

New York Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back!

A very warm welcome back to all our children, families, staff, governors and partners within the Horncastle Education Trust. 2020 has been a very interesting year so far, we hope that you are all ready for an exciting year ahead at New York. A special welcome to our Reception pupils and other families who have joined us this September. The children have already impressed all of us with their confidence, curiosity, tenacity and wonderful manners. Well done everyone, what a brilliant week!

Staff have been working very hard to prepare New York for your return and as you'll see there have been some changes, the school has been re-wired and where necessary, decorated. We began our Presentation Assemblies today and you can see all the achievers to the right of this newsletter. As soon as we have received all the pupil update forms we can begin to organise the virtual presentation assemblies to invite parents.

It is with great sadness that I have to inform you that Mrs Sally Gilding has retired from Frithville Primary School due to ill health. As you may be aware, Mrs Gilding has been poorly this last year and has made the very difficult decision to take early retirement.

Many of the children at New York will know Mrs Gilding from our residential visits, school trips, sporting events and swimming. She will be sorely missed by all of us.

Thank you, Mrs Gilding....

Important notes:

- Can all pupil update forms be returned to school by Friday 18th September, please. The contact details and medical information, particularly allergies (hand sanitiser for example) are a priority.
- The closing date for receipt of secondary school applications is **12 noon on the 31 October 2020**. LCC will accept applications until 12 noon on 14 December 2020, but they cannot process any new applications or changes of applications after that deadline. If an application is received after this time it will be processed after national offer day.
- Governance Clerk Vacancy - <https://www.horncastleeducationtrust.org/vacancies/>
- The term dates and training days for this Academic Year can be found on the reverse of this newsletter.

Headteacher's Award

Olivia Leggett	Independent writing
Sunny Birks	Maths
Harley Hulley	Working co-operatively
Freyja Newman	Working co-operatively
Jaxx Sidwells	Super concentration

House Point Winners:

The Blue Sapphires!

Stars of the Week:

Class 1: Harley Hulley

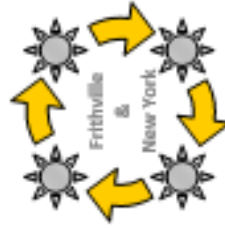
Class 2: Harley Denham

Shining Stars:

Alfie Sidwells	Concentration
Alista Mastin	Being helpful
Olivia Leggett	Settling well into Class 2
Mason Denham	Settling well into Class 2
Jayden Hulley	Settling well into Class 2
Kaiden Sanders	Settling well into Class 2
Bradley Barnes	Settling well into Class 1
Angel Potts	Settling well into Class 1
Kaiden Toulson	Trying hard with his work

Dates for your diary:

Year 6 11+ Verbal Reasoning	Friday 18 th Sept 2020
Year 6 11+ Non-verbal Reasoning	Friday 25 th Sept 2020
End of Term 1	Thursday 22 nd Oct 2020
Start of Term 2	Monday 2 nd Nov 2020
End of Term 2	Thursday 17 th Dec 2020
Start of Term 3	Monday 4 th Jan 2021
End of Term 3	Friday 12 th Feb 2021
Start of Term 4	Monday 22 nd Feb 2021
End of Term 4	Wednesday 31 st Mar 2021
Start of Term 5	Monday 19 th April 2021
May Bank Holiday Friday	Monday 4 th May 2021
End of Term 5	Friday 28 th May 2021
Start of Term 5	Monday 7 th June 2021
End of Term 5	Wednesday 21 st July 2021



Frithville and New York

(Horncastle Education Trust)



SCHOOL TERMS & HOLIDAYS 2020/2021

Tuesday

1st September 2020
Training Day – Frithville

Wednesday

2nd September 2020
Training Day – Own Schools
Mental Health Training – QEGS 1.30pm
3rd September 2020

Term 1 **(8 weeks)**

Thursday

To

Thursday

Friday

22nd October 2020

23rd October 2020

Training Day – Appraisal/Trust

Monday

To

Thursday

Term 2 **(7 weeks)**

Bank Holidays:-

Friday 25th & Monday 28th December 2020, Friday 1st January 2021

Monday

To

Friday

Term 3 **(6 weeks)**

4th January 2021

12th February 2021

Monday

To

Wednesday

Term 4 **(5.4 weeks)**

Thursday

31st March 2021

1st April 2021
Training Day

Bank Holidays:-

Friday 2nd April & Monday 4th April 2021

Monday

To

Friday

Term 5 **(6 weeks)**

19th April 2021

28th May 2021

Bank Holidays:-

Monday 4th & Monday 31st May 2020

Monday

To

Wednesday

Term 6 **(6.3 weeks)**

7th June 2021

21st July 2021

22nd July 2021
Training Day