



Friday 21st July 2023

Golden Awards

This afternoon, we hosted our end-of-year Golden Awards ceremony. One person from each class was nominated for exemplary behaviour and demonstrating a sustained commitment to being ready, respectful and safe. Families were invited to join and pupils were awarded a certificate and a shiny trophy!

Mrs Burrell	Mr Whiteley	Mrs Mitchell	Miss Gooding	Mrs Crossley
Lennie H	Beatrice L	Advika P	Cohen S	Amelia-Rose O

Mrs Jones	Mrs Cross	Miss Kitching	Miss Mutch	Mrs Slinger	Mr E & Mrs H
Finlay C-A	Finn R	Ella R	Harry S	Corinne B	Owen G

100% Attendance Award

This year, a much smaller proportion of pupils managed to achieve 100% attendance. **A HUGE well done to the pupils below!**

Lacey C	Dev D	Lucy B	Harley M	Annie C	Ben H
Martha F	Maizee-Jai C	Erin B	Max B	Luke B	Owen G
Lola-Rose M	Theo P	Eva R	Jesse R	Kieron S	Harry T
Mollie W		Finley W		Kai W	

Attendance Totals for 2022 -2023



House Points Grand Total

We have calculated the end-of-term total for the whole year. Sports day and the Mr Renwick World Cup have also been added. The winning house is **FIRE** (by 192 points!). The winning house has their house colours on the trophy, and they had music and summer games as a reward this morning!





YEAR 6 LEAVERS ASSEMBLY 19.07.23

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Year 6 put on an amazing performance on Wednesday afternoon to their parents and carers and KS2. They shared many wonderful memories before telling us what they're thankful to Applegarth for and their hopes for the future. By the end, there was barely a dry eye to be seen! We're so proud of you all and wish you every success in the future! Please watch the photo slideshow by clicking on the image below and scroll down on [The Blog](#) for the video of the whole performance...



Remember to visit our school blog regularly to keep up-to-date with our learning and events across school. You can subscribe so that you never miss a thing!



Scan the QR code or visit <https://applegarthdigitalleaders.edublogs.org/>

School Calendar (long term)

Event	Class/Phase	Venue	Date(s)/Time(s)
Pupils Return to School	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Tuesday 5 th September
Harvest Festival	Whole School	All Saints Church	Thursday 19 th October 10:00am
Halloween Disco (PTA)	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Thursday 26 th October R and Key Stage One 5:00pm – 6:00pm Key Stage Two 6:15pm – 7:15pm
Christmas Carols	Key Stage Two	All Saints Church	Wednesday 6 th December 5:00pm – 6:00pm
Christmas Fair	Whole School	Applegarth Primary School	Friday 8 th December 3:15pm – 5:00pm
Key Stage One Nativity	Key Stage One	Applegarth Primary School	Monday 11 th December 6:00pm – 7:00pm Tuesday 12 th December 10:00am – 11:00am
Reception Nativity	Reception	Methodist Church	Tuesday 19 th December 10:00am – 11:00am

Our Safeguarding Team

At school we have five members of staff and a governor who make up our Safeguarding Leadership Team. Mr Peoples is our Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL); he is the lead person responsible for child protection and safeguarding issues. Mrs Hopkin, Mr Edwards and Mrs Crossley are our Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads (Deputy DSLs); a deputy DSL supports the DSL in their role safeguarding and child protection. Mrs Jo Burnside is our Safeguarding Link Governor. The role of the Safeguarding Governor is to support the DSL as well as regularly review, ask questions and make suggestions about our safeguarding policies and procedures and to report back to the governing body.

All staff at Applegarth know that safeguarding is EVERYONE'S responsibility. Find out more on our [Safeguarding Page](#).

For information about **Online Safety**, visit our dedicated [webpage](#).

You can also report any concerns you have to our [welfare email: dsl@applegarth.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:dsl@applegarth.n-yorks.sch.uk)

What Parents & Carers Need to Know about

WAPP

AGE RESTRICTION

12+

on the App Store:
'Everyone' on Google Play

Developed in Germany, this social networking app is called 'W App' in the Apple Store and Google Play but is also branded as 'Slay' in some territories. Aimed primarily at teens and marketed as a 'zero-negativity' zone, it asks users to connect with others from their school. They are then asked a positive question (such as "Who is the nicest person?") and shown four people from their school to choose from. All users from a school can appear in the poll: not just those a child is friends with. The app is mainly anonymous – but does offer clues to reveal who selected you for each question.

LIBRARY

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

FAKE ACCOUNTS

There is no verification when signing up to W App. Once someone joins, they can see all users at their school and add them if they wish. Users provide their name, gender, school and grade – but are also able to change these (aside from their name) as often as they like. This concerned our expert: predators could potentially keep attempting to build connections with children at different schools.

PROFILE OVERSHARING

Young people tend to have multiple social media accounts, so it's vital their identity is protected online. By default, W App shares someone's school and grade, while users choose whether to share their full name, photo and other social accounts. Most people appear to select this – making it easier for someone to build up a picture of who they are, what they enjoy and where they go to school.

SPAMMING CONTACTS

The app's activity feed notifies a user when they have been put forward for a poll. They're then given the option to reveal the initial of the person who nominated them, by inviting a friend to join the app. The friend doesn't have to sign up, but they will receive a 'get the app now' text, followed by a link. This process could result in texts being continually sent to a child's contacts.

CATFISHING RISKS

As well as invented fake accounts, users could also sign up and pretend to be someone else from their school. By joining under another person's name (possibly with their photo), they can take part in polls while masquerading as that other person. Some polls hint at an attraction or crush, which – if deliberately misused by imposters – could result in misunderstandings and embarrassment for teens.

SUBSCRIPTION COSTS

W App is free to download and use, but there is also a 'gold membership' package (costing £4.99 per week) available. Subscribing allows users to reveal the names of people who selected them in polls (slightly defeating the point of it being an anonymous app), gives unlimited hints and offers exclusive play modes – all of which may tempt a curious young user into spending their money.

REPEATED USE

Like most other social media platforms, W App wants users to log in regularly. Every time someone completes a set of 12 polls, they earn virtual coins. These can be cashed in for perks such as being included in random polls (so that more users will see them) or adding their name to their crush's poll. This may not seem much of an incentive currently, but that may alter as the app evolves.

Advice for Parents & Carers

DISCUSS FRIEND REQUESTS

Talk to your child about the risk of sharing their other social accounts, especially on anonymous platforms where there is no verification – so a user could be anyone. If someone they don't normally talk to at school approaches your child via W App and suggests connecting on TikTok, Snapchat or Instagram, emphasise that it's safest to confirm it with that person face to face before accepting or replying.

PROTECT PERSONAL INFORMATION

It's crucial that trusted adults regularly remind children about the importance of not sharing too much of their personal information online (and demonstrate it on their own social accounts, where possible). W App automatically displays the user's school on their profile – but if your child does want to use the app, you can advise them to only enter their first name and not to upload an image of their face.

BE MINDFUL OF REJECTION

The polls in W App are designed to be complimentary rather than negative. However, never being nominated or picked by their peers could leave a child – especially a status-conscious teen – feeling ignored and isolated. If you think that W App is having this effect on your child, it might be time for a supportive reminder that social media doesn't reflect someone's true worth or popularity.

DO SOME 'APP ADMIN'

Before letting your child download W App, you may want to (via their device's settings) disable the option to make in-app purchases: £4.99 per week for the subscription can soon mount up. Likewise, if a friend's use of W App is causing your child to be inundated with texts inviting them to sign up too, you could suggest asking that friend to stop selecting your child's name from their contacts list.

Meet Our Expert

Dr Claire Sutherland is an online safety consultant, educator and researcher who has developed and implemented anti-bullying and cyber safety policies for schools. She has written various academic papers and carried out research for the Australian government comparing internet use and sexting behaviour of young people in the UK, USA and Australia.



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#WakeUpWednesday

Summer Art Competition



If you are or know of someone who is between the ages of 3-16, and love art as much as we do, we are giving the chance for one lucky winner to become a published artist with Lucy Pittaway! The lucky winner will be chosen from entries into this year's summer competition called: **Your Happy Place**. Lucy's paintings are full of love and happiness, so we want to know where that happy place is.

Entries can be submitted now, and it is simple to do:

1. Create the piece of art based on the theme provided. (It must be no larger than A3 in size and needs to be two-dimensional).
2. Submit art by either, emailing a photo to marketing@lucypittaway.co.uk putting "Your Happy Place" in the subject line or handing it into one of our art galleries in **Brompton-On-Swale, Harrogate, Keswick, Richmond (North Yorkshire), Yarm or York**.

When sending in entries, please include the following:

Entrants (child's) name:

Age:

Parent/Guardian name:

Address:

Email:

Telephone:

Don't forget to save and share these details with anyone that might like to enter.



Age Group Prizes

There will be five age group winners with the chance for their art to be published.

The winner of each group will receive an Artists Pack full of Lucy Pittaway stationery and merchandise.



ENJOY THIS SUMMER WITH US
FOOTBALL PITCH / SOFTPLAY / DELICIOUS FOOD
OPEN EVERY DAY THIS HALF TERM 9.30AM - 6PM

SUMMER

2023

**JOIN US FOR THE BEST KIDS
EXPERIENCE IN NORTHALLERTON!**



**AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT
THIS SUMMER HOLIDAY
PLEASE BOOK AHEAD**

GO TO CRAZYKINGDOM.CO.UK
AND CLICK "BOOK YOUR VISIT"

Or scan
the QR
Code



July

Summer Reading Challenge 2023

Join in the challenge from
Saturday 15th July -
Saturday 9th September

Ready,
Set,
Read!



SUMMER
READING
CHALLENGE



THE
READING
AGENCY



Date	Time	Event Details	Age	Booking
Friday 14 th July	10:00AM - 11:00AM	Out of this World Storytime and Rocket Craft FREE	All ages welcome	No for Storytime Yes for the Rockets
Saturday 15 th July	10:00AM - 1:00PM	SRC Launch Event featuring a Wii Sports marathon FREE	7 +	No
Tuesday 18 th July	2:00PM - 4:00PM	ALSS - Summer Holidays Fun on a budget FREE	Families	Yes
Friday 21 st July	10:00AM - 11:00AM	Ready, Set, Read Storytime and Pinwheel craft FREE	All ages for Storytime 5 and up for the pinwheels	No for Storytime Yes for the Pinwheels
Friday 21 st July	3:30PM - 4:45PM	Board Games Club FREE	Families	No
Wednesday 26 th July	10:00AM - 11:00AM	Mint Zines Collages £2 SUGGESTED DONATION	7-11	Yes
Monday 31 st July	10:00AM - 11:00AM	Crazy Colin Magic Show	4-11	Yes
Monday 31 st July	11:30AM - 12:30PM	Crazy Colin's Learn Magic Tricks £2	6-11	Yes



Fun & exercise
for all Primary
School children

Cricket and Athletics Camp

only
£25
per athlete
per day



Fri 28th July

10am-3pm

Scruton cricket pitch

Wrap around care

We operate in a COVID-secure environment

Along with Matty Brown, former North East Premier League batsmen and Level 1 coach, the kids will have a fun-packed day learning the fundamentals of cricket and athletics with Glen Hilton, athletics coach and former England international athlete.

For more details contact Glen Hilton:
hiltonglen444@gmail.com



Your child will need:
• Sun cream • Cold drink
Packed lunch • Hat

Location address: Scruton Cricket Club, Station Rd, Scruton, Northallerton DL7 0QN



**Fun & athletics
for all Primary
School children***

*Ideally not for kids currently in a running club

Athletics Camp

We operate in a COVID-secure environment

only

£60

per athlete

Starting **Sat 2 Sep**

8 week course

11am-12 noon



Mini Movers athletes will learn the fundamentals of athletics over a 8 week course. This will include: running, jumping, throwing, baton relays and endurance running.

For more details contact Glen Hilton:
hiltonglen444@gmail.com

Location address: Scruton Cricket Club, Station Rd, Scruton, Northallerton DL7 0QN



NORTHALLERTON SUMMER PROGRAMME

Activities

- Multi sports
- Arts & Crafts
- Treasure Hunts & more

Dates

10am - 2 pm
31.07.23 - 03.08.23
07.08.23 - 10.08.23
14.08.23 - 17.08.23

Registration

Book Here -
www.flyingfutures.org/camps/east-riding
Contact - bookings@flyingfutures.org

Address

The Forum, Bullamoor Road,
Northallerton, DL6 1LP

Age

5 - 11 years old.

Free for children who are eligible
for benefit related free school
meals, paid places also available.

flyingfutures

PROGRAMMES CAMPS TRAINING



SUMMER TENNIS

July 27th-August 28th - With Adam Scaife - LTA Accredited+ Coach



MONDAYS @ Aline

TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS



31st, 7th, 21st, 28th

TOTS
9am-10.30 - 3-5yrs

RED BALL
10.30am-12.30 - 6-10yrs

ORANGE/GREEN
13.30pm-16.30 - 8-14yrs

1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd

TOTS
9am-10.30 - 3-5yrs

RED BALL
10.30am-12.30 - 6-9yrs

ORANGE/GREEN BALL
13.30pm-16.30 - 8-13yrs

2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd

TOTS
9am-10.30 - 3-5yrs

RED BALL
10.30am-12.30 - 6-9yrs

FULL BALL
13.30pm-16.30 - 12+yrs

Costs
Tots (90 minutes) - £9.90
Red Ball (2 hrs) - £13.90
Orange/Green ball-Full Ball (3 hrs) - £19
(4+ sessions = 10% discount)



Locations

- Aline Tennis Club - Back Lane - YO61 1TJ
- Thirsk Tennis Club - Newsham Rd - YO7 1QP
- Leake Tennis Club - HRAP Knayton - YO7 4AX
- Coxwold Tennis Club - Coxwold - YO61 4AD

Book your place:

Message/Call Adam
07876458168

Email
Adam_scaife91@hotmail.com

Social Media
@LTAMiniTennisThirsk

Book one or multiple sessions





THURSDAYS @ KNAYTON

27th, 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th

TOTS
9-10.30 - 3-5yrs

RED BALL
10.30-12.30 - 6-9yrs

ORANGE/GREEN BALL
13.30-16.30 - 8-14yrs

FRIDAYS @ COXWOLD

28th, 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th

TOTS
9-10.30 - 3-5yrs

RED BALL
10.30-12.30 - 6-9yrs

ORANGE/GREEN BALL
13.30-16.30 - 9-15yrs



James Lofthouse Football
for 4-12 year olds

HOLIDAY CAMP



**Brompton Primary School
DL6 2RQ**

8.45am - 2.45pm 4 to 6 year olds

9am - 3pm 7 to 9 year olds

9.15am - 3.15pm 9 to 12 year olds

Tuesdays to Thursdays

Week 1 25th to 27th July

Week 2 1st to 3rd August

Week 3 8th to 10th August

Week 4 15th to 17th August

Week 5 No Camps

Week 6 No Camps

**Come have fun,
make friends
and learn new
skills in a safe
environment**

And why not try...
**MULTI SPORTS
MONDAYS**

31st July, 7th and
14th August

Staggered start
times as above



Cost

Prices are reduced if you book days in the same week.

If you book for 2 days please message me on 07908 199994 for a discount code.

Football

£18 per child per day

£34 for 2 days

£48 for 3 days

Multi Sports

£18 per child per day

Your child will need...

playing kit and boots to suit the weather, plenty to drink and a packed lunch.

Please note all sessions will be outside. Toilets are available in the school.

Cancellations

If any days of the camp are cancelled due to adverse weather conditions a credit will be added to your account for future camps and sessions.



For more information What's App James Lofthouse on 07908 199994 or to book please use the booking system at

james-lofthouse-football.class4kids.co.uk/camp

- booking is essential and on a first come first served basis



SUMMER POOL PARTIES

Floats, toys and music



Bedale

Tuesdays
1.45-3.15pm
(no pool party 15/8)

Northallerton

Fridays
5-6pm
(no advance booking)

Stokesley

Wednesdays
2-3pm

**Thirsk
& Sowerby**

Fridays
10.30-11.30am
(no advance booking)

24 July to 1 September 2023

Bookings can be made in advance at Bedale and Stokesley,
Walk-ins only at Northallerton and Thirsk, subject to availability

zest-leisure.co.uk  

Bedale Leisure Centre
(01677) 427272

Northallerton Leisure Centre
(01609) 777070

Stokesley Leisure Centre
(01642) 711140

Thirsk & Sowerby Leisure Centre
(01845) 522447

