

Dear Parents/Carers,

Attendance Figures

<u>TARGET SET</u>	<u>W/e 19.1.18</u>	<u>This Year</u>
96.5%	96.6%	96.2%

It is brilliant to see that we are so close to our target already and hope to reach this in the coming months. Thank you for your support.

After School Club

It would be appreciated if parents could pre- book their children into after school club, as there is sometimes confusion when a pupil tells us they are in after school club and Mrs Howard has not been informed by parents. We often have spare places in the club, so it is usually fine to book in on the morning that you need. Please note that some theme nights get really busy, so booking ahead is advised.

Angie will be doing an after school make your own picnic tea on **Tuesday 30th January 3.15pm until 5pm**. If your child would like to attend please book them in and send in the cost of £5 per child, please note there is a maximum of 12 children allowed so it is on a first come first served basis.

Also may we politely ask for parents to call the school if they know they are going to be later than our usual collection time of **3.15pm** so that we are able to tell your child and avoid them worrying.

Pupil absence for school

If your child is not coming to school due to illness please ensure you contact the school **by 8.50am at the latest**. Our telephone costs have been rising every term from the additional calls we are making regarding attendance.

Travelling Book fair in school

The travelling book fair will be in school from Wednesday 21st February and will be here until Tuesday 27th February. Books will be available for pupils to buy each afternoon from 3.15pm and the school benefits from sales of any books. Last year we were able to purchase fiction books for our school library which benefitted all our pupils. **Please be advised a text reminder will be sent nearer the time and your child will bring home a leaflet.**

Fylingdales 100 club January results

1st (112) Rachel Foster £36, 2nd (103) Elaine Godbold, 3rd (70) Louise Hughes £9.00.

School Pond

We have a very overgrown school pond behind our pre-fab classroom and Rachel Faichney has put forward an offer to look into rejuvenating the area so that it can be useable again for the children. It will take some digging and cutting back as well as trying to put in a pathway for the children to use the area safely. If you are able to offer any support in any way, please get in touch with Rachel or through school. We would love to look into doing this to support the outdoor learning curriculum that we are developing.

Junior Netball Club – Please see the reverse of this newsletter for details.

Kind Regards

Mrs C Barber
Headteacher

P.T.O. for some dates for your diary

Dates for Diary

Wednesday 31st January – Team of 5 pupils at Rescheduled Key Step 3 gymnastics at Eskdale School 1pm-3pm (as per previous letters)

Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd February – Badger & Fox class pupils in overnight stay at Boggle Hole YHA

Wednesday 7th or Thursday 8th February – 5 year 1 pupils at Keysteps gymnastics at Eskdale School 1pm-3pm (letters will be sent out to relevant pupils)

Wednesday 7th February (pm) – A few of our pupils qualified for the next round of the annual inter-primary school cross country event and will be taking part in the next qualifying round at Lady Lumley's School Pickering.

Thursday 8th February – Year 2 & 3 swim session at Whitby pool 1.30pm until 2pm

Friday 9th February - School closes for half-term and re-opens to pupils on Monday 19th February

Wednesday 21st February – Travelling book fair in school up to Tuesday 27th February from 3.15pm each day (see info above)

Thursday 22nd February – Year 2 pupils swim session at Whitby pool 1.30pm until 2pm

Thursday 22nd February - Year 3 & 4 pupils to Caedmon College for hockey coaching 1pm – 3pm