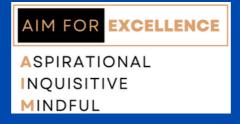
# THORPE'S NEWSLETTER







This week, Year 4 have enjoyed music lessons where they have begun to learn how to play the glockenspiels. They have also tasted various chocolates, in preparation for making their own chocolates and packaging.



Don't forget to get your entries in for the curriculum character competition. Remember to try and link the name to the subject/ character. This will give your child more chance of winning. Teachers will be collecting all entries on Monday 28th November. Good luck!



Due to the number of seats available for our annual Christmas Service, we are extending the deadline to Tuesday 29th November for tickets. After this date, the remainder of the tickets will be released! Just a reminder that it will be taking place at Holy Trinity Church on Friday 16th December (parents to arrive at 1.15pm).



WW Estate Agents Lettings in Idle are running a Christmas competition this year to give pupils in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 the opportunity to participate in a 'Design Your Own' contest. If you are in these year groups, you will be receiving a separate letter with the relevant information on how to get involved.









#### Headteacher's Award

Well done to all our worthy winners of this week's Headteacher's Award!

Reception-Jack H

Year 1- Kyan G

Year 2- Jacob S

Year 3- Emma F

Year 4- Lucas P

Year 5- Georgia- Mae B

Year 6- Isabella & Mason

### British Values Award Winners - Individual Liberty

Well done to all our worthy winners of this week's British Values Award!

Reception- Abbie G

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Year 1- Riley G

Year 2- Matilda K

Year 3- Jacob C

Year 4- Isabella B

Year 5- Lucille H

Year 6- Leah K

#### **Sporting Spirit Winners - Passion**

Well done to all our Sporting Spirit winners! Kayden S (Reception)

Beau H (Year 5)

Nora He (Year 2)

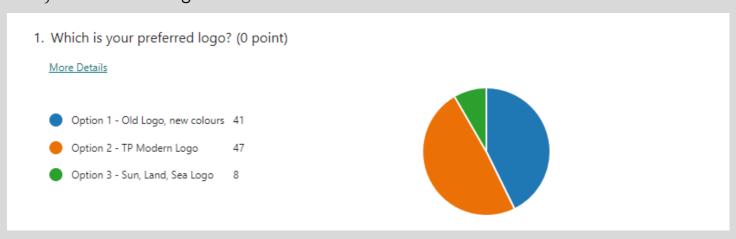
Leon Patterson (Year 6)

Oliver R (Year 1)

It has come to my attention that some children are being sent to school with unhealthy snacks to eat at break or lunchtimes. Please could I remind you that children are allowed to bring a snack to school, however this must only be in the form of fresh fruit only. Please refrain from sending your child to school with snacks such as cereal bars or fruit winders, as these are not part of the school's policy. Thank you for your understanding in the matter.

## Logo Results

Thank you to everybody that took the time to cast your votes in the logo survey. As you can see below, the majority of the votes went towards the second option. The votes were open to parents, staff and other stakeholders at the school. The results mean that the school logo will be changing, and you will start to recognise these changes as the year goes on. We have a new website being designed, which will incorporate the new logo, as well as new letterheads and signage. Over time, the children's uniform will change to reflect these exciting and innovative new changes. What you need to do? Nothing. Once the adaptations have been changed to the uniform, there will be a large period of time in which the old uniform can still be worn. School will also provide the children with a new school jumper. Parent's will know in good time when the new uniform will come into effect. At the moment, it is looking likely that it will be September 2023, but you will be kept updated. These are exciting times as the school continues to be developed and I appreciate the support that you continue to give.







29th November- Owl Experience Rec, Yr 1 & 2

2nd December- Non-uniform (bottle donation)

6th December - Year 3 Golf Competition

8th December - Reception/Yr 1 Dental Check

9th December- Christmas Jumper and Dinner Day

12th December- Reception Nativity 2pm

13th December-Reception Nativity 9.30am

14th December- Key Stage 1 Christmas Play (9.30am & 2pm)

15th December - Pantomime

16th December-Christmas Carol Service-Holy Trinity @13.30

19th December- EYFS, Year 1 & 2 Christmas Party

20th December- Year 3,4,5 &6 Christmas Party

20th December - Last day of school

Thank you for your continued support,

Mr Mennell