

# North Stainley C of E Primary School



Date: 30/06/2

## 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.

## Vacances Françaises

Class 3 have returned safely from their 4 day excursion to Le Touquet. What a fantastic experience for all of the children! Miss Hall and Mrs Wallen were lucky enough to accompany the children and had an equally fabulous experience. The French visit has been a long running tradition in the school but this is our first trip since the pandemic. Madame Heap who organises the tour does a marvellous job, with a brilliant knowledge of the area of Hauts-de-France.

We had a three night stay in the seaside town of Le Touquet otherwise known as 'The Beach of Paris'. This educational visit also included children from Bishop Monkton and Kirby Hill schools.

Day one included a trip to Les Escargots Du Bocage, a snail farm where the children learned all about this traditional food. They were able to handle the snails and taste test the produce, they also practised and learned a number related words and phrases. From here the children went to visit a goat farm, feeding and milking goats, making and tasting goats cheese.

Day 2 began with an active morning on the high-ropes followed by an unplanned and moving visit to a World War One Cemetery. We went onto a Boulangerie where we were able to learn how to make croissant, under the instruction of a quite terrifying baker called Bruno, he soon had the measure of the children and got them speaking French fluently with the aid of a rolling pin!! Yes and you guessed it, we then ate lots of fresh croissant.

On day 3 we visited a traditional French market in Le Touquet and stopped off at a Hypermarche on our return journey to the Euro-Star. The children showed great delight in looking at all of the French produce and making numerous purchases. We then set off for home. Please see the picture galleries on the following pages.

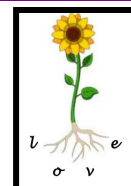
Please remember that Monday is a 5 Ways to Wellbeing Day. We will be completing the local circular walk in the morning, parents or Grandparents are welcome to join us. We will be leaving school between 9.15-9.30am. The afternoon will include other wellbeing activities in school. Please see the news page on our website of further information.

## Diary Dates

- 03rd July 5 Ways to Wellbeing day
- 04th July - Y6 trip to Bewerley Park
- 04th July - New Starter Taster Afternoon
- 05th July - Class 2 Forest Schools
- 05th July - Outwood Open Day Y6 (all day)
- 06th July - Class 3 Rounders Bishop Monkton (afternoon)
- 07th July - Y6 Children, Schools Leavers Service (Cathedral) 10:15am
- 10th July Wellbeing Warriors final meeting on teams meeting. (afternoon)
- 11th July - New Starter Taster Afternoon
- 11th July - Dog Trust Visit School
- 12th July - Class 3 Forest Schools
- 14th July - School Fayre 3.30pm
- 18th July - KS2 Production, Village

Purple Ribbons this week went to Finley, Rafferty, Tilly, Benjamin, Beatrice, Esme G, Archie and William G.

Please see the class pages on our website for more details.



*An Early Start from Bishop Monkton.*



*Stretching our legs after a long journey. Hunting for the biggest pine cone.*





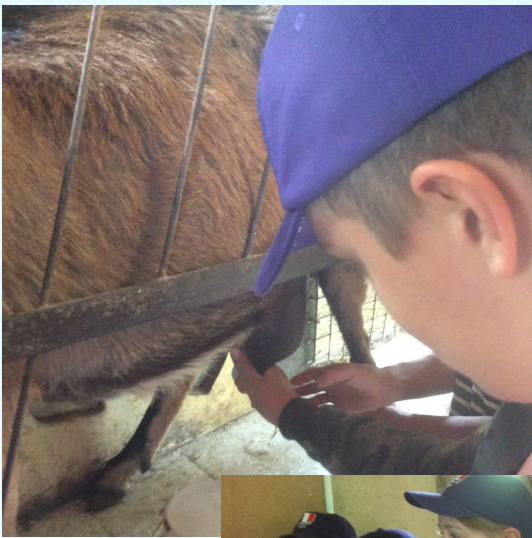
A morning at the snail farm where we learnt a number of facts about the farming of snails. We were then introduced to the snails themselves.

We ended our visit eating pastry shell with escargot in garlic butter. Yummy!!





At the Goat farm we were introduced to cheese making and we had a go at making our own pots of cheese. We were then introduced to the kids, we all took turns to try and milk a goat. After this we made some dough shaping it into goat bread. Finally we tasted the produce. We were not all sure about goat's cheese!!



*From bean to box. A great way to end our first full day in France.*





High Ropes and then on to the  
Boulangerie.



*And to the beach!*

