Sutton Upon Derwent and Bugthorpe C of E Federation

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SUMMER TERM 2022

Newsletter 17 – 17/6/2022

The following messages are for both schools:

Attendance @Bugthorpe @Sutton

Attendance figures for the last fortnight at school (26th May – 15th June), for your information.

Class 1 96.2% (children aged 5+)
Class 2 96.3%
Class 3 94.4%
Class 4 89.8%
Bugthorpe overall 93.5%

Class 1 100% (children aged 5+)
Class 2 92
Class 3 94.9%
Class 4 93.2%
Sutton overall 93.1%

Attendance in all state-funded schools was **91.5%** on 9 June, up from 89.6% on 26 May.

It's a Knockout Day @Bugthorpe @Sutton

A letter went out this week, explaining our Federation event on Wednesday 6th June 2022:

Sutton will be getting a coach across to Bugthorpe, leaving at 9:05am. On arrival, they will be starting the challenges in their team point teams. Sutton's ***Hedgehogs****,* ***Squirrels****,* ***Owls*** *and* ***Badgers*** *will be going against each other. Bugthorpe's* ***Ladybirds****,* ***Grasshoppers****,* ***Bumblebees*** *and* ***Dragonflies*** *will be competing just like at sports day. Then we will have an overall champion of the Federation in the Grand Finale!*

The games we will be playing and enjoying can be found at the following website:

https://www.we-are-a-knockout.co.uk/games/

Sutton will be having their school lunch at Bugthorpe; we will be serving a similar meal to the Jubilee Picnic menu: ham, cheese or tuna sandwiches, pizza slice, sausage roll, crisps, cakes and salad. **PLEASE CAN REPLY SLIPS BE RETURNED NO LATER THAN 30TH JUNE – THANK YOU.**

The day should come to an end around 2:30pm, when Sutton will be getting the coach back to school. Who will be holding the trophy?

The cost of the day, including the coaches, is being paid for using our Sports Premium Funding; there is no cost to parents.

Please wear team colours and PE kit for the day. If your child does not know their team point colour, please ask a Class Teacher via Seesaw or Tapestry. Children will require a change of clothing in case they get wet in the events. Please ensure your child has sun cream, a water bottle and a disposable packed lunch (if required).

LET THE GAMES BEGIN!

Year 6 Sleepover @Bugthorpe @Sutton

Yes, we may be a little crazy, but back by popular demand is our Year 6 sleepover! What better way to finish school life than sleeping at school?

Sutton's is on Friday 15th July 5:30pm – 8am

Bugthorpe's is on Friday 8th July 5:30pm – 8am

Update from Uganda @Bugthorpe @Sutton

Both of our schools held a Bring and Buy Sale, raising £330. Professor Katie, flew out this week and used the money to buy resources locally in Kampala. With our funds, she

managed to provide the school with 576 exercise books, 288 pencils, 200 pens, 144 colouring pencils, 24 pencil sharpeners, a printer for the teachers to print assessments for the children, ink cartridges and 2000 sheets of paper for printing. We also secured 8 footballs (1 for each class and a high quality tournament ball), ball pumps and cones for goals! It is safe to say that these were really appreciated and will be well used.

We are very proud of the difference our school

communities have made to the lives of others and are eagerly awaiting the return video of 'a day in the life of a Nyabyeya child' and the return questions for us to answer.

You can view our Federation video which was sent to Uganda here:
https://youtu.be/J1nDurT_RBM

End of Term Date @Bugthorpe @Sutton

A reminder that the last day of school for the children will be **Thursday 21st July 2022**, due to a training day on the Friday.

Bugthorpe's Leavers' Service is now on **Wednesday 20th July at 2pm.**

The children will return after the Summer break on **Tuesday 6th September 2022**.

The following messages are for Sutton:

Sports Day 2022 @Sutton

Hedgehogs came out on top, with Team Captain, Charlie, hosting about 6 first place stickers on his t-shirt! Well done to everyone who participated; it was great to see the pure enjoyment on your faces as you dived over the finish line ☺

Mr Connolly, kindly made a video of all the photos, which can be viewed on our school website's homepage.

PTFA Meeting 22.6.22 @Sutton

Everyone is warmly invited to our next PTFA meeting, which will take place **on Zoom on Wednesday 22nd June at 7:30pm**. A link will be shared via email from the School Office. We do hope you can join us to help plan our next events.

Team Challenge Day Reminder @Sutton

The children will be involved in a Design Technology Day on Wednesday 22nd June. Please can the children come dressed in team point team colours. Many thanks.

Farewell to Miss Smith @Sutton

Unfortunately for us, Miss Smith who works in Class 1 at the back end of the week, as well as being an ASC leader, leaves us next Friday. She has secured full time hours in her other role at Thackray Medical Museum in Leeds. Let's hope we can get a school visit organised to go and visit her ☺

Miss Brown, will be taking over her hours.

I am sure you will join me in wishing Miss Smith all the very best for the future!

The following messages are for Bugthorpe:

Sports Day 2022 @Bugthorpe

Dragonflies were victorious this year – many congratulations to all our participants. It was a great fun-filled day; I bet the children were tired at the end of it. Here are some pictures of our carousel of activities from the morning session:

Team Challenge Day 29.6.22 @Bugthorpe

Due to the Class 1 visit to The Deep with Sutton, our Team Challenge Day (Design Technology) has moved to **Wednesday 29th June**. Please can the children come dressed in their team colours. Many thanks.

KS2 Production – What's the Crime, Mr Wolf? @Bugthorpe

Reminder: Our summer production is on **Friday 1st July at 2pm**; everyone is invited. After the show, the PTA are hosting a summer bbq so do please stop and join us ☺

Thank you for your continued support,

Mr B Holtby, Executive Headteacher