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## *One family branching out together*

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### Newsletter 2

Dear Parents & Carers,

Although we've had very changeable weather, we are officially in Autumn. In school we mark this occasion with our Harvest Festival and Halloween themed events. Our PTA are hosting a Halloween Party for the children and they will be selling pumpkins, school are also hosting a pumpkin carving competition.

A reminder that our KS2 children (Year 3 to Year 6) are taking part in the Selby PE Cluster Cross-Country event on Thursday afternoon at Sherburn High School. Please can they come to school wearing their PE kits and bring a water bottle.

Please note that due to a last-minute trip availability, we have had to change the date of our next **Celebration Worship** from Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October to **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October** as Class 3 will be on a trip on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October. This also means that our non-uniform day has changed to Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October, therefore children should wear full uniform on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October.

### Junior Tax facts



The children in Class 3 have been enjoying leaning about how the countries tax system works. They have explored what are taxes and what they are used for. The children had a great discussion about whether taxes should have to be paid. As you can imagine there were some differences of opinions which were all explored with both sides of the argument being given.

The children completed a few small activities where they learnt about all the different services which are provided using taxes from the government. The children had great fun deciding what services they felt were important to them and were very good at explaining their reasoning. I think we may have a few politicians in the making!



## Selby Sports Cluster

On Thursday 28th September our KS1 (Year 1 and 2) children attended a multi-skills event at Barlow Primary where they were joined by children from Burton Salmon, Barlow, Barkston Ash and St Joseph's (Tadcaster) schools, for the first of this year's Sports Cluster events. Our Cluster leader, Andy Jackson, set up a range of multi-skills stations, including competitions based around throwing, co-ordination, ball skills, as well as the tactical games of 'catch the tail' and 'an introduction into tag rugby'.



## Non-Uniform/Harvest Festival

We will be celebrating our Harvest Festival on **Friday 20th October** in our re-arranged Celebration Worship in the Village Hall from 9.00am. We are supporting Selby & District Foodbank, who help local people who are facing crisis. Over 90% of the food distributed by the Trussell Network on behalf of the foodbank is donated

by the public. We would like to support this worthwhile cause, by asking children to please bring in the





following shopping list items of foods that are urgently needed instead of a monetary donation for the non-uniform day that has now been changed to Friday 20th October:

TINNED MEAT/FISH/FRUIT      JAM      UHT MILK (1 LITRE)

The Foodbank have plenty of soup, baked beans, cereal, pasta, rice and have asked for no more of these items please. Thank you for your generosity. For further information regarding how to give or receive from Selby & District Foodbank, please follow the link [About | Selby & District Foodbank](#)

### Your Health Matters

It's that time of year when the normal bugs and viruses are in full flow, alongside the re-emergence of Covid. Please be extra vigilant and monitor whether your child is well enough to be in school. If your child tests positive for Covid, please inform us immediately so that we can track cases in school. The guidance states that children who test positive should be absent for 3 days, starting after the day that the test was taken. If you cannot test, the guidance asks for infected people to stay at home if your child has a high temperature and feels unwell. Children may return to school when they feel better and do not have a high temperature.



Children with diarrhoea or vomiting should stay away from school until they have not vomited or had diarrhoea for at least 2 days (48 hours).

Please visit the GOV.UK website which contains the guide below for your information: -

[A parent's guide to keeping kids healthy this school year - UK Health Security Agency \(blog.gov.uk\)](#)

Measles is highly infectious and if left unvaccinated nine out of ten children in an early years setting can catch the disease if just one child is infectious.

Measles cases are rising across the country, with over 102,000 children starting primary school in England being at risk of catching the disease.

Please see a link on our website for NHS Back to School MMR Guide, September 2023:

[School Health | Chapel Haddlesey CE Primary School \(chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk\)](#)

### PTA Meetings

Our PTA are busy making plans for the Halloween Party in the Village Hall on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October. If you have not yet booked your tickets, they are only available on ParentPay. If your child has any dietary requirements could you please email the PTA on [chapelhaddleseypta@gmail.com](mailto:chapelhaddleseypta@gmail.com)

Pumpkins will also be available to purchase from the PTA after school in the final week before the half-term holiday, more details will follow.

The next PTA meeting will be held at The Wishing Well in Selby on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November at 7.00 pm, everyone is welcome to attend.



### Pumpkin carving competition

The school will be hosting a pumpkin carving competition. The entry fee is £1, payable on ParentPay. The pumpkins must be brought into school on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October, there will be a prize per class.

### Nursery and Reception open mornings

If you have, or know of, a child who is due to start in Reception in September 2024 or would like to find out more about our Nursery provision, we are hosting two open mornings on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October from 9.30am



to 11.00am and Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December from 9.30am to 11.00am. Please contact the school office to book a timed slot.

### School lunches



Last week, we sent out the new dinner menus by email (paper copies available upon request), which will start the week we come back after the October half-term break, on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November. These 3-weekly menus will run right the way through until we break up for the Easter holidays. Could you please return all your meal choices by Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October to enable a smooth return after the holidays. You can return the actual menu or email the office with a list of meal choices. Menus are available to view on our website:

[School Meals | Chapel Haddlesey CE Primary School \(chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk\)](http://chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk)

### Children in Need

We would like to support Children in Need this year by asking children to wear spotty or colourful clothing on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November. There is no need to buy anything new to wear, but we would ask for monetary donations to be made on ParentPay, a payment link will be shared closer to the time and all the money will go directly to the charity.



### Remembrance service

On Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November we would like to invite families to join us in the Community Garden from 10.45 for a short remembrance service.

### Updated Policies



Several of our policies have recently been updated and uploaded to our school website. Please take the time to read them.

Follow this link for information on Online Safety Policy:

[Online Safety Policy Autumn 2023 | Chapel Haddlesey CE Primary School \(chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk\)](http://chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk)

Bring Your Own Device Policy (BYOD) [Bring Your Own Device \(BYOD\) Policy Autumn 2023 | Chapel Haddlesey CE Primary School \(chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk\)](http://chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk) – in particular the following paragraph regarding children and their devices:

*'Pupils should not bring their mobile phone or tablet to school. Should a child not be going home after school and needs their phone that evening, parents should hand over the phone to a member of staff on the school gate. The office will sign for the receipt of this and will keep the phone secure during the day. At the end of the day, the office will sign over the phone to the class teacher for them to return it to the pupil on the gate as they leave. This eliminates the risk of any online safety incidents in school when the phone is not connected to the school's Wi-Fi and is therefore not subject to the school's filtering system. The school is not responsible for the loss, of theft of, or damage to a pupil's mobile phone or tablet whilst we are looking after them'.*

Child On Child Abuse Policy: [Child on Child Abuse Policy Autumn 2023 | Chapel Haddlesey CE Primary School \(chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk\)](http://chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk) – this is an updated version with the latest terminology, replacing 'Peer On Peer' with 'Child On Child'.



### Selby Music Centre

Selby Music Centre is run by North Yorkshire Music Service and has some great opportunities for primary school aged musicians. We are based at Selby High School on **Saturday mornings** in term time and we are able to offer a **FREE** half term of taster



sessions, plus the loan of an instrument if needed. In particular, we are offering free lessons on WIND and BRASS instruments this half term! Don't miss this opportunity to learn a new skill!

9.30 – 10.45

**Strings** (violin, viola, cello, bass) and keyboards; **guitar and ukulele** group; NEW **woodwind** (clarinets, recorders, saxophone, flutes) and NEW **brass** (trumpet, cornet, trombone etc)

These groups are suitable for complete beginners, children who have been learning instruments in class at school and more able players up to approx. grade 2 standard.

11.05 – 12.20

Selby Youth Choir - open to all who enjoy singing age 6 upwards; senior strings (grade 2- 5); folk/rock group for guitars who can strum a few chords and more able players on acoustic or electric plus strings and wind players.

All the sessions are friendly and fun, and the children experience a range of music styles and develop their skills and confidence performing in a group.

Please contact [helen.moulds@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:helen.moulds@northyorks.gov.uk) for more information or to arrange to come along.

**Selby SEND Hub - SLCN Early Years parent drop in**



Please find information below, advertising an advice drop in morning which is being held on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October.

*Just to clarify, this is put on by the Selby SEND Hub SLCN team, not the NHS.*

**EARLY YEARS COMMUNICATION AND INTERACTION DROP-IN FOR PARENTS**

*Come and talk to us for advice and support around all aspects of your child's communication skills.*

**When?** Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2023

09:45am-12:00pm

**Where?** Sherburn Children & Families' Hub

(Finkle Hill, Sherburn in Elmet, LS25 6EA)

**Who will be there?**

Kate Leatherland:

Linda Dalglish:

Charlotte Tate:

*Speech Language & Communication Needs Specialist*

*Speech & Language Therapist*

*Speech & Language Therapy Assistant*

**To register your interest & be given a time slot, please contact:**

[Charlotte.Tate@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:Charlotte.Tate@northyorks.gov.uk)

Good attendance is linked to success in all aspects of life!

Whole school attendance target is: 97%

This fortnight whole school attendance was 92.38%

Class	Percentage
Class 1	91.84%





Class 2	95.40%
Class 3	89.78%

There were 61 children in the 100% club for this fortnight.

#### Community news

#### News From St Wilfrid's Church

Autumn Fair at St Wilfrid's Church, Brayton on Saturday, 11th November from 10.00am until 1.00pm.

Stalls will include a raffle, tombola, toiletries, nearly new children's things and a café.

Please pop along and pick up a bargain!

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Lindley

Deputy Headteacher



## Diary Dates

Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Celebration Worship 9.00am – Harvest Festival</li> <li>• Nursery and Reception open morning from 9.30</li> <li>• Non-uniform day – bring food for Foodbank</li> </ul>
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> October 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Class 3 Trip to Eden Camp</li> <li>• School closes for October half-term</li> </ul>
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> October 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Closing date for High School applications</li> </ul>
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> November 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School re-opens</li> </ul>
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> November 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remembrance service in Community Garden</li> </ul>
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> November 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children In Need</li> </ul>
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> November 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> </ul>
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> December 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Flu Vaccinations (more information to follow)</li> <li>• Nursery/Reception Open Morning 9.30-11.00</li> </ul>
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> December 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Christmas dinner and Christmas Jumper Day</li> </ul>
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> <li>• School closes for Christmas</li> </ul>
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> January 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Training day – School closed</li> </ul>
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> January 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School re-opens</li> </ul>
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Closing date for Primary School applications Reception 2024</li> </ul>
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> January 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Phototronics taking school photos (with siblings from 8.30am)</li> </ul> <p>Please note there is no Celebration Worship as the hall will be use.</p>
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> <li>• Non-uniform day – charity tbc</li> <li>• School closes for February half-term</li> </ul>
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School re-opens</li> </ul>
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> February 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Young Voices – Sheffield Arena</li> </ul>
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Robinwood Residential depart</li> </ul>
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Robinwood Residential return</li> </ul>
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> <li>• School closes for Easter</li> </ul>
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Training day – School closed</li> </ul>
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School re-opens</li> </ul>
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> </ul>



Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bank holiday – School closed</li> </ul>
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> May to Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> May 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>KS2 SATs</li> </ul>
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Non-uniform day – charity tbc</li> <li>Celebration Worship 9.00am</li> <li>School closes for May half-term</li> </ul>
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>School re-opens</li> </ul>
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Celebration Worship 2024</li> </ul>
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Celebration Worship 2024</li> <li>School closes for summer holiday</li> </ul>
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Training day – School closed</li> </ul>

