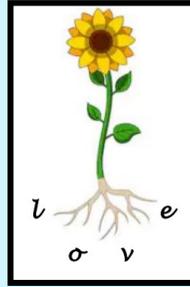


North Stainley C of E Primary School

Date: 16/06/2023



Our School Vision

We are our school we have our roots and foundations in love.

Our school is us we will grow, blossom and flourish.

An indulgent moment from a proud Head teacher... Whilst showing a visitor around school, one hot afternoon this week, I felt such incredible pride in our lovely industrious school. In Class One Miss Gregory was working away at assessments with a small group of children who despite the heat were fully engaged and enthused by the task in hand. Year 2 children were producing the most fantastic writing completely independently and all keen to share their work with myself and our visitor. Outside in the playground Year One and Reception children were taking advantage of the sunshine and learning practical science with buckets of water and sponges, they were painting water pictures and learning about evaporation. Moving upstairs we entered an unusually quiet Class 3 who were focused on producing some art and scenery for the upcoming production of Hamelin. They were so passionate about this that they insisted on downing tools to give us a rendition of one of the songs from the musical. Down to Class 2 who were writing about their recent visit to Bewerley Park, they were linking our school's Christian values to the many experiences they had during their visit and presenting them on sunflowers. I must say I was more than a little 'wowed' by all of this and really wanted to share it. (I am aware parents rarely get an insight into what goes on during the school day.)

On Monday of this week the children in Class 2 went for an over night visit to Bewerley Park. Needless to say everyone had a fantastic time, much more of this on page 2.

Those of us remaining in school were pleased to welcome Reverend Sian back following her 6 month sabbatical. Reverend Sian visits us every month to deliver Worship at St Mary's Church.

Diary Dates

- 19th June - JAM
- 20th June - Sports Day 1. Races begin at 1pm New Starter Taster Day
- 21st June - Class 3 Forest Schools
- 22nd June - Class 3 French trip briefing for children, Kirby Hill
- 23rd June Class 3 Quidditch on the Recreation ground
- 26th-29th June - Class 3 France
- 28th June - Class 1 Forest Schools
- 04th July - Y6 trip to Bewerley Park, New Starter Taster Day
- 05th July - Class 2 Forest Schools
- 06th July Class 3 Rounders Bishop Monkton
- 07th July - Y6 Children, Schools Leavers Service (Cathedral)
- 11th July - New Starter Taster Day
- 12th July - Class 3 Forest Schools
- 18th July - KS2 Production, New Starter Taster Day
- 21st July Leavers Service St Mary's

Purple Ribbons this week went to Edward, Endi, Ben, Thomas also Beauden, Rafferty, Edmee, Henry and Florence from Year One. Please see the class pages on our website for more details.



Congratulations to Annie Horner who was awarded the White Ribbon this week.

Details of why this was awarded is on our website news page.



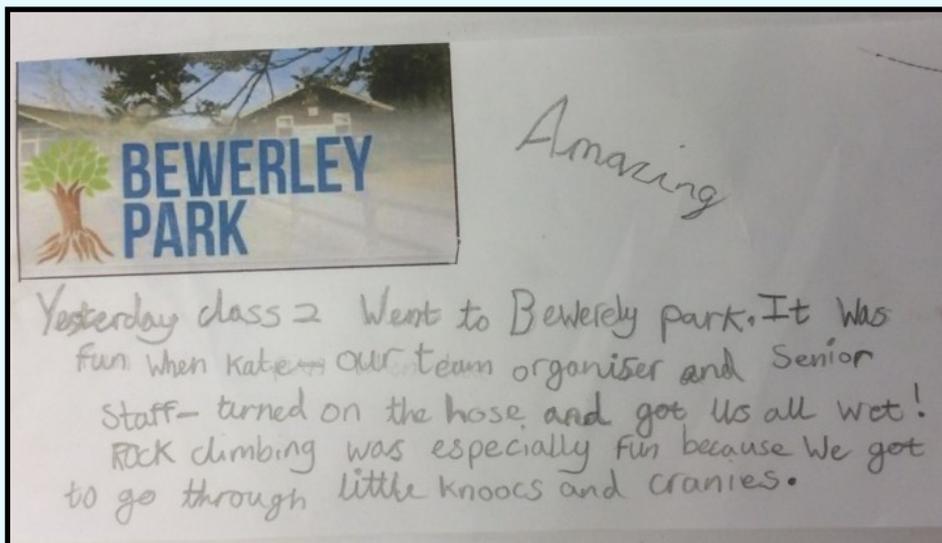


CLASS 2 AT BEWERLEY PARK

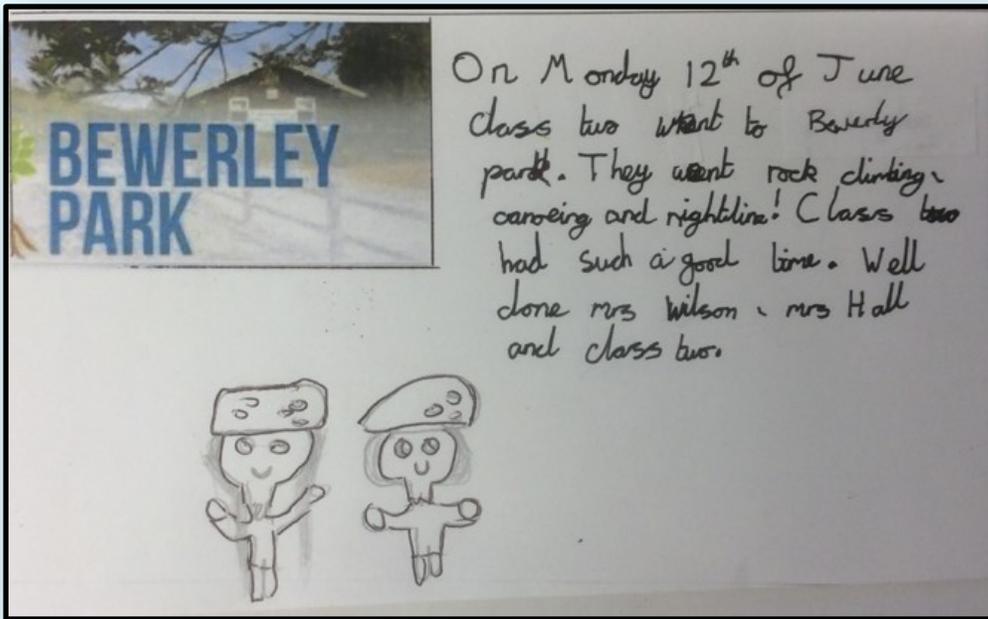
As promised, this week's Year 3 and 4's overnight residential at Bewerley Park.

A HUGE THANK YOU! to Ms Wilson and Miss Hall who gave up their time to organise and accompany the children on this adventure. It really couldn't have happened without them.

Thank you also to Sarah Jameson, Lindsay Potter and Emma Robinson who kindly helped with transporting the children up to the park. And another huge thank you to Jen Dunford (Ms Wilsons husband) who stepped up when we realised we had organised the transportation of the children but had not accounted for all of their luggage! 'Jen, thank you' we literally couldn't have managed without your help.



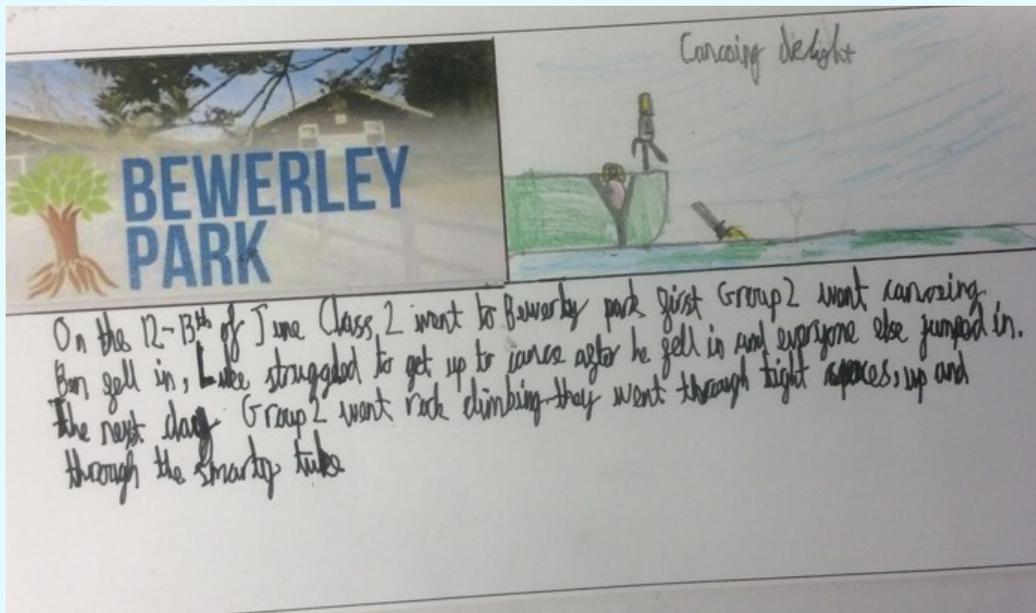
Snippets from the children's writing.



Learning how sedimentary rock is formed at Brimham Rocks.

Then learning how to navigate the rocks and complete many challenges.





Canoeing was another skill that the children learned. From paddling to rafting and a lot of splashing and falling in.



Road Safety

After a terrible accident at one of our local cluster schools this week, I would like to draw your attention once again to ensuring the safety of our children in relation to the A6108 (the road running outside of the school). As has also been pointed out by members of our local community, it is imperative we park responsibly in order that there is full visibility in all directions.

Therefore please can I remind everyone from the highway code rule 243

DO NOT stop or park:

opposite or within 10 metres (32 feet) of a junction, except in an authorised parking space

We thank you for your consideration and adherence to the rules where road safety is concerned.



20's Plenty for Us

...making your place a better place to be

Coincidentally, I have received an email from the Parish Council this week asking for the schools support in signing up to the 20's Plenty Campaign. Should you want further information about this please follow the link below.

<https://www.whitbycommunitynetwork.org/20s-plenty-for-north-yorkshire-speed-review/>