



Little Phoenix



The Newsletter of Yarm Pre-Prep

Year 2's message ...

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A very warm welcome from 2P. Mrs Speight has asked that we are guest editors whilst she is away at a conference. We have interviewed each year group to find out what has been going on. Some of the Year 2 children attended the chess tournament and the players were extraordinary. They were commended by Mr Marsh for playing so well and he is looking forward to seeing more Year 2 children participating at his next event. As part of their topic work on pirates, Year 1 were whisked away on a maritime adventure to the Royal Naval Museum in Hartlepool. The Reception children have written some amazing stories and we enjoyed hearing about their different adventures. On Wednesday, everybody in Pre-Prep looked as though they had dipped themselves into colourful water during our Holi celebrations. We had the most exciting day, running around the Pre-Prep garden with our friends as we were sprinkled with powder paint. We are very much looking forward to welcoming our Mums and Grandmothers to 'Bring Your Mums to School Day on Friday' and we have lots of lovely activities to share with them. We also have 'Stay and Play' sessions next week in Years 1 and 2 and we cannot wait to see you. We hope you have a wonderful, colourful weekend.

Warmest wishes, Karunya and Gowri on behalf of 2P



Playground Equipment

- Year 2 have enjoyed using their new playground equipment. They have had great fun throwing, catching, bouncing and playing.



Nursery

Before the arrival of the snow, Nursery have had a lovely time in the garden in the late Winter sunshine. We can't wait for Spring.



Team Games

The children in Reception love to be active. As part of their P.E. lesson they practised their ball skills with a variety of team games.



Ship Ahoy on the Year One Trip!

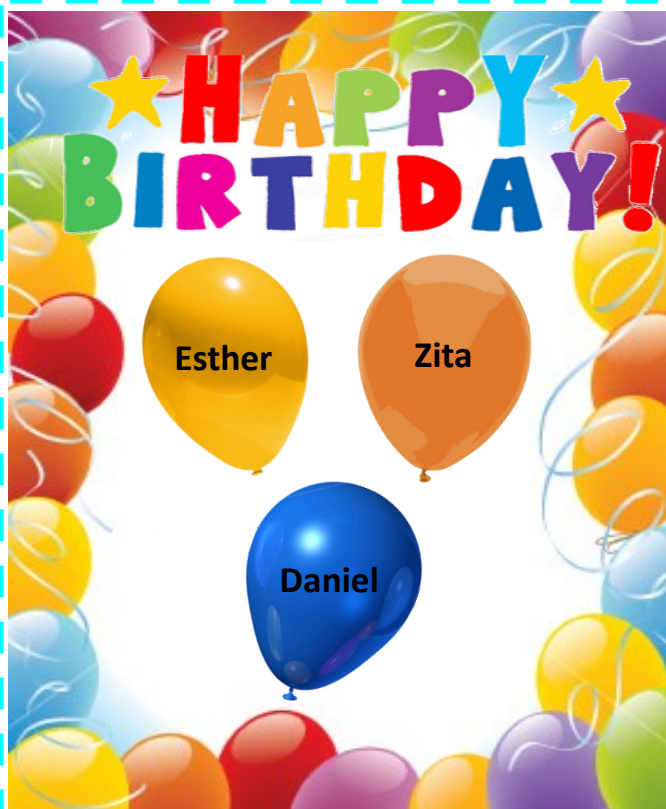
We had a hugely interesting and fun filled trip to the Royal Navy Museum in Hartlepool. The children loved travelling back in time and going aboard the HMS Trincomalee. The trip was complete with a visit to the 'Horrible Histories' Pirate exhibition and climbing the rigging in the park.



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YPSSC is looking for a new Treasurer

Would you like to be part of a dynamic and fun team?

Would you like to be involved in organising school events for children and parents?

Do you like counting money?

If you are interested in finding out more, we'd love to hear from you, please email ypssc@hotmail.com

Thank you to Ian Peaceful, who is retiring from the role at the end of this financial year, for giving his all as our Treasurer for the past 12 months.



Easter Holiday School

Bookings are now open for the upcoming Easter Holiday School which will run from Monday 3rd April to Thursday 6th April. Our Holiday School is for Nursery, Pre-Prep and Prep School children only.

Due to the increase in entry fees and other costs involved with Holiday School, the price per child per day will be £40.

Please note, payment will only be accepted once places have been confirmed by Mr Simpson via email and will be taken via BACS or via childcare vouchers if you are eligible.

Once places have been confirmed, parents have 72 hours to amend or cancel any bookings, after this payment will be expected in full within 7 days. If payment is not received after 7 days any confirmed places will be reallocated.

The timings for the days will remain as usual from 8am to 5pm. Please find below a timetable of the trips.

Places on all days are limited and the deadline for applications is 3pm on Friday 17th March. Please only book for the days that you require. The booking link is below:

<https://forms.gle/fQ7ZbQQnbFBaKnKi9>

Easter	Monday 3rd April	Tues 4th April	Weds 5th April	Thurs 6th April
Nursery/Pre Prep	Newham Grange Farm	Lucky's Playbarn	Kirkleatham Hall/Owl Centre	Beach
Prep	Foundation of Light Multi Sports	Fountains Abbey	MFC Foundation and Tour of Riverside	Beach



West End Magic—Friday 26th May, 7.30pm

London's longest-running theatre magic show, direct from the Leicester Square Theatre, presents some of the most exciting names in magic & variety in the UK.

An exciting, family-friendly show offering an amazing mixture of magic, comedy and variety acts, featuring British Champion of Magic Oliver Tabor, magical compere Wayne Trice plus special guest acts. Since 2013, the regular London based show runs throughout the year featuring incredible award-winning magic, mind reading mysteries, hilarious comedy and can include ventriloquism, juggling and crazy stunts.

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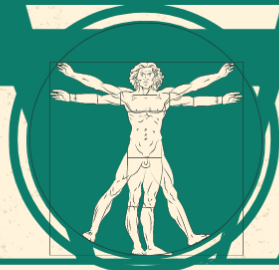


One Night in Dublin—Thursday 13th April, 7.30pm

ONE NIGHT IN DUBLIN is coming to Yarm when The Wild Murphy's will set up Murphy's Pub here at The Princess Alexandra Auditorium, guaranteeing one glorious night of high-energy Irish Music and more than a little bit of Irish Craic.

In their own inimitable style, multi-award-winning Irish tribute band The Wild Murphy's perform classics tracks including: Galway Girl, Tell Me Ma, Dirty Old Town, The Irish Rover, Brown Eyed Girl, Seven Drunken Nights, Sally MacLennane, When You Were Sweet Sixteen, Whiskey in the Jar, Wild Rover and Molly Malone, guaranteed to have the audience's hands clapping and toes tapping all night long.

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