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3.5.2023 Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope that you all had a good Easter break - this half term seems to be flying by at an alarming speed!

Next week the Y6s will be taking their SATS. They have all worked incredibly hard, alongside their teachers and teaching assistants, and they deserve to be very proud of the progress that they have made. The Year 2s have their 'showing off' tests the week after and I know that they have been working extremely hard as well. The Y1s and Y4s have their phonics and multiplication screening checks next half term.

One of our KS1 children, Pablo, will be walking 1 mile a day in May to fundraise for the Candlelighters Trust. He is doing this with his brother Thomas who is currently being supported by this charity. If you would like to support the boys please follow this link

https://www.justgiving.com/page/victoria-rimmington-1682952884331?utm source=copyLink&utm medium=one page&utm content=page/victoriarimmington-1682952884331&utm campaign=pfpshare&utm term=61260a528aac4074b9484c7e073d9107

It makes me very happy that the 'Star Wars Marathon' is now an established fixture in our school calendar. It is wonderful to see the children challenging themselves - for some that challenge is to run/walk a mile and for others it is to get more than three miles done in their half hour time slot. The way in which they support each other, as well as the adults who are running with them, is a pleasure to witness, not to mention the large amount of money that they always manage to raise. This year our medals have been added to by a very generous local running company who one of our ex parents does quite a lot of his running with. So thank you to Darren Priddin and See York Run York (SYRY). I have put a link here https://www.seeyorkrunyork.co.uk/events in case you are interested in joining a SYRY event their runs really are for everyone and I thoroughly recommend giving them a go - you even get cake along with your medal when you have finished! Thanks as well to Erika Deverall and the school council for all of the organising and hard work that goes on behind the scenes to make this day such a success.

Take care yourselves and each other!

Tina Clarke

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