

Yohden Primary School



13th October 2023

Believe, Aspire, Learn, Achieve

Dear Parents and Carers,

We reach the end of another busy week in school for both children and staff. We celebrate some more great sporting success from our children and the collaborative work of the staff.

Don't forget next week is Parent's Evening. If you haven't already booked your appointment for Tuesday please contact the school office.

Hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Many thanks

Mrs Harrison

Congratulations

A huge well done to two of our sporting teams this week. Firstly our football team. After qualifying for the Eden cup the team came in 3rd. Well done boys some fantastic football played.

Our girls netball team were in a tournament yesterday. After displaying some great play the girls came in 4th. Well done girls!



Opal Playtime



Congratulations to our golden wellie winner, Pipelo. He was nominated for making an amazing game.

Don't forget to send a pair of wellies into school, as we will be accessing the outdoor space, including the field, throughout the winter.



Staff Updates

Not only are the children working hard at school, the staff have been continuing to attend training and sharing great practice.

- Mr Hawksworth has been sharing our good work in Maths with teachers from other schools in County Durham at a recent Maths network.
- Mrs Lowery met with Wendy Boyes from the Local Authority to look at our SEND provision, which resulted in our school being told they had good provision for SEND learners.
- Mrs Mitchell has been asked to take on an advisory role with the local authority to help other schools with their RE and Geography curriculums.

Its great to hear about not only our achievements, but also the way we are sharing our good work with others!

Attendance

This week's attendance for each class.

Reception— 85.9%

Year 1 - 91.7%

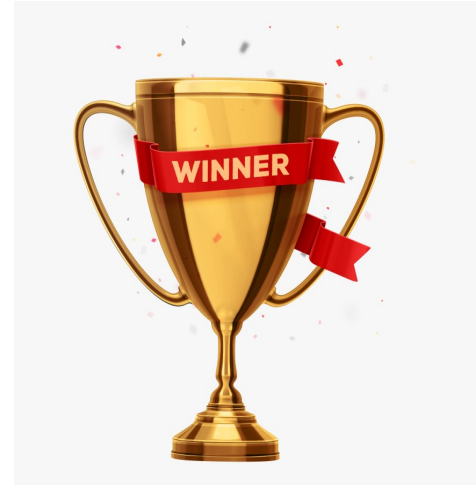
Year 2 - 97.2%

Year 3 - 97.8%

Year 4 - 90.8%

Year 5 - 92.8%

Year 6 - 95.4%



Well done to Year 3 on having the best attendance this week.

Headteacher Awards

Congratulations to this week's headteacher award winners.

Reception— Callan

Year 1— Joshua

Year 2- Toby and Caleb

Year 3— Kai, Chase and Mr Suddick

Year 4— Logan and Thomas M

Year 5— Austin

Year 6— Mason



Reading Challenge

Our reading challenge has started and today we celebrate those children who have made it to the following milestones

For 10 reads:

Reception— Leo, Teddy, Olivia, Kia

Year 1— Blaine, Georgia, Libby

Year 2— Che, Anthony, Kobe, Jordan, Lexi

Year 3—Lewis, Kai and Ivy

Year 4— Bradley, Luka

Year 5— Halle and Austin

Year 6—Elliott, Ethan, Jayden, Jessica, Mille, Syeda, Pipelo

For 20 reads:

Year 1— Reese, Poppy, Amelia

Year 2—Joshua, Jessica, Mia

Year 3 = Kai and Annalise

Year 4— Luka, Freddie, Harley, Ariyah

Year 5— Faith, Kian, Kasey, Mikayla

For 30 reads:

Year 4—Lejay and Thomas M

Year 5—Ella and Ava



Happy reading!

Upcoming Dates

Tuesday 17th October 2023 Parent's Evening

Wednesday 25th October 2023 Harvest Festival, St Mary's Church

Friday 27th October 2023 Year 3, 4, 5 Trip to Hindu temple and Hancock Museum

Friday 27th October 2023 Privilege Day

Monday 30th October—Friday 3rd November Autumn Half Term

Tuesday 7th November 2023 Tag Rugby Competition Years 5/6

Wednesday 8th November 2023 Year 2 and 6 Trip to Durham Cathedral and Y6 to the Mosque

Friday 17th November 2023 Children in Need

Wednesday 13th December 2023 Christmas Carol Service, St Mary's Church

Tuesday 19th December 2023 Festive Fun Run

Tuesday 19th December 2023 Break up for Christmas

Further dates to follow.