

Tockwith

CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY ACADEMY



The end of last term brought with it a summer disco for the whole school. We separated KS1 and KS2 so the younger children could play games and the older children could dance more. The children had a great time and we are looking forward to the next one where we will be taking more input from the children in regards to the songs played and the format of the disco!



Last term our children in Y2 also completed their SAT tests and what amazing secret agents they were!! The children showed amazing perseverance and concentration when completing the secret missions – we are very proud of them.

Following their trip to London and tour of the Houses of Commons, children in year 6 had an amazing opportunity to speak to Lord Haskel from the UK House of Lords. The children have also been in contact with MP Mike Amesbury who they met in London and asked both some excellent questions.



Ebor Academy Trust have created a new Tockwith Primary video for us which allows parents new and existing to find out more about our school. The link to the video can be found on the front page of our website: <https://tockwith.ebor.academy/>

Children in year 5 were invited to spend a day at Wetherby High School to experience a day in the life of a secondary school pupil. The children were picked up from

Tockwith Primary by the Wetherby High school mini buses and delivered to the secondary school safely. Their day included 5 lessons and children were expected to bring some of their own stationery with them, to give them the responsibility of looking after their own equipment for the day. The Year 5 students had a great time learning about witches in History, doing poetry in English, solving math's problems, playing rounders and they finished off the day making badges and engraving pencils in DT. It was a great day all round.



Tockwith Primary PTFA held their first coffee morning at the start of June. It was lovely to see parents join us for a coffee and a chat. We are hoping to hold more coffee mornings in future.

Children in Y1 and 2 took a trip to the Grand Opera House York to see Demon Dentist. The children had a brilliant time watching the incredible performance – they all behaved really well, thanks to parents, governors and staff who helped make the visit happen!



We also held a curriculum morning in school – inviting parents in to observe classes across school, all working on different subjects. There was also a talk on how we use

‘memory lane’ and another on how we use quizzes. Thank you to the parents and carers that came along – it was great to see you all.

Class	Curriculum Subject
Picasso	Music
Einstein	Forest school
1	Art
2	Science
3	History
4	DT
5	PSHE
6	Geography

Coming up in June we have our Y6 children out on their 5 day residential to Humphrey Head, what an exciting experience for them! We also have many end of term events and activities taking place. Check next months edition for an update on this. Key dates for July:

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| 3 rd July | - Y5 Kayaking |
| 3 rd July | - Y3 in school sleepover |
| 4 th July | - Yr 4 in school sleepover |
| 5/6 th July | - Transition days |
| 7 th July | - PTFA Summer Fair |
| 14 th July | - Sports Day & BBQ |
| 20 th July | - Leavers Service in Church @ 2pm |
| 21 st July | - Leavers Assembly in School @ 2.30pm |
| 21 st July | - School Closes |

We wish you all an amazing, restful summer holiday and look forward to welcoming children (new and old) back in September.