WISE UP

Key Dates

- Yr5/6 Plays

    Tues 2 July at 2pm

    Weds 3 July at 6pm

- Food Festival
  Tues 9 July at 3pm

- **Special Mention Assembly** at 2.30 pm

Thought of the Week

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Message from Mr Williams

What an absoultly jam-packed few weeks we're having! See below for details of some of the visiters, visits and events that are taking place at the moment…brace for some gruesome detail! We're also looking forwards to events including our Yr 5/6 Play, Selby Sings, a Food Festival, Leavers Assembly, Governors Awards and tranistion days (where our September starters in Little Owls come to visit and the Yr 6s go to their secondaries). We hope you'll take the opportunity to participate in as many of these events as possible – we look forward to seeing you!

Important Change of Bank Holiday Date - May 2020

Please note that the calendar of school term and holiday dates for 2019/20 has been amended due to a recent Government decision to change the previously agreed Bank Holiday dates. To coincide with Victory in Europe (VE) celebrations next year the Government have agreed to move the Bank Holiday from Monday 4 May 2020 to **Friday 8 May 2020**.

Summer Production

The KS2 summer production of "Shakespeare Rocks!" takes place this Tuesday at 2pm and Wednesday at 6pm. All tickets have been sent home with children. There are still a few spare tickets available if anyone requires them.

Selby Sings

'VV' Choir are to attend Selby Sings which is taking place in Selby Abbey on Thursday 4 July. This is part of the celebrations as our beautiful abbey is 950 years old.
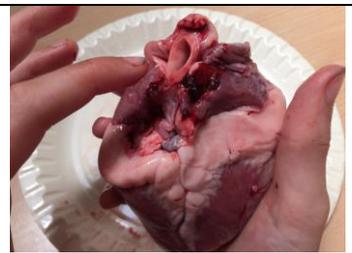
Visit from Author

Year 3/4 pupils at Hambleton Primary School were delighted to spend an afternoon with an author this week. Stephen Pass, an author from Harrogate, inspired children by sharing his published story about a mermaid created from recycled materials that had been washed up on a beach. This was no ordinary 'rubbish' mermaid however; it was a mermaid that came to life. Stephen shared his journey from initial ideas to writing and publishing his story with brilliant illustrations. Children were inspired and eager to learn about writing.

A heart-rending moment!

This week Mrs Farmery arrived in school with a gruesome cargo – a stock of lamb's hearts for Eagle Owls to dissect to finish off their Science learning on circulation. Folioing some excellent training earlier in the year, Mrs Farmery has been working to make Science more real and 'hands-on' across the school. It doesn't get much more hands-on than this!

Rotters!

All the children enjoyed a visit from "The Rotters" who held a workshop about bio-degradable materials. Everyone learnt about the importance of composting and built a wormery to take home. Many children named their worm with such names as "Womeo and Jullio".

Young Leaders

Young Leaders have been busy in recent weeks. Pictured is one of the lunchtime clubs they are running for the Little Owls buddies. They also organised a visit from the Dogs Trust who gave a workshop and assembly during their visit.

Judo

An Olympic Judo trainer visited our school to do workshops with each class. They learnt safe, amazing techniques and squeals of laughter could be heard throughout the school. Judo was absolutely fantastic and thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.

Sports Round-Up

With improving weather it's been a busy few weeks for sport. Teams participating in tournaments in recent weeks have included Yr5/6 Girls Football and Yr3/4 Boys Football. Congratulations to the Yr5/6 Netball Team who won their recent tournament at Brayton (see below). There are more tourments to come in the next few weeks! Thanks to all of the staff including Mrs Fogg, Miss Middlebrook, Mrs Harpham and Mr Cinar who have attended with the children.

Fathers' Day Lunch

Thank you to the 65 fathers, grandfathers etc who joined us for a special Fathers' Day lunch. Mrs Pipes and her team served up a lovely meal and we have had some very positive feedback.