Scarning VC Primary

21st October 2022



We hope you have a great week off and look forward to seeing you all back at school on Monday 31st of October.

Please see the website for forms, newsletters and more information on the school.
www.scarningprimary.co.uk

Important Dates

- **Monday 31st October**
  First day of term
- **Tuesday 1st November**
  EYFS Phonics workshop 1.30-3pm
- **Wed 2nd November**
  Whole school Flu immunisation
- **Thursday 10th November**
  Individual school photos

Monday 14th November
Parent's Evening (virtual all week)

- **Friday 18th November**
  Children in Need
  Yr4 Reading Café 9-10am

Please click the link below for more information on local events.
https://www.scarningprimary.co.uk/local-events/

Friday 14th October
Star of the Week winners

Every week we have a Star of the Week Assembly where we celebrate the children's achievements for that week, below are last week's winners:

1ET: Oliver, Posy	**1B: Jenson, Charlie**
2S: Ella B, Isaac	**2HS: Lily, Joe, Joanna**
3C: Sophia, Remi - Mai	**3AC: Hugo, Benedict**
4B: Carmen, Oliver, Millie, Luna	**4W: Jack S, Mark**
5K: Evie, Kayelynn, Sophie, Freddy E	**5R: Joseph, Jamie**
6F: Oscar, Lewis	**6B: James, Sophie**



Fundraisers Christmas Cards

Your child has brought home this week a card with their design on and information on how to order. Please be aware that these can **only** be ordered and paid for **online.**

The deadline to order is the 25th of October.

Attendance

This week the whole school attendance is 95.17%

Our school attendance target is 96%, so as you can see we have missed our target.
Well done to 4B for achieving 98.57%. They will look after the attendance teddy this week.

This Weeks Class Attendance

Year 4B	98.57%
Year 1B	98.08%
Snowy Owls	97.86%
Year 4W	97.14%
Year 2HS	96.54%
Year 6B	96.13%
Year 3C	95.83%
Year 5K	95.03%
Year 3AC	94.55%
Year 1ET	94.40%
Tawny Owls	94.07%
Year 5R	93.64%
Year 6F	91.88%
Year 2S	89.34%

Please remember to always keep us updated with any change of contact details to ensure you always receive communication from us by text/email. You can do this yourself by going to the Pupil Asset Website.

For any school uniform orders you can order on-line at https://www.birdsofdereham.com/shop/category/schools-scarning-vc-primary-school-76/ **(Click & Collect available) or visit the store at Unit D 13 Yaxham Road Dereham**

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You can check our key policies online at www.scarningprimary.co.uk these include our anti bullying policy, our complaints procedure and information regarding whistleblowing. Other policies are also available.

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We would like to give a warm welcome to Miss Finnegan who will be joining the office team as a receptionist after half term.

We would also like to take the opportunity to wish Mrs Alston who is leaving the office team all the best in her new job.

Changes to teaching staff after half term

We say goodbye to Mr Ray who is retiring at half term and welcome Mrs Tullock into 5R (to be renamed 5T). Mrs Tullock will move from 1ET where she has been teaching part time.

Mr Ray joined us 4 years ago, having previously been a deputy-head of a large London Primary. Over the years he has taught many Scarning children and will be fondly remembered for his good humour and empathy. He has also been the keeper of the staff's *'how much of the year has gone?'* clock. So, in honour of Mr Ray, I can report that we have completed **18%** of the school year. All the very best for your retirement Michael!

Important

Please can we ask parents and carers waiting to drop off/collect to not let children climb on the wall outside the preschool building. This area is now very muddy and would be dangerous if a child were to fall.

We are looking to recruit a Parent Governor at Scarning.
Please see a message below from our new Chair of Governors Chris Price.

We have a thriving and successful primary school in Scarning. The teaching , non teaching and support staff all contribute to a vibrant learning environment, where children flourish. In parental surveys there is overwhelming support for the school and its very obvious parents support the school BUT we need your support in the Governing Body as well.
The school is allowed two parent governors and there is a vacancy because the children of one of the parent governors have left the school and their term of office is up.
WHAT does this entail?
2 Meetings per term at school between 6 - 8pm.
Participation in 1 committee per term usually 4 - 5.30pm.
PLUS a real interest in the School.
We are a "stand alone" primary and not part of a Trust so your contribution would be significant in terms of finance/staffing/premises.
If you are interested please contact Nick King Headteacher in the first instance by the 4th of November.



Yr6 will be selling items on behalf of the Royal British Legion at lunchtime for the week after half term. Items available are slap bands, wristbands, zip pulls and key rings as well as the traditional poppies. **There are no set prices this year just a donation required.**