



Lauderdale Drive  
Guisborough  
North Yorkshire  
TS14 7BS

(01287) 635332  
schooladmin@belmontprimary.co.uk  
[www.belmont-primary.org.uk](http://www.belmont-primary.org.uk)

Headteacher: Mr. C. Gibson

15<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Dear Parents / Carers,

We have certainly already hit 'full speed' in just the second week in with various activities already well and truly underway!

#### Curriculum Information Meetings

Many thanks to those who were able to attend these meetings which were intended to be a brief overview of the year ahead. The information has now been sent out and we will also be publishing this on the school website in due course. As always, if you do have any questions or queries, please do get in touch. It is more helpful for us if any concerns are not raised 'at the door' first thing in the morning unless, of course, it is something which requires immediate attention.

#### Year Four

A field trip up into Guisborough woods was undertaken by our Year Four children to support their geography unit of work on 'Hills, Mountains and Volcanoes'. Wherever possible, we try to provide some form of first-hand experience in all units of work covered in the different subject areas to help place thoughts and ideas into some form of context. Of course, this is not always possible but we will certainly exploit any opportunities which we can! The weather stayed pleasant and the children certainly enjoyed the trip out (in an educationally enriched kind of way!).

#### Mobile Phones

Could I please remind you that we do not allow the use of mobile phones on site as indicated by the signs we have. If you need to take a call or respond to a message we would ask that you leave the site to do so. Many thanks.

#### That Long Run!

Many thanks to all those who donated sponsorship and have offered words of support and encouragement leading up to and following the Great North Run. I did manage to get across the finishing line in two hours and fourteen minutes which, apparently, put me 17960<sup>th</sup> place out of, I believe, 60,000!. Not any kind of world record but I'll take it! If anybody wishes to donate to the Great North Air Ambulance, the link to the fundraising page is:

<https://greatnorthrun2023.enthuse.com/pf/chris-gibson-844f2>

I am also aware of some of our parents / carers who also participated and, indeed, one of our children in Year Three who took part in the children's version. **Great work, Evan!!!** I think this has pushed me to recommence running club and I will share details of this once I get things organised.

#### And Finally...

It would appear, unfortunately, that the late Summer bubble has burst but hopefully this will not disrupt your weekend too much. I hope you all have a good one.

Yours Sincerely,

Mr C Gibson