THORNHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL





WHOLE SCHOOL MESSAGE

We have had a fantastic week. On Tuesday some of our pupils represented Thornhill Primary School in a cross-country competition at St Bees, we were very impressed and proud with how the children conducted themselves. They were committed and put 100% effort in to it, the weather wasn't brilliant but that didn't deter them.

Also, on Tuesday some of our children had the opportunity to watch and also participate in a Morris Dancing session, this was great fun. Morris dancing is a form of English folk dance and it is a lively traditional English dance, it is usually performed outside but we had our session in the school hall. The children loved seeing the dancers wearing their distinctive costume with the small bells attached, and they were able to hold handkerchiefs or sticks. This was a follow on to our Bolly Wood session last week. As a school we think it is important to provide our children with a wide array of experiences

Friends of Thornhill held their Bingo event on Tuesday, it was a great event. Thank you for supporting this. This half term we have raised money for Team Evie and Red Nose Day and we are incredibly grateful for all the donations and support for these charities.

We had a wonderful trip to Edinburgh, the performance of Charlie and the Chocolate Factory was fantastic. It was a memorable day out and we will be humming and singing the song from the performance for weeks to come.

Today we have supported the Great British Spring Clean, a fabulous initiative from Keep Britain Tidy which runs from 17 March - 2 April 2023. This great project is in its 8th year, and we joined in today. Pupils proudly did their bit by collecting litter and tidying our local area.

It has been a wonderful term, I can't believe we are approaching the summer term already, time flies when you are having fun.

Have a lovely Easter

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Sophie McCabe Executive Headteacher

ATTENDANCE

Whole School 95% Reception – 99% Year 1 & 2 – 95% Year 3 & 4 – 92% Year 5 & 6 – 93%



2/4/23 Autism Awareness Day

17/4/23 Start Summer Term

26/4/2023 Yrs 5/6 Indian Cookery with John Crouch

> 1/5/23 Early May Bank Holiday

26/5/23 KS2 Crime Scene Investigation Session

> 29/5/23 Half Term

4th—8th July Forest School Visits



"Nothing you wear is more important than your smile."



MONDAY

Margaretta Pizza with Wedges

Jacket Potato with choice of filling

> Mixed Salad Coleslaw

Syrup Snap Biscuit Yoghurt & Fresh fruit Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread

TUESDAY

Vegetable Lasagne

Vegetables of the Day

Raspberry Bun Fruit or Yoghurt

WEDNESDAY

Sausage Mashed Potatoes & Gravy

Veggie Sausage with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy

Vegetables of the Day

Jelly Fruit & Yoghurt Home made Burger, with Potatoes

Tomato Pasta Bake

Vegetables of the Day

Iced Vanilla Sponge Yoghurt & Fresh fruit



Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce

Cheese Pasty with Chips & Tomato Sauce

> Peas Baked Beans

Oaty Cookie Yoghurt & Fresh fruit

Available Daily:

- Freshly cooked jacket potatoes and home made Sandwiches with a choice of fillings - Fresh Bread daily- Daily salad selection



SUMMER MENU Monday 17th April 23

SPRING/SUMMER MENU		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK ONE	Option one	Margaretta Pizza with Wedges 👔	Beef Lasagne with 📢 Garlic Bread	Sausage Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Home made Burger, with Potatoes	Fishfingers with Chips & Tornato Sauce
17 April 8 May	Option two	Jacket Potato with choice of filing	Vegetable Lasagne	Veggie Sausage with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Tomato Pasta Bake	Cheese Pasty with Chips & Tomato Sauce
5 June 26 June 17 July	Vegetables	Mixed Salad Coledaw	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Peas Baked Beans
	Dessert	Syrup Snap Biscuit 🛷 Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Raspberry Bun Fruit or Yoghurt	Jely Fruit & Yoghurt 🕈	Iced Vanila Sponge Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Oaty Cookie 🕄 🛷 Yoghurt & Fresh fruit
WEEK TWO		Meatballs with	Park Sausage Hot Dog	Roast Turkey with Roast	Pizza Swirl with Potatoes	Fishfingers with Chips &
	Option one	Mash & Gravy	with Potato Wedges	Potatoes & Gravy 🛟		Tomato Sauce
24 April 15 May	Option two	Mac and Cheese	Vegan Sausage Hot Dog with Potato Wedges 🍠	Quarn Fillet with Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Vegetable Quiche with Potatoes	Cheese Pie with Chips & Tomato Sauce
12 June 3 July	Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Peas Baked Beans
	Dessert	Summer Lemon Cake Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Ginger Biscuit Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	ice Cream Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Peach Crumble with cream	Vanilla Shortbread 🥒 Yoghurt & Fresh fruit
WEEK THREE	Option one	Sausage Rol with Wedges	Spaghetti Bolognaise 🚯	Roast Gamman, Roast Potatoes, & Gravy	Chicken Fajta with Rice	Sausage with Chips & Tomato Sauce
1 May 22 May	Option two	Jacket Potato with choice of filing	Vegan Spaghetti 🛷 Bolognaise	Vegan Quorn with , Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Vegetable Fajta with Rice	Cheese Omelette with Chips & Tomato Sauce
19 June 10 July	Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Fresh Salad Rainbow Slaw	Peas Baked Beans
	Dessert	Peaches with Ice cream Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Comflake Tart Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Chocolate Cookie Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Flapjack / Yoghurt & Fresh fruit	Sponge & Custard Yoghurt & Fresh fruit
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Come and enjoy some storytelling, history sessions, and a story walk with Tale Trails and The Outdoor Partnership on this **Free Family Event**

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Copeland

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THE CHILDREN HAD THE MOST WONDERFUL TIME IN EDINBURGH ON THURSDAY.

EVERYONE AGREED THAT THE SHOW WAS BRILLIANT FUN AND ALTHOUGH THEY DID NOT FIND THE GOLDEN TICKET WAS WELL WORTH THE JOURNEY.

A BIG THANK YOU TO THE

'FRIENDS OF THORNHILL' FOR THEIR KIND DONATION TOWARDS THE COST OF THE TRIP.



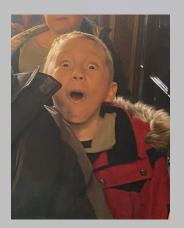




















EYFS & KS1 really enjoyed their Morris dancing session this week. The children learned several traditional dances and how to use Morris dancing sticks, wrist bells and bobbins.























Last Friday our Year 3 & 4 footballers had a very enjoyable tournament against several schools.

All pupils worked hard and the matches were very close, making it fantastic, if not a bit stressful, to watch!

We lost 1 game, drew 1 and won 2 games.

Zina was our top goal scorer but the whole team played their part showing great skills and team spirit.

Well Done

Georgie, Ugoeze, Carson, Lewis, Parker, James, Zina & Elliot





KS2 X COUNTRY

Two pupils from each year group in KS2 attended a X-Country event at St Bees School on Tuesday. They all dug deep and tried really hard. The years 3/4 completed a 1.1 mile circuit, while years 5/6 conquered a grueling 2 mile course, including a brutal hill climb! James had an amazing day coming 3rd overall for year 3 boys. With over 80 participants attending, this was a fabulous achievement. Congratulations to all of our runners.











Year 5 & 6 children planted up grow bags with seed potatoes and over the coming weeks they will learn all about how to look after them as they grow. By the time they are ready to harvest they will be able to understand exactly what process all potatoes have been through before they end up on the plate.

Happy potato growing!













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Easter Messy Crafts & food

The Meeting Place Egremont

On Thursday 6th April there is an Easter themed Messy crafts session in Egremont 4 – 6 pm. Lots of fun crafts and activities and food at teatime for all those attending, including chocolate cake.

Entry is free and there is no need to book. All children must be accompanied by an adult.



Family Fun Day Tiny Treasures

5 and 6 April 11am to 4pm £2 per child, adults Free

Hands-on crystals

Play with clay

Easter trails with prizes

Matchbox treasure hunt

Microscopic miniatures Origami crafts

Scavenger hunt in the wildlife garden

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