



# AYSCOUGHFEE HALL SCHOOL

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## **New Infant Block / Centenary Building**

We are all really excited to be returning to our new Infant Block on Monday. I cannot thank you enough for your patience and the way you and your children have managed being in the Junior Block. Everyone has worked so well together to enable this to happen and I do believe it is because we are like a big family and all support each other as staff, parents and children. I hope you will feel that the wait has been worthwhile and that your children will enjoy their wonderful new classrooms, library, Kids Club area and outside play area. My thanks have to go to Andy Bowser whose advice and help has been fundamental in ensuring the success of this project. Our PTFA have also raised £10,000 towards the library area with all their hard work. Thanks also to our amazing staff and governors who have also worked really hard to achieve this, particularly Mrs Gibson.

A few points for Monday

- Kids Club will stay in the main block for a few more days until we have ensured all parents have gate fobs for access. Please see the office next week if you use Kids Club and do not have a gate fob.
- We would like to invite Infant parents to have a look around the new block on Monday after school; please could Kindergarten and Reception parents only come in on the morning just to drop children. Junior parents are welcome to come for a look around after school from Tuesday onwards.
- Going forwards, please can we ask that parents leave the school by the side green gates after dropping off, rather than the front door.

We are planning on having an official opening of the Infant Block/Centenary Building at the start of our Centenary Year 2020.

Thank you



### YEAR 1 - AFRICAN PHOTOS

Mr and Mrs Woodhead visited Year 1 this week to show the children photos of when they lived in Kenya. The children listened really well and asked some very interesting questions. Well done!



### WORLD BOOK DAY



Well done to all our children who looked amazing in their Book Day costumes today. Reading is really important and is proven to have a real impact on a child's progress, so do snuggle up with them and enjoy a book together this weekend.

### PARENTS' EVENING REMINDER

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March - 15:30 - 17:40

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March - 18.00 - 20.10

During the week of the 18<sup>th</sup> March all after school clubs will run except for:

- \* Tuesday - Sewing
- \* Tuesday - Eco club
- \* Thursday - Gym club

### KIDS CLUB FOR PARENTS' EVENING ON TUESDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> MARCH

Kids club will run for the early parents evening, this will be in the hall and is just for children attending school.



### AFTERSCHOOL CLUB CANCELLATIONS

#### TUESDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> MARCH - AFTERSCHOOL FOOTBALL CLUB CANCELLED

The Y5 & Y6 afterschool football next Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March has been cancelled due to Mr Hutton being away on a training course, but the club will resume on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March as normal.

#### FRIDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> MARCH - AFTERSCHOOL HOCKEY CLUB CANCELLED

The afterschool hockey club next Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March has been cancelled due to a fixture taking place on that day. The club will resume on the Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March as normal.

### PTFA NEWS

#### ROTARY DONATION - THANK YOU

Thank you to the Rotary club of Spalding for their kind donation of £360 to our PTFA after our members helped during the Christmas sleigh collecting.

#### SMARTIE UPDATE

Thank you so much to all the children who have brought in their filled smartie tubes. We still have a few weeks before the deadline so please keep bringing them as all monies raised will go towards items to help the children in school.



### STARS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to this week's STARS who are;

<b>Kindergarten:</b>	<b>Kirann King-Lawson</b>
<b>Reception:</b>	<b>Arun Rai</b>
<b>Year 1:</b>	<b>James Deegan</b>
<b>Year 2:</b>	<b>Freddie Knapp</b>
<b>Year 3:</b>	<b>Georgia Bailey</b>
<b>Year 4:</b>	<b>Seth Woodrow</b>
<b>Year 5:</b>	<b>Carrie Bates</b>
<b>Year 6:</b>	<b>James Scott</b>
<b>Headteacher Award:</b>	<b>Year 2 Class</b>
<b>Golden Dustpan Award:</b>	<b>Year 4 Class</b>



### SCHOOL OF ROCK

Year 6 pupils enjoyed a visit to Spalding Grammar School to watch their performance of the musical 'School of Rock'. All the children and staff thoroughly enjoyed an excellent show.

### COMIC RELIEF DAY

Next Friday children can wear non-uniform for Comic Relief if they bring in £1. We will also be running an in-school Talent Show for the children in the afternoon.

### COMING UP

#### WEEK COMMENCING 11<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2019

MON 11 <sup>TH</sup>	FIXTURE: CROSS COUNTRY AT COPTHILL STARTS 1PM TO 3PM. (NO AFTER SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY CLUB)
WED 13 <sup>TH</sup>	1.30PM - Y1 AFRICAN DANCE SESSIONS FIXTURE: NETBALL A & B AND FOOTBALL AT ST HUGHS STARTS 2.30PM
THURS 14 <sup>TH</sup>	Y4 OUTING TO ROCKINGHAM CASTLE
FRI 15 <sup>TH</sup>	COMIC RELIEF - £1 NON-UNIFORM FIXTURE: HOCKEY AT SURFLEET STARTS 3.45PM
SAT 16 <sup>TH</sup>	Y2 OUTING TO THE MUSEUM OF LONDON

Thank you for your support.  
Mrs Clare Ogden