



I hope you all had a lovely sunny weekend and managed to get outside and enjoy the summer weather! Here at school we have a busy final week of term ahead of us before we break up at 3.30pm on Friday. Despite the lifting of national sanctions we have been instructed by NYCC to continue with our existing measures for the last week of term.



Howstean Gorge Our wonderful Year 4s had a brilliant day at Howstean Gorge last Thursday; they took part in some really amazing activities - abseiling into the gorge, swimming in the river and then caving; it was a real pleasure to be with them for the day!

Year 6 Leaver's Assembly Parents of our Year 6 children are invited to attend this assembly which will be at **11.45am** on Wednesday morning. This assembly will be held outside and parents will be asked to sit in specific places and will still need to wear face masks.

21st July - Y6
Leavers assembly at
11.45am

22nd July - Y6
Leavers Picnic at
4-6pm)

**23rd July - Break
up**

**6th Sept - Staff CPD
Day**

7th Sep - Children

Summer Fair We will still be going ahead with a summer fair but this is now greatly reduced and will be on Wednesday afternoon from 1.30pm until 3.30pm. Parents are sadly not allowed to attend I'm afraid. Thank you to the PTFA for their continued efforts at trying to make this event a real success.

Hello and Goodbye This year has inspired changes in direction for many people and here at school we will be saying goodbye to some dear colleagues. Amy Harrison will be leaving us to begin her teacher training course and we wish her all the very best for a very bright future. Amy has been a real asset to our school and has worked tirelessly supporting the children in Class 3. We wish you all the very best! Amy Hutchinson is also leaving us this year after working for many years in Early Years settings. Amy has played an integral role in the development of the Early Years Unit here at Summerbridge and we will be sorry to see her go but wish her well for whatever the future holds. Sheena Wyss has also had a change of direction as she has decided to relinquish her TA role but fortunately will continue to provide cleaning and caretaking for us. Many thanks to **all of you** for what you have done for our children. This means of course that we will be seeing some new faces in September. Vicky Pigg has been appointed as the new Deputy Manager of the Pre-school and Lois Murdoch and Chloe Thackray have been appointed as new Teaching Assistants. Talking of new faces, our best wishes go to Mr and Mrs Corner who are expecting their first child during the summer holidays - we wish you the very best for a very exciting summer!

And finally...thank you so much for your support this year. I know that it has been difficult for all of us and really hope that life starts to improve as we head towards the Autumn. In the meantime have a really brilliant summer holiday!

