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School News

Year 5 Trip: Pupils will be using music and art to inspire them in a creative writing workshop at Cannon Hall next week. We are looking forward to them sharing their creations on their return.

Class R to visit Luncheon Club: Class R will visit Thurgoland Luncheon Club next week to meet some of Thurgoland's elderly residents. The children will be sharing some of their favourite nursery rhymes and traditional songs with them during the visit.

Spring Term Dates

- Friday 24th January Y 5 trip to Cannon Hall
- Wednesday 29th January - Young Voices Y 6
- Monday 10th February – mock SATs week Y 6
- Wednesday 12th February – Y 2 trip to sculpture park
- Wednesday 12th Thursday 13th February – parents' evening
- Friday 14th February
 - walk to school and circus event
 - break up half term -
- Monday 24th February– INSET training day. First aid training for teachers, TAs and dinner ladies
- Tuesday 25th February – cricket coaching for 6 weeks – 1-2pm year 5 , 2:30 – 3:30 – year 4
- Thursday 27th February – class photos
- Friday 28th February – PFSA disco
- Thursday 5th March - World Book Day
- Monday 9th March – Art week
- Friday 20th March - Mothers' Day performances
- Wednesday 1st April Disability Awareness Workshops for KS 2
- Wed 1st April – Easter Craft Workshops
- Friday 3rd April – break up for Easter holiday

Congratulations to the following children who received a certificate in our celebration assembly today:



Class R – Grace, Jacob E, Jasper, Hector, Megan
Class 1 – Luca, Jamie, Arthur, Thomas, Maisie
Class 2 – Max, Rose, Amelia T, Mason, Taylor
Class 3 – Poppy S, Rosie, Poppy H, Albert, Arthur G
Class 4 – Oliver C. Joel, Zack, Connie, Lottie
Class 5 – Claudie, Grace, Alexis, Elyse, Jownai
Class 6 – James, George I, Annie, Tadek, Ava R-S

Reading

Reading is a very important part of what we do at Thurgoland School. We would be grateful if you could support this by reading with your child as often as possible and at least 4 times a week. We would also appreciate it if you could write in your child's reading diary.

We have recently invested in lots of lovely new reading books for pupils in all classes, much of this funded by the PFSA. Could we please ask that you do not place water bottles in the same bag as the reading books as quite a few of them have been damaged. Thank you for your support.

Sheila's Sporting News

Our young sports stars had their first sports competition of the new year yesterday when teams from Y1/2 competed in a Multi Skills competition. They represented the school brilliantly and we were very proud of them. Meanwhile lunch-time sports continue in most weather conditions and I for one am so looking forward to warmer days.

We have been enjoying great Basketball sessions throughout all years with even the youngest superstars getting to grips with this fun sport.

It was wonderful today to have been coaching some Y2's and to hear one young man telling a newcomer " No, THIS is how you do it, you push the ball forwards and try to run with it. If you don't do this you'll just be standing still!"

Simply said - and right. This little chappie had listened and learned. He went off court a very proud young man and this dear friends is how the magic starts!