



Little Phoenix

The Newsletter of Yarm Pre-Prep


Mrs Speight's message ...

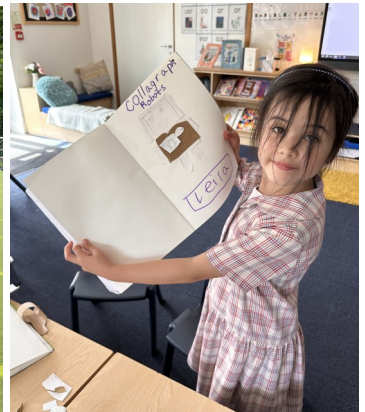
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21st June 2024

Our 'Singing Sensations' enjoyed performing songs from The Magic Flute with two opera singers and four musicians from the Royal Opera House and many other primary schools from the area. The children from this club were a credit to accompany, they sang and acted with great enthusiasm and the props which the children made at home were wonderful. As always, thank you for your support, it is very much appreciated. I was immensely proud of our contribution as our children were the youngest pupils at this event. Thanks to Mrs Lycett Findlay for inspiring our children, we may indeed have some future opera singers. The Nursery children were lucky to have the most wonderful sunny afternoon for their Sports Activities. It was a superb family event with a little healthy competition as the children were competing against their grown ups! I know the parents also enjoyed the opportunity to visit the Prep School again and experience our facilities. Excitement for all children has been mounting through the week and the Summer Fair has finally arrived! This morning saw a hive of activity as our oldest Year 6 pupils prepared their stalls ready for 2PM. I am astounded by their creativity and sense of fun. The YPSSC have also been instrumental with ensuring the resounding success of this event. Have a lovely, relaxing weekend with your family, warmest wishes

Jeanne Speight

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Woodland Adventure

The Year 2 children have been nature detectives. In science they identified blossom, leaves, berries, nuts and seeds. A lovely afternoon in the woods.



Nursery Sports Afternoon

What a fabulous afternoon for our Nursery Sports Day. All of the children had great fun on the Prep Astro taking part in a variety of activities. The most popular events were certainly the water run and the assault course. Thank you so much to all of our families for participating.



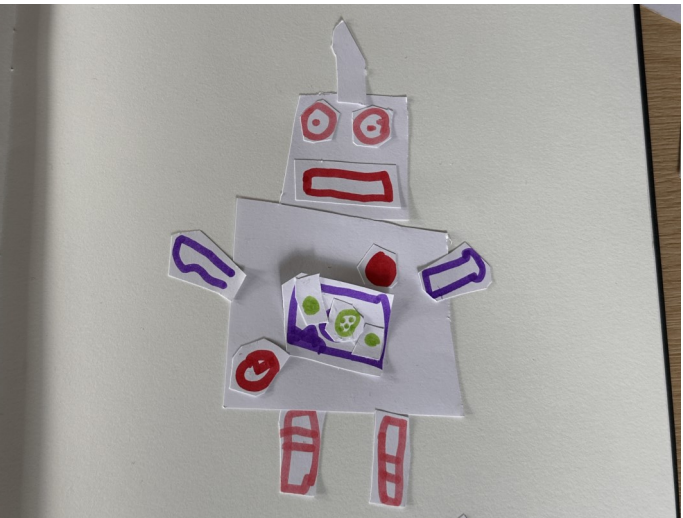
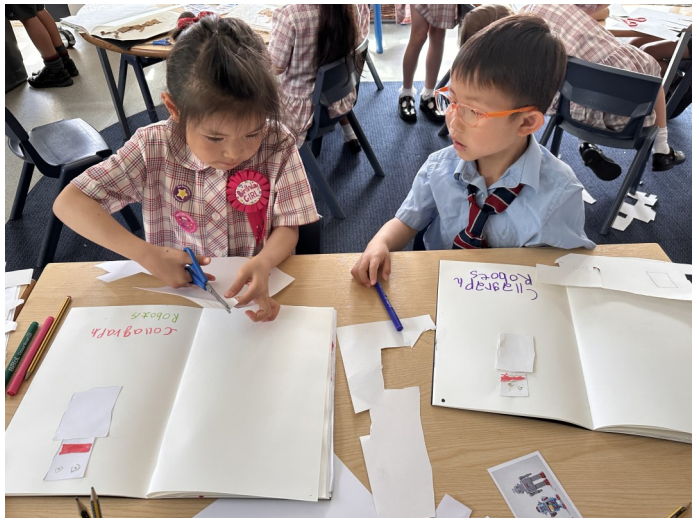
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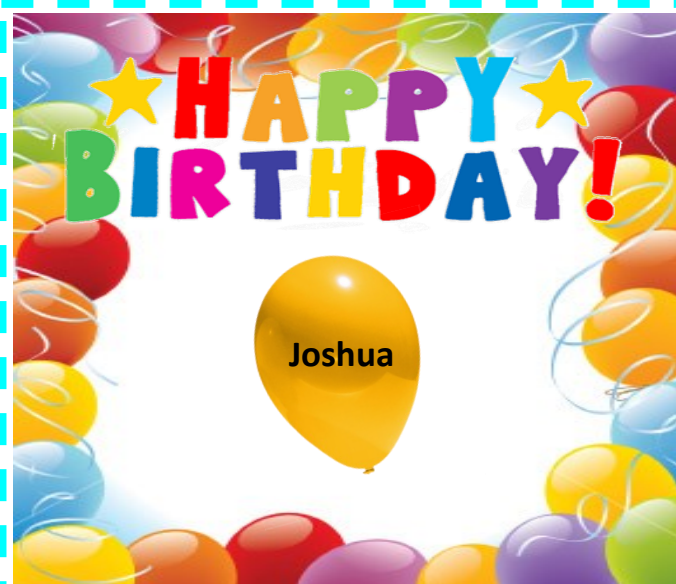
The Reception children have made the most of the sun! Water engineering, aerodynamics and picnics have all been part of the fun and learning.



Collagraph Robots

Our Year 1 resident artists have been creating collagraph robots. They cut out their robot shapes carefully and then stuck their design to paper. Once they had perfected their creations, it was time to make a robot rubbing using crayons.





Last 2 Weeks of Term—After School

Arrangements

Week Beginning 24th June - Clubs and After School Care on as usual (**No clubs on Tuesday 25th June**)

Monday 1st July

Nursery collection time - 3pm. After School care available

Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 remain at school until after Celebration Assembly

Tuesday 2nd July

Collection Times as follows:

Nursery - 3pm

Reception, Y1 and Y2 - 3.15pm

After School Care available

Wednesday 3rd July

Collection Times as follows:

Nursery - 3pm

Reception, Y1 and Y2 - 3.15pm

After School Care available

Thursday 4th July

All children in Pre-Prep and Nursery to be collected at **11.30am**. School closes for the Summer Holidays. **No After School Care**

YPSSC

PreLoved Uniform

Nursery, Pre Prep, Prep & Senior Uniform

PE and Games

See Listings on **Classlist** or
Email Us

YPSSC@Yarmschool.org

Donations of good condition, clean uniform and PE & Games items accepted all year. Kindly bag them and label them with 'YPSSC PreLoved Donations' and drop them at either Pre Prep, Prep or Senior School Reception.

Thank you!!

Reporting Absence

If your child is absent from school for any reason (including medical appointments) you must inform Mrs Banham in the school office. She can then inform the class teacher and ensure that the absence is recorded correctly.



Sports Morning—Wednesday 26th June

Reception—9—9.45am

Years 1 & 2—10—10.30am

Dates For Your Diary

24/6/24—Induction morning

24/6/24—Welcome to Reception Evening 7pm

25/6/24—Reception Musical Showcase
9.30am

25/6/24—Nursery Musical Showcase 10.30am

26/6/24—Pre-Prep Sports Morning

1/7/24—Pre-Prep end of year celebration

3/7/24—Nursery end of year celebration

4/7/24—School finishes at 12 noon (no after school care)

Money for Northing

Tuesday 16th July, 7.30pm

Money for Nothing was formed in 2000 as a tribute to one of the world's premier rock bands – Dire Straits.

The abundant energy and the excellence and musicality of their performance makes Money For Nothing a “must see” for any rock enthusiast or Dire Straits fan.

<https://www.thepaaonline.org/whats-on/mfnothing/>



The Manfreds—Hits and More '24

Friday 20th September, 7.30pm

Following the huge success of their 60th anniversary tour in 2023, The Manfreds will be returning to Yarm.

They are considered one of the finest and most respected bands from the 1960's era. Their numerous hits were not just 'pop' songs, many were R&B based with an undercurrent of jazz – a very unusual but winning combination of playing style and substance.

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Aled Jones—Full Circle

Friday 11th October, 7.30pm

Prepare to hear Aled Jones as you've never heard him before. He was the boy treble who captivated the world with his angelic voice. Selling over seven million albums, Aled was the original, classical crossover star. His recording of Walking in the Air, from the animated film The Snowman, firmly established him as a household name and he has become an integral part of the nation's festivities.

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