

NORTHSTEAD NEWS

Issue 2

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Headteacher's Message



Dear Parents, Carers and Northstead Community,

As we reach the end of another busy half term, I wanted to take a moment to reflect on what has been an exceptional half term here at Northstead Community Primary School. It has been wonderful to see the strength of our community shine through in all that we do, providing so many fantastic opportunities for our children to grow, learn and excel.

Our boys' football team brought home the Scarborough Schools Football Trophy, a well deserved recognition of their hard work, teamwork, and determination. We're all incredibly proud of them! Events like our educational visits to Danby, Peat Rigg, York and our own local church have enriched their learning beyond the classroom. These experiences not only reinforce our commitment to educational excellence but also help our students develop a deeper understanding of the world around them.

Throughout the term, we've also encouraged our pupils to take on more responsibility, whether it's by showing leadership on the football field, exploring nature on residential trips, or taking part in community activities. It's been a joy to see them rise to these challenges with enthusiasm and maturity.

None of this would be possible without the tireless support of our staff, parents, carers and wider community. Your dedication to your children's education and well-being is something we truly value, and we are grateful for everything you do to support our school. As we head into the half-term break, I'd like to wish you all a restful and enjoyable time with your amazing children.

We look forward to welcoming everyone back refreshed and ready for the exciting opportunities ahead from Monday 4th November.

Warm Regards,

Mr Hopper





A huge well done to our new starters on a fantastic start to their Northstead journeys!



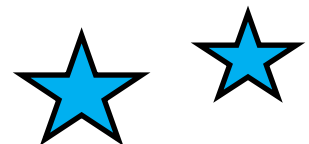
Class 1



Class 2



Class 3





Serving schools to help pupils consider, value and respect their own and other's beliefs, and to explore a living, Christian faith.



Some lovely photos of Class 10's Faith In Scarborough Schools workshop, on the importance of Prayer for Christians, which fitted into our Year 3 RE learning about 'What is it like for someone to follow God'.

The Royal British Legion—Poppy Appeal



Poppies will be available to buy after half term. Please send a donation in with your child if you wish to support this charity.

Many Thanks



A huge thank you for all the harvest donations. These were very gratefully received by The Rainbow Centre.

Terrific Treats Competition

Thank you to everyone who got involved in the Terrific Treats competition, your generosity and creativity was outstanding. Congratulations to all of our winners, who received their prizes in celebration assembly. It was extremely difficult to vote and we are proud of all efforts from our community, coming together for this event.

The winners as voted anonymously from classes across school were:

1st Daisy L—Class 16

2nd Erin K—Class 17

3rd Frankie M—Class 3

Runners Up:

Logan C—Class 10

Logan G—Class 9

Ellie D—Class 14



The event raised £598.80 which will support exciting experiences for our children.

Thank you again!

Humble Bee Farm's

PUMPKIN PATCH & HALLOWEEN TRAIL

COME FOR THE DAY OR COME AND STAY

PUMPKIN PATCH  **SPOOKY TRAIL**  **MEET THE FARMYARD GANG** 

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!
WEEKENDS & SELECTED WEDNESDAYS IN OCTOBER
& DAILY IN OCTOBER HALF TERM

BRAND NEW - TWILIGHT SESSIONS ON SELECT WEDNESDAYS FOR 2024

BOOK TICKETS ONLINE  www.humblebeefarm.co.uk 01723 890437 info@humblebeefarm.co.uk

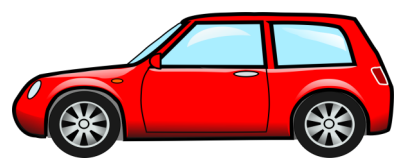


Please, please please park considerately

If you are parking on Maple Drive please do not park across residents' driveways, on the double yellow or hazard lines, or near to the car park exit where our children and families may be crossing the road. Also please do not park at the scout hut on the end of Maple Drive.

Please be respectful of our neighbours and help to keep everyone safe.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.



Find out if you are eligible to receive free school meals and apply in a matter of minutes by scanning here:

www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals





WOW! What an amazing day we had in school on Monday. All children in school were given the opportunity to take part in a workshop with the visitors, which was based around self esteem and delivered the key message of be yourself - be awesome because you are awesome! Singing, dancing, rocking, jumping, air-guitaring, doing the chicken dance. The children and staff had a memorable experience and one which we will remember for a long time. Thanks to all of our parents and carers who were able to make a donation for this special day.





Northstead *Seek to Learn* Community Primary School



Is your child due to start Primary School in September 2025?

Applications are open from

12th October 2024 until 15th January 2025.

Come and take a look at **Northstead School Early Years**

Our Open Day visits are taking place:

Wednesday 23rd October 2024 9:15am-10am or 10:30am-11:15am

Tuesday 19th November 2024 9:30am-10:15am or 1:30pm-2:15pm

Monday 13th January 2025 9:15am-10am or 1:30pm-2:15pm

Please contact the school to book a place

Tel: 01723 362249

Email: admin@northstead.n-yorks.sch.uk



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Children due to start Primary School in September 2025

Parents can apply for a primary school place from 12th October 2024 and the deadline to apply is **15th January 2025**.

National offer day is 16th April 2025

Please apply online

www.northyorks.gov.uk/admissions

Year 6 Pupils transferring to Secondary School in September 2025

Parents can apply for a secondary school place from 12th September 2024 and the deadline to apply is **31st October 2024**.

National offer day is 3rd March 2025

Please apply online

www.northyorks.gov.uk/admissions

Contact Details

Please could you make sure that school are kept up to date with any changes in address / phone number / e-mail so we have your current details on our system.

Many Thanks





FREE CHILDREN'S LUNCHES



Available to collect
during school holidays
between 11-1pm

As nights are a lot darker at 4pm, we kindly ask that all children attending an after school club run by school, including those in Years 5 and 6, must be picked up by an adult after half term.

Children will NOT be allowed to walk home alone from Monday 4th November if attending a club

Thank you for your support. Mr Hopper

Policies & Privacy Notices

Please follow the link for the latest versions of the following policies:

Nurture Policy

Uniform Policy

General Privacy Notice

Pupils, Parents & Guardians Privacy Notice

Child Protection Policy

Governors' Allowance Policy

Mobile Phone Policy

Suspension & Exclusion Policy

Pupil Attendance & Punctuality Policy

Charging & Remissions Policy

Data Protection Policy

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- SPORTS NEWS -

Northstead Community Primary School Claims Victory at the Annual Scarborough Schools 7-a-side tournament.

On a rainy Saturday morning, Northstead Community Primary School triumphed in a thrilling final to win the prestigious Brian Robinson Trophy, edging out a competitive St Peters team in a hard-fought match.

The event, held at George Pindar School, brought together schools from across the town, with students braving the wet weather to compete with passion and determination. The tournament saw participation from numerous local primary schools, showcasing exceptional sportsmanship and teamwork despite the challenging conditions.

The final against St Peters was particularly exciting, with both sides putting in strong performances, but Northstead secured a 1-0 win in the final seconds of the game.

We would like to extend our congratulations to all the teams that took part in this year's Brian Robinson Trophy and thank the organisers, volunteers and spectators who helped make the day a success.

Northstead will now go forward to represent the area in the North Yorkshire finals in Richmond and represent Scarborough Athletic in the schools national programme.



Upcoming dates for your diary

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| Wednesday 13th November | SEND Review Evening |
| Friday 15th November | Children in Need |
| Thursday 21st November | School Photo Day |
| Monday 2nd December | Y3/4 Christmas Music Showcase |
| Tuesday 3rd December | Y5/6 Christmas Story at Northstead Methodist Church |
| Thursday 5th December | Y6 at Stephen Joseph Theatre |
| Monday 9th December | KS1 Christmas Performance |
| Tuesday 10th December | EYFS Christmas Performance |
| Wednesday 11th December | KS1 Christmas Performance |
| Thursday 12th December | FONS Christmas Fayre |
| Friday 13th December | Christmas Dinner Day |
| Monday 16th December | Y1/2 Christmas Party |
| Tuesday 17th December | EYFS Christmas Party |
| Wednesday 18th December | Y3/4 Christmas Party |
| Thursday 19th December | Y5/6 Christmas Party |
| Friday 20th December | Christmas Celebration and Christmas Jumper Day (No donation) |

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Have a lovely half term with your families.
School re-opens on Monday 4th November.

