation Ceremony at Scarborough Spa. Other schools attended too and, after the formal presentations and speeches, all children and parents attended a party with food and disco. All our KS2 children take part in Children's University, earning hours by things they do outside of school which can include anything from helping in the home, clubs such as dancing and scouts to visits they make.



Our Amazing Cook

Jenny, our amazing cook had a visit from the Environmental Health Officer this week and was awarded a 5 star rating.



Art project and trail

The tiles depicting 7 sites in the village are now on display along the school fence. There is also an information leaflet written by the children to go with them which you can pick up from the pub or download from our website.

Y6 treat—Wykeham Lake

This year the Y6 decided to go to Wykeham Lake for their end of primary school treat (previous years they have gone to Go Ape or bowling). It was lovely weather and the water wipe-out course was very challenging and exciting. They all agreed it was a great day.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

21 July-Break up

5 September-Pupils return to school

How lucky I am to have something that makes saying goodbye so hard.

Winnie the Pooh

Kirkbymoorside Hub- Ryedale Community Foodbank

Kirkbymoorside Methodist Hall Thursday 9.30am - 11.30am
Telephone 07821664764

The Foodbank will remain open throughout the School Holidays.

We are here to help if you are worried about rising bills.

School do have vouchers, alternatively you are welcome to call in and speak with us.



Staff Training/meetings

Anyone for Tennis

Jane, one of our Governors, is kindly offering tennis and a swim at her house just outside Gillamoor, High Park Farm YO62 7HS, this summer. Everyone is welcome; £5.00 for Gillamoor pupils and £7.00 for other children.

Wednesday August 2nd

Wednesday August 9th

Wednesday August 16th

All at 3.15pm followed by tea and a swim.



We, the Friends of Gillamoor School just want to say a MASSIVE thank you to everyone involved in our first ever Summer Fair, we have raised **£1108.95!!** Fantastic work and effort for only four weeks of planning!! Bring on the Summer Fair next year 🙌

You will see attached to the newsletter, a breakdown of what we have raised and what we have spent some of the money on this year. I know we are like a broken record at time but seriously without your help with the fundraising that we do we would not be able to provide any of it so thank you again.

As always, we are looking for new members to join the Friends group or just become helpers. Our next meeting will be on Monday 18th September at 7pm, we meet at the Royal Oak Gillamoor. ALL ideas are welcome and if you can only make an odd meeting that is absolutely fine with us. If you would like to be added into our Friends Whatsapp group please text me on 07786294196.

Lastly I hope you all enjoy the summer holidays, I know my two are ready for the holidays, and we will see you back in September with more great ideas.

Rachel Patterson
Chair of Friends of Gillamoor School



As a school, we too add our thanks to the committee, additional helpers and anyone who has supported the events this year. It is lovely to see the FoGS going from strength to strength as we really couldn't do half of what we offer the children without their subsidising activities etc.

School Lunches

Week beginning 4
Sept is week 1 of
our menu.

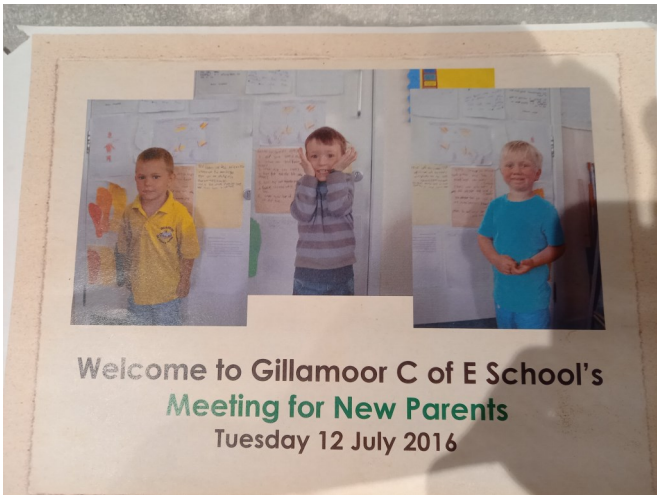




GALLERY



Mrs Morbey and Mrs Hayes!



How they have grown!

