

NORTHGATE NEWS!

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Happy Birthdays
Birthdays :

Thanks to all parents for supporting our Pyjamarama day. It was great to see all the children (and some of the staff!) coming to school in their pyjamas ready for special story times.

On the subject of reading, our Year 1 children and some of our Y2 children have been taking the national Phonics screening check this week. The results are looking brilliant with even more children on track to pass than last year. Reading is the key to much of what children learn in all subjects so it is important that they gain these early phonics skills.

Our Y4 children have also been busy taking the Multiplication Tables Check over the last fortnight. Knowing your times tables is another key skill that underpins lots of maths work. Regular practice is important for all children.

There will be some very tired Year 6 staff and children going home tonight after the Year 6 residential trip to Horstead. The weather has been perfect for all the outdoor activities they have been doing. Thank you to parents for your support with this. It's a great experience that children will remember for a long time. Thank you also to the staff who have accompanied them and made it possible.

Year 5 children enjoyed their visit to the Drill Hall last week to watch the BBC Concert Orchestra and the event was screened to the rest of the school. We all thought the music was fantastic.

Well done to our Year 4 Netball team who played in the Hi5 tournament with Martham and North Denes and thank you to the parents who came to watch.

We will have to have a number of Sports Days this year due to the condition of the school field. Please see dates below.

As Summer continues, there are lots of important and exciting events planned before we get to the end of the term. Many of these events are organised and partly funded by the PTA. Miss Sheldrake, Miss Pulham and Mrs Jarvis do a lot of good work for the PTA. They would love more parents to get involved. If you have some time to spare and would like to support the work of the PTA, please talk to the office staff.

Meanwhile, have a great weekend in the sunshine.

Important Dates



w/c 19/6/23

Sky Arts Week

Into University week Soyuz class

22/6/23—World Music Day

w/c 26/6/23—Into University Week—
Apollo class

27/6/23—Reception New Parents Evening
Sessions

28/6/23 Choir at the Grand Sing
(Norfolk Showground)

29/6/23 Year 1 Trip to the Sealife
Centre

30/6/2023 Year 3/4 Athletics Event

30/6/23 Year 5 trip to Norwich

4/7/23 Provisional Transition Day
(children in new classes)

6/7/23 School Summer Fayre

7/7/23 Reception & Nursery Sports Day
2pm-3pm

11/7/23 Year 1 Sports 2pm- 3pm

13/7/23 KS2 Sports Day at Barnard
Bridge Playing field 12:30—1:30 pm

14/7/23 Year 2 Sports Day 2pm-3pm

21/7/23 Last day of term

Our Vision

Our vision for the children at Northgate Primary School is for all children to **succeed** by challenging them to meet high expectations. We are committed to a **nurturing** and supportive environment for the whole community, stressing the importance of **inclusion and acceptance**.

Clubs (from 17th April)

Monday Year 1 & 2
Tuesday Year 3
Wednesday Year 4
Thursday Boy's Football for
Years 5 & 6
Friday Girls Football for
Years 4, 5 & 6

Reading Challenge (KS1)

Don't forget to keep reading and sharing books with your family.

Times Tables Rock Stars (KS2)

[Times Tables Rock Stars](https://www.ttrockstars.com)
([ttrockstars.com](https://www.ttrockstars.com))

Reminders

* *Please can parents stay off the playground as much as possible and use the correct gates.*

* *You must call the school office by 9.30am each day that your child is absent.*

* *School does not open until 8:30am and registration closes at 8:45am!*

* *Lates after 8:45am*

* *Unauthorised lates after 9:00 am*

School finishes at 3:15 pm

Yr R/1 Nursery Gates

Yr 2/3 Alley way gates

Yr 4,5,6 Green gates

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Well done to our Year 4 Netball Team