

Orchard Weekly Bulletin 15th January 2018

Headteacher Absence

Mr. Cook will be in hospital from Thursday 1st February for hip surgery. During his absence from school Mrs. Chambers and Mrs. Tilstone will be Acting Headteacher and Acting Deputy Head respectively. Please contact Mrs. Chambers or Mrs. Tilstone if you have any concerns whatsoever regarding school life in general or any aspect of your child's education. Mr. Cook will be doing just as the doctor says to ensure as speedy a recovery as possible. Thank you to everyone from Orchard Primary School; parents, staff, governors and children for your best wishes to Mr. Cook. This is much appreciated. During Mr. Cook's absence Mrs. Jenkinson will be working full time in class 2JT and Mrs. Tilstone will be supporting in class 6C.

Attendance Challenge

Position	Class	Attendance
1 st	Mrs Jenkinson/Mrs Tilstone	98.7%
1 st	Mrs Hemstock	98.7%
2 nd	Mr Jackson	98.6%

Whole school attendance
95.2%

100% Attendance weekly award

Riley Naylor (RC) Rocco Burgin (RMB) Layton Tarry (1M) Aiden Freeman (1/2G)
Rowan Kirk (2JT) Charlie Walker (3H) Isabella Watson (3/4W) Daniel Matthews (4A)
Reuben Slack (5R) Brandon Stapleton (5/6J) Immojen Bacon (6C)



Young Voices Choir

Our Young Voices Choir were the 'music of the week' in school last week in preparation for the amazing Young Voices Concert taking place at Sheffield Arena tonight. The choir, who have put in countless hours of hard work to learn all 18 songs by heart, will join hundreds of other school choirs at the musical extravaganza. We wish them well and will report on the exciting event in next week's newsletter.



Year 3/4 Visit to Creswell Craggs

All 3/4 children will be visiting Creswell Craggs over the coming week.

A reminder that on the day of their visit they need to come to school in appropriate clothing including; outdoor footwear, waterproof coat, hat, gloves and lots of layers. We know the children are going to have lots of fun whatever the weather!

Parking Around Orchard Primary School

Whenever possible we try to encourage our children and their families to walk to school. If you do need to drive please be respectful to the other members of our community. Try and park where you are blocking no other vehicles or drives and allow access for delivery vehicles. We pride ourselves on having good links with the community and would really appreciate your cooperation with this.

Keeping Orchard and Surrounding Areas Clean and Tidy

You may have read an article in the Chad about concerns about dog mess and litter around the paths and surrounding areas of school. The council has also been contacted with regards to this and we have been told that regular patrols will take place. Please contact environmental health at the council if you notice any further mess. We reinforce the importance with the children of keeping our school clean, tidy and litter free and their role to fulfil this in the community too.

House Point Target

This Weeks House Point Target:

Being sensible and responsible around school



