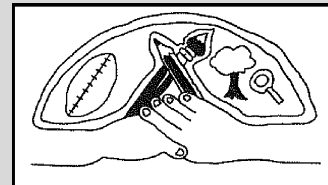


# Copmanthorpe Primary School Parents' Newsletter



24th May 2013

## Travel to School Week

We were pleased to see so many children travelling to school this week without using the car.

We were also pleased to welcome York's Travel Bee to school to remind the children of the importance of walking to keep the world more sustainable.



## Walk to School Month - 3rd—24th June

Please support our walk to school month after the half-term break too. Will it be your child's class getting the special prize for having the most children walking / cycling / scooting to school?

## Parking on Low Green / Croft Farm Close

Thank you to those parents who have helped to make the route to school safe by not parking in these areas. We have had complaints from the residents of Croft Farm Close where children have been seen walking over gardens and dropping litter at the beginning and end of the day. Please can we encourage parents not to use these areas for parking—our school neighbours' property should be respected at all times.



## Year 6 Plant Sale — Wednesday 22nd May

Thanks to everyone who supported this sale and our enthusiastic Year 6 sellers! Hopefully they will make a good profit to support activities later in the term!

Don't  
forget to  
check the **VLE**★  
copmanthorpeprimary.co.uk

Text Messaging - could we ask parents to keep the office updated with any change to their mobile no. In some instances we may send messages by text, i.e. if an after-school club is cancelled.

## Dates for after half-term

### Volunteers to clear the Wildlife Area— Wednesday 5th June, 3.20 pm

We need your support with clearing and tidying up this very special area so that the children can use it during the next half-term. It would be helpful if volunteers could bring gloves, secateurs and rakes etc... Please contact Mr Williams or Mrs Waters if you could help. Children who can help and are supervised are also welcome.



### Parents' Consultation Evenings

Foundation Stage: these evenings will be taking place during the week of 10th June. Please look out for details coming out on Monday 3rd June.

Year 1 to Year 5 Parents' Evenings: these will be taking place during the week beginning 24th June. Details will follow by Friday 14th June.

### Parents' Forum—Friday 14th June, 8.50 am

The next Parents' Forum will discuss transition and end of year profiles.

### Father's Day Sale—Friday 14th June

This will be held on the Friday prior to Father's day at 3.00 pm. There will be lots of reasonably priced items for the children to purchase a present for either their Dad, Grandfather or Uncle if they would like to. Prices will range from 50p to £2—small change appreciated.

## Special weeks in school after half-term

### Forest Schools Week — 10th—14th June

The children always enjoy working outside investigating science so this is a special week to look forward to after half-term. Please make sure that your child has a **waterproof coat** and **wellingtons** for this week—the forecast is still not very summer-like but we may be pleasantly surprised!

### Design and Technology Week

Look out for more information about this week that is also planned for the next half-term.

**School closes today for the summer half-term break and opens again on Monday 3rd June — we wish everyone a glimpse of that illusory summer sunshine and warmth!**