



The Thornton Times



Summer Term 1

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Friday 14th May 2019

Hello everyone!



This has been such a wet start to the term I can hardly believe it is June. Disappointingly, we have had to cancel lots of sports days and outdoor activities, such as our Eid Mela, because of the continual wet weather. Hopefully we will be able to do them if it would only stop raining for a day or two!

This week we have had lots of problem with parking, particularly on Thornton Road. What with the garage and other traffic that uses this road frequently it has almost been impossible for cars to pass safely. This car blocked the road for quite a while because they parked on the zig-zags. If you have to come in the car then please take the time to park a little further away—we all want to stay dry but it is just selfish to block the whole road for your own convenience. We will be reporting vehicles to the police and there will be spot checks again soon so please change your parking habits now to avoid a ticket!



Have a great weekend everyone.

Sue Simmons, Headteacher.

Important Notice - Eid Mela Postponed

Due to the bad weather, Today's Eid Mela Celebration had to be postponed. We are hoping that we can hold it on Friday 21st June, again depending on the weather. We are sorry for the inconvenience that this has caused. Please keep an eye out for letters next week with more information on dates.

In the mean time, if you are interested in booking a stall for £20 please leave your name and contact details at the main reception and someone will get back to you. Please do so as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.



The Thornton Gardening Club had an amazing time at Garderners world live. Our competition entry looked great and all the children were wonderfully behaved and had lots of fun. A big thank you to the Ward End Gardening Association for helping the gardening club plant out their vegetables and for accompanying us at Garderners World live .



Star Pupils!

Year 2

Rayhan Q

Year 3

Fatima F
Zakariyah M
Yusuf T
Abbas H
Umar N

Year 4

Chloe C
Asad R
Insah H
Myrah E
Anam K

Year 5

Amina S
Aiza Al K
Lameesa S
Anaya N
Zain Ul-A

Year 6

Riko S
Muhammad T
Zaynab U
Kashif M
Mustafa S

Star pupil assembly:
Wednesday 19th 9:00am

Important dates for your diary...

WE project Trainer day- 28th June
Kingswood Year 6 - Monday 17th-19th

Book Fair- Wednesday 26th-28th-
June. 3:30-4pm.

Attendance Celebration Assembly-
Thursday 18th July

End of Summer Term-Friday 19th
July

Family Fun Day
Saturday 29th June 2019
11am - 3pm
FREE
Petting Farm | Mendhi | Party Play Bus | Clown
Face Painting | Arts & Crafts | Heritage Workshop
St Margaret's Church
St Margaret's Road
Ward End
B8 2BA
07455 242 156
Unity Hubb | REAM | WARD END ELM CHURCH | CAROLAN

Attendance

Magic 20 schemes for both low punctuality and attendance will be starting from 17th June -12th July. Letters will be going out to those children who have been selected to be a part of the scheme. Great rewards will be awarded to those children who attend school for the next 20 consecutive days. Dont forget to be on time and attend school everyday!

100% Attendance Twin lakes Trip

Look out for letters that will go out in July to those children who have achieved 100% attendance.

EVERYday
counts
attendance matters



INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL AWARD

We have achieved the Foundation level of the British Council's International School Award. Thornton have been working alongside an overseas French speaking, partner school in Belgium. Congratulations to Mrs Harmer and the children for all their hard work to achieve this award.

We are now working towards bronze!

Headteacher: Mrs Sue Simmons

Deputy Headteacher: Mrs Cathy Grace

Assistant Headteachers: Mr Couldrey, Mrs Easthope and Miss Loach

Chair of Governors: Mr Amjid Ali

Vice Chair: Mr Tharack Ahmed

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