

Longman's Hill Community Primary School Newsletter



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Whole School Trip

Mrs Gordon and I are busy planning a whole school trip to the Yorkshire Arboretum near Castle Howard. We will send out more detailed information nearer to the time. The trip is planned for Friday 1st July and initial costings suggest the trip will be £12.50 per child. This is the price of the coach (£6) and the cost of 2 activities during the day for each child (£6.50), which are led by specialist leaders at the Arboretum. We are informing you about this trip well in advance as we understand that since it is a whole school trip, some families have more than one child who will be participating. We hope that this advance notice will help you to budget. If you have more than one child in school, you can pay in instalments- please see the ladies in the office for more information. We are very excited about the prospect of every child in the school going on this trip - the school ran a similar, very successful, trip to the seaside a few years ago. During the day the children will participate in a range of outdoor activities. For more information about the Arboretum, you can look at their website : <http://yorkshirearboretum.org/> and look in the 'Schools' tab.

We hope that you agree this will be a fantastic experience for the children. If you have any queries, the staff in the office will answer any questions.

Late Arrivals

We have an increasing number of children, particularly in Miss Dowell's class, arriving late for school. The doors open at 8.50am and register is taken at 9am sharp. Lessons then start immediately and if children arrive late, they miss the start of sessions when vital information is given to them. This can either mean children miss whole chunks of learning or struggle to catch up with their classmates. Please ensure your child arrives on time so that they can have the very best start to their day. Thank you.

Cross Country

Well done to all of the children who participated in the Cross Country Running Competition at Tadcaster Grammar. Each and every child gave their very best effort and the staff and governors who accompanied them were so proud. Three of our children (Alfie Perry, Chris Pooley and Freya Clayton) have qualified for the finals at Dalby Forest in March. Well done!

Children's University

For those of you with children who have joined the Children's University this year, they have written a newsletter which we have already sent out to you. **The graduation ceremony this year will take place during the evening of 4th July at Selby College.** The CU are also running a competition, the details of which are on the newsletter, which will enable your child to gain more university stamps in their passports.