

# Thurgoland

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## School News

### Walk to School and Circus Event

Our next walk to school takes place on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February, starting at the Green Dragon Pub at 8:20. We be joined by a circus performer who will entertain us with some amazing tricks before leading us on our walk to school. The children will then enjoy a special assembly to start the day. Let's make this the best walk to school event so far – please join us!

### Fundraising Team News

Its class 4's turn to run the Friday Feast of Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February. Please can we ask that children bring in some buns, biscuits or cake on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February and a few parents run the stall after school. Thank you very much.

The neon theme went down so well at the October Disco that we've decided to go with this again at the next disco on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February. Key stage 1's disco will be 3.30pm to 4.30pm (they can come to school in their disco clothes rather than their school uniform) and key Stage 2's disco will be from 4.45pm to 6pm. Entrance is £1.50, hotdogs are £1, pizza 50p and there will also be toys, books, drinks, sweets, face paints, tattoos, glow sticks on sale. The fund raising team are asking for volunteers to help at the disco either at one or both times. We are also asking for toy and book donations.

### Packed Lunches

Some of our children have a mixture of school dinners and packed lunches. Please inform the school office of the days when they will be bringing their own food and we will record this on our system to avoid any mix-ups! Thank you.

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

Class R – Emily, Jacob E, Louie, Gracie-May, Sienna

Class 1 – Thomas, Adam, Charlie, Macie-Mae, Max

Class 2 – Rose, Brody, Freddie, Elizabeth, Amelia L

Class 3 – Arran, Jack F, Poppy S, Henry, Arthur R

Class 4 – Holly A, Ellie, Noah, Rose, Millie

Class 5 – Elyse, Lucy, Heidi, Isis, Isaac

Class 6 – Nancy T, Lydia, Charlie, Anya, Oliver H



## Upcoming Events

### World Book Day Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March

We will be celebrating World Book Day and our love of books by bringing in our favourite bedtime reads on the day. Children can come to school ready for bed (slippers allowed!) and will have the opportunity to share their special books with their friends during the day.

### Sheila's Sporting News

So there we were at Thursday's early morning Hockey Club playing dodgeball and bench-ball indoors! New tactics you may ask ... well no, for although the weather was glorious Jack Frost had been up to his tricks and rendered both yards too icy to play hockey.

Although disappointed not be outside the children soon forgot and quickly became involved in these two fast, energetic games. They left the session with extra skills under their belts and some very red sweaty faces! Well done Class 5, you were brilliant.

Another fantastic team of sport stars were showing off their talents when Y3/4 represented school in a Sportshall Athletics event at Penistone Grammar. Once again our fabulous parents, guardians and grandparents saw first hand just how talented at sports their children have become. Thank you all for the wonderful support you give both the school and the children during these tournaments; you make it possible for so many children to attend events.

As in previous weeks the running and jumping events were brilliantly executed but once again the throwing events proved a little challenging so these will be improved during PE lessons. I'm sure by the time Sports Day comes around our superstars will be great at these disciplines.

Our next event will be a Y5/6 Basketball Tournament at Penistone Grammar School on Thursday and we wish our 2 teams the best of luck.

Team Thurgoland you continue to delight and amaze everyone with your super-duper sporting skills and long may that they continue!