

Newsletter 3 – Friday 20th September 2024

Selston High open evening for Years 5 and 6...

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The poster for Selston High School's Year 5/6 Open Evening features the school's crest and motto: "Ambition Teamwork Honesty Respect". The text on the poster reads: "Yr 5/6 Open Evening", "See the facilities and meet the staff at your local **GOOD** school", "Thursday 3rd October 2024", "6:00 - 8:00pm starting in the main school hall", "Register at <https://forms.office.com/e/MkJXkdy89m> or via our website for more info", and "Chapel Road, Selston, Nottingham NG16 6BW Headteacher: Mr David Broomhead". To the right of the poster are three photographs: the top one shows a group of staff and students in a hall; the middle one shows a teacher pointing at a large graph on a screen; the bottom one shows a student performing a handstand on a trampoline in a gym.

A quiet but lovely week this week...

Key Stage 1 – Papplewick trip

Our Key Stage 1 children have started the year in style with an amazing trip to Papplewick pumping station. The children stepped back in time to learn all about life during Victorian times and the invention of the pumping machine to create drinkable water for the people of Nottingham. It was an absolutely fabulous day from start to finish with characters in role from the moment the children arrived, until they waved them off as they left. The staff said that the children were absolutely amazing throughout and that one person after another at the pumping station commented on how wonderfully behaved and engaged they were throughout. A huge thank you to Mrs Hutchinson for organising this trip and to all of the staff who have helped. Taking KS1 out of school is a mammoth task because of ratios but the whole school always pull together to release staff wherever possible to ensure that trips can happen.

Just wanted to say a huge thank you also to parents for supporting this trip, and all of our other trips, as well. We love organising visits and workshops to enhance the curriculum and really value being able to offer the children a range of different experiences. But buses are absolutely extortionate and although we try to subsidise as much as we can, we would never be able to offer so many opportunities if you didn't value them and support us with them too. We really are grateful that you do and appreciate how hard you all work and save to ensure the children get to take part in everything. You are the best!

The week ahead...

- Tuesday 24th and Wednesday 25th September – MAD museum and Stratford trip for Years 5 and 6

Have a lovely weekend and thank you for your continued support,

Mrs. Leanne Steed

Headteacher

