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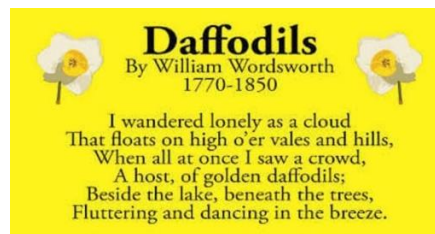


Dear Parents/Carers,

What a week of wet weather it has been! Hopefully, we are set for some drier weather this weekend.

In school, the children continue to impress me in so many ways. Taylor in Reception wowed me this week with his super knowledge of his phonemes and space telling me that Saturn is the sixth planet from the Sun and has seven rings!

Project Daffodil



Message from Mrs Mabbutt and Mrs Lee:

'You will have noticed the smart new banking that was put in on the junior playground to replace the old crumbling wall. The children are playing their part in staying off the area whilst the grass seeds grow but we also thought it was a great opportunity for our children to grow a 'sea of golden daffodils' for Spring. If you would like to help with this project, please send your children in with a bag of daffodil bulbs. We would welcome any variety at all! Tesco are currently doing a super deal on nets of 30 bulbs. All bulbs to be sent to the office and children will be invited to help plant 'project daffodil'.'

Football

This week, the girls' team continued to demonstrate their excellent attitude and love of the game by giving their all in the driving rain. Well done girls! The boys' football team played the latest round of their tournament yesterday making it all the way to the semi-finals thanks to a great team effort and a winning goal by Oscar in the 1-0 victory over Finlay Road. Unfortunately, the penalty shoot-out did not go our way in the final game, but we are incredibly proud of the team who gave it everything and played with pride and passion. All of their results over the last few weeks, mean that Castle Hill Boys' football team placed 4th in the county overall. What a fantastic achievement!

Big Write

Next week's Big Write title will be based on a picture stimulus:



This picture is called '**Best Friends**'.

Some questions to think about:

Why is this picture called Best Friends?

Who lives in the house?

How did they become friends?

What is friendship? What makes a good friend?

Key dates for next week

Friday 4th October - Y2/3 9am - reading information meeting for Y2 and Y3 parents. Please drop your children at their classrooms then make your way round to the office. This meeting will be in the hall and will be led by Mr. Bowers and Mrs. Jones.

Key upcoming dates

Thursday 10th October 9am - Y6 parents are invited to our **Harvest Festival Celebration**. This will last approximately 45 minutes to an hour. We would love for you to join us if you can.

Thank you

A huge thank you to parents for working with us and reinforcing our high expectations of behaviour in the playground at the beginning and end of the school day.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs. Ettrick