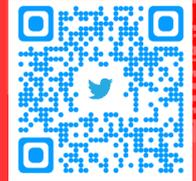




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Hello everyone,

Last week, the **Thornton Football Team** played two matches against Rosary and Lea Forest Academy in two tense games. They **won away matches 1-0 to go 10 games undefeated!** Yesterday, they played Featherstone and St Thomas Moore to go the whole season undefeated. We are incredibly proud of our amazing football team who have worked so hard to become the **Premier Division Champions** for 2023! We are also immensely grateful for the total



dedication and enthusiasm of our amazing Sport Coach, **Mr Bates**, and **Miss Devi** who always supports and encourages the team. Thornton now move forward to the league play-offs on Wednesday 21st June...

Today we had a fantastic **Coronation Celebration Day!** Please check out the school Twitter page (you can scan the QR code at the top of the page for fast access!) to see our royal visitors, celebration picnic and special activities to celebrate the **coronation of King Charles III and Queen Camilla** this weekend. We will share photos in next week's newsletter too. Please share with us any photos you have of your celebrations this weekend, we'd love to see them! Thank you.



We also want to share with you that **Ward End Wellbeing Centre** is holding a coffee morning with West Midlands Police on **Thursday 11th May 9-10am**.

They will be talking about policing and taking questions from you!

On behalf of our #thorntonfamily, I would like to **wish Year 6 children and staff lots of luck for their Key Stage 2 SATs tests** which will take place **every day next week**. They have worked so hard and are well prepared to go for it and 'sock it to them'! Don't forget, all year 6 pupils are invited to attend the Year 6 SATs Breakfast Club each morning next week from 8am

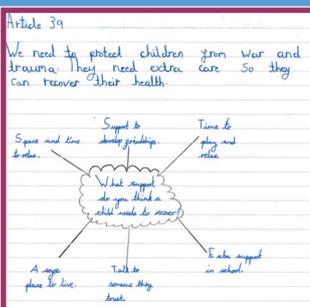
to calm the nerves and support one another to be ready for the day...

Please make sure you look at the important dates on the last page of the newsletter so you know what is happening in school, thank you.

And finally, don't forget that **school is closed to ALL children on Monday 8th May due the Coronation Bank Holiday**. School will open as normal on Tuesday 9th May.

Have a great long weekend everyone!

Cathy Grace, Headteacher



ARTICLE OF THE WEEK

Article 39 is to do with children who have experienced neglect, abuse, exploitation, torture or who are victims of war must receive special support to help them recover their health, dignity, self-respect and social life. This week's work around the article has been created by Aasiya and Muawiyah from 4MJ.



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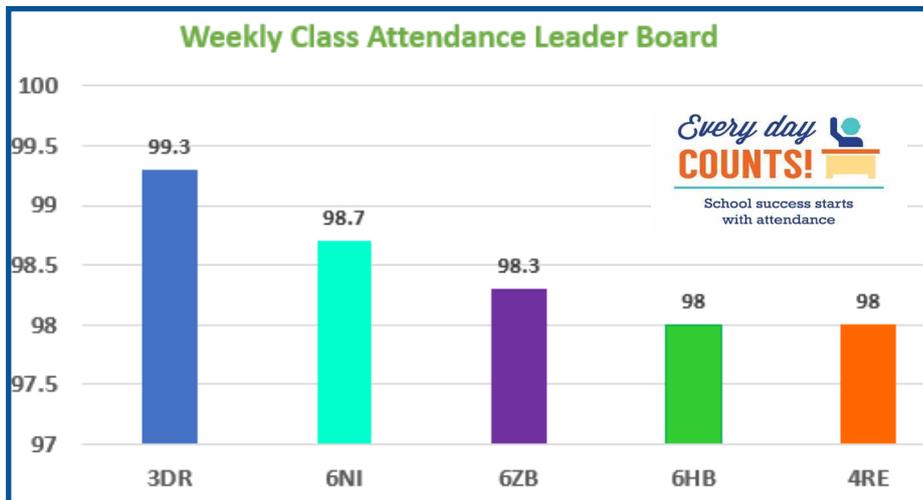
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School Attendance



Class Attendance

Well done to all the classes who achieved our school attendance target of 97% and above last week.



Our school attendance for last week was 95.6%

DATES TO REMEMBER

Bank holiday

Monday 8th May

Teacher Training Day

Monday 22nd May

Year 4 Lunt Roman

Fort Trip

Wednesday 17th May

4TW and 4RE

Friday 19th May

4MJ and 4ZY

Year 5 Twycross Zoo

Tuesday 23rd May



PE TIMETABLE

Tuesday 9th May

Year 5

Wednesday 10th May

Year 4

Thursday 11th May

Year 6 no PE SATs week

Friday 12th May

No Swimming



Fancy a brew?

We've got one with your name on it, so come to the school hall on **Tuesday 16th May at 9am** for a cuppa and a chat.

Mental Health Week is 15th - 21st May. We will be holding a parent coffee morning on **Tuesday 16th May at 9am**. The meeting will have a mental health focus and Mrs Biddle Rawbone and Miss Devi will signpost you to useful resources and websites.

You will also have the opportunity to suggest topics for future meetings. We look forward to welcoming you into school for this event.



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