



Newsletter

Jan-Feb 2018

UPCOMING EVENTS IN SCHOOL FEBRUARY

5TH-9TH FEBRUARY
SAFER INTERNET
WEEK

CHINESE NEW YEAR
16TH—22ND
FEBRUARY

FAIRTRADE WEEK
26TH—30TH
FEBRUARY

HALF TERM

SCHOOL CLOSES

3:00pm ON

FRIDAY 9TH FEBRUARY

SCHOOL REOPENS

MONDAY 19TH FEBRU-
ARY

9:00am

LITTLE REMINDER ABSENCES

*If your child is
unwell and will be
absent from school
PLEASE notify the
office as soon as
possible.*

01723 373260

**Someone is
usually available
from 8:00am**

LATEST NEWS

STAFFING CHANGES

As you may be aware there have been some changes to staffing within the Senior Leadership Team. There is more information about these changes over the page.

CHRISTMAS 2017



Christmas was a busy time for all of us here at The Academy. The pupils made some fabulous decorations and crafts to sell at the Christmas Fair and worked well helping on the stalls at the Fair.

Our Catering Students also worked hard baking some delicious treats for the day, and provided excellent customer service on the Tea/Coffee and Food Stalls.



Thank you to all who donated, attended and participated in the competitions. (winners below)

Name The Teddy—Mrs Davies
Weight of the Cake—900g won
by Kay Ford.

Christmas Quiz— won by Kirsty Richardson and Jo.

**WE RAISED A GRAND TOTAL OF
£472.72**



Santa came to visit The Academy in our Grotto and all of the children received a small gift.

The children attended pantomimes. Some attended Jack and the Beanstalk at The Spa, while some saw A Christmas Carol at The Stephen Joseph Theatre.

Website

Check out our
website

Enrichment pages
have gone live on the
Academy website -

<http://woodlands.n-yorks.sch.uk/learning/enrichmentactivities>

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SAFER INTERNET WEEK

We are running Safer
Internet Week from
5th Feb- 9th Feb

There is useful infor-
mation on the Acade-
my website in the
Parents area and at
www.saferinternet.org.uk

Reminder

*Further information about
the NYCC Home to School
Transport Consultation
which is taking place
8/1/18—2/4/18 can be
found at
[www.northyorks.gov.uk/
home-school-transport-
including-children-and-
young- people-send](http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/home-school-transport-including-children-and-young-people-send)*

New Acting Headteacher

We would like to welcome Miss Amanda Caton into her new role as Acting Headteacher of The Woodlands Academy.



We wish her all the best in this position as she continues to move the Academy forward.



thankyou

We would like to say a HUGE THANK YOU to Mrs Annette Fearn for all her hard work and dedication over the last 11 years as The Academy Headteacher, and has been with Woodlands since 1996.

She is still with us in her new position of Senior Lead for Strategy and Development and we wish her all the very best in this new role.

An Introduction from our New Assistant Head—Jo Hampshire

I've been teaching for nearly 22 years and have taught in lots of different settings and all over the county. I am trained as a maths teacher, but in recent years I have specialised in Special Educational Needs, so am very excited about joining The Woodlands Academy.



I go to the gym a couple of times a week, but my favourite hobby is tap dancing! I'm not very good, and you won't ever see me on a stage, but I do love it. At home, I have two rescue cats, Walter and Wilfred, and I'm a little bit cat mad. One of my favourite places to visit is the Kitty Café in Leeds. I also like to bake when I have the time—although I do give most of my baking away because otherwise I'd just live on cake!

I have really enjoyed my first few weeks in my new role at Woodlands; everybody I've met has been so welcoming. I'm very much looking forward to getting to know you all and being part of the Woodlands community.

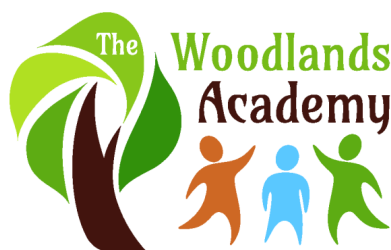
FUNDRAISING AND DONATIONS

We have received wonderful support from the local community, with the following - Scarborough Borough Council—Donation of Weedproof Sheeting for our gardening project

Newby Farm Carol Singers raised an amazing £235.45

Irton Moor Charities have donated £400.00

PLEASE NOTIFY THE SCHOOL OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE OF ANY CHANGES TO YOUR PHONE NUMBER SO WE CAN KEEP OUR RECORDS UP TO DATE



REMINDER
NEW YOUTH VOICE GROUP
TUESDAY 20TH FEB
TUESDAY 13TH MARCH
THE YOUTH ROOM, THE STREET, SCARBOROUGH