



# STEETON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2021**

## **Dear Parents and Carers**

Thank you to everyone who has completed the Coronavirus Parental Survey. As I said last week, the information received will be used in future planning. I am extending the deadline for completion to Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May as more forms completed enhances the quality of feedback. I will collate the information next week and once done feedback to you on the findings and actions.

## **Reading For Pleasure**

Please keep checking out our Twitter Feed, which has examples of the varied and interesting work carried out last week.

## **May Day**

Just a reminder that school will be closed next Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May for May Day. We reopen Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> May from 8:30am.

## **Attendance**

Attendance since the 8<sup>th</sup> March is 96.68%, which is above National Average and a slight rise on last week.

## **Looking towards the end of the School Year**

At this time of a normal school year, we would be beginning to plan all the events that happen in the last half term. These are things such as Transition to new classes, Yr. 6 Leavers events, Parent Consultations, Sports Day etc.

We do intend to carry out the majority of these things but in line with National Guidelines due to Covid.

As and when restrictions begin to be lifted, we will try to react promptly to ensure things go ahead in the best way possible. We will keep you updated.

## **First Aid Wrist Bands**

From Monday, we will be reinstating wristbands if your child has had first aid treatment. If you have any concerns if your child comes home with a wristband, please do not hesitate to contact school.

# Steeton Superstars This Week

Well done to all these children.

**Saplings:** Annmaria Davis Emilia Quattroocchi

**Seedlings:** Inayah Khan Joey Scarr

**Maple:** Anna Graham Isabelle Elliot please

**Plum:** Ubaid Ullah Siddique Quinnie Chen

**Willow:** Kian Bulcock Leo Hawker

**Fir:** Esa Amin Mia Quattroocchi

**Rowan:** Yaya Raj Tayvien Fox

**Elder:** Maira Naz Samuel Belfield

**Ash:** Emma Kirby William Varley

**Silver Birch:** Zakariyah Dad Hasan Hussain

**Holly:** Shahzaib Amin Charlie Daley

## Scouts, Beavers and Cubs

We are now the new home of Steeton Scouts, Beavers and Cubs. They are now using the Forest School and MUGA for weekly sessions. We are very pleased to be able to share our facilities with this important community group.

## **Apology 1**

### **Talking about the Underwear Rule with Children**

As I told you last week, I intended to play the 'PANTS' SONG to the whole school in a Zoom assembly on Monday Morning. Due to technical issues I was unable to do this and couldn't fit it in at a later time during the week. I will hold the Assembly the first day back next week, Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup>. In the meantime If you would like to view the video, and share it with your children please follow the link below.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/pants-underwear-rule/>

Also, please visit their website [nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/](https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/). Here you will find a number of child-friendly materials to help you carry on the conversation afterwards.

## **Apology 2**

### **Sports**

I said last week I was hoping that after school Sports and Fitness clubs would commence the week beginning Monday 3rd May. Unfortunately, I can not guarantee that I can staff this next week. I will let you know ASAP when it will be back on, hopefully the week after next...

Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

### **Car Parking and Safeguarding**

Just a reminder that the car park by the main school gate is for staff only. This is coned off in the afternoon. Please do not stand within this coned off area or allow children to play /enter the carpark. We have had one incident this week that could have resulted in an injury to a child and adults.

We are very aware of the limited car parking in the immediate vicinity of the school as they are residential streets. I know that 99% of our parents do consider our neighbours when parking and driving in Market Street and School Street and also the safety of the whole school community. I thank you for future cooperation in this matter.

### **Inclusion and Welfare Officer**

Mrs Kennedy is available everyday if you need any advice or support on areas such as attendance, behaviour, benefits, Pupil Premium Support, Agency Support, Parental Support. Please do not hesitate to contact her either by phoning or email or a quick chat through the gate (at a safe distance!) at drop off/pick up time.

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I hope everyone has a chance to enjoy some of the Bank Holiday. Looking forward to seeing the children back on Tuesday.

Mr K. Wheeler

