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School Visit

kenneth pollard [kpollard2008@hotmail.co.uk]

Sent: 14 February 2013 14:01

To: ACH Confed Headteacher

Dear Mrs Wood,

Just a quick word to thank you for the warmth and hospitality you and your colleagues gave me when I visited your school on 13th Feb to check on the progress of the 2 students you are supporting on teaching placement. Clearly, they have made good progress and this is in no small measure to the contribution of you and your team and the positive learning habits developed in the children. I would be grateful if you could pass my thanks onto them.

A pleasure to visit such a successful and dynamic school and I wish you all the best and look forward to visiting you in the future.

Many thanks

Ken Pollard B.Ed (Hons) M.Ed
Link Tutor/Lecturer
Leeds Metropolitan University

26th May

Dear Mrs Middleton

Thank you very much for a very enjoyable lunch on Wednesday. The children we sat with were excellent at looking after us. The roast beef was delicious & we loved the blueberry cake ~~was~~

Best Wishes

Richard & Mary Harrison
(Serra's grandparents)

2.7.13

The farmer at Thornton Hall farm commented on how nice the children were, how they behaved well and listened.

5.7.13

Harry Hinchcliffe commended the school for sitting quietly and listening in the accordion presentation. He said that they were a "credit to the school."

JULIAN SMITH MP

Skipton & Ripon



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Our ref: SR6950

13 June 2013

To the Staff and Year Six Pupils of Horton-in-Ribblesdale C E Primary School

I very much enjoyed meeting you all during your trip to London and Westminster on 23 May 2013 and I hope the rest of your visit was a success. It was a fantastic opportunity to talk to you and I am delighted that we were able to discuss issues that, as young people in my constituency, you feel are important.

Four such topics that were raised were;

- Animal welfare
- Potholes in rural locations
- The cost of school transport in rural areas when a pupil attends a school further than their closest
- Myxomatosis amongst rabbits.

Concerning the issues raised about animal welfare I would say that, as your MP, I am unable to interfere directly in specific cases. However, if you feel that you can provide evidence of animal maltreatment you can visit; <http://www.rspca.org.uk/home> or contact their cruelty line; 0300 1234 999.

With the Tour de France in Yorkshire approaching, a key constituency matter is the standard of road surfaces. In the Autumn Budget, the Chancellor announced a £333 million investment in essential maintenance to roads in England with £215 million to be allocated to local highway roads. It is then at the discretion of local authorities to decide how this money should be spent. If you have any specific roads you wish to be brought to the attention of local authorities then I would welcome specific details from you which would allow me to make representations on your behalf.

I understand your concern for rabbits in rural locations and the problem of myxomatosis. While this is a problem which is difficult to contain as wild rabbits cannot be vaccinated, I would suggest that if you have domestic rabbits to look into taking preventative measures of inoculating them against the disease.

Lastly, with regard to the cost of school transport in rural areas, I would acknowledge that this is something that must be addressed as, often, families are unable to meet the high costs of school transport if their child does not attend their nearest school. Currently, however, there are no



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To all staff members at Horton school

Dear everyone

At the recent PCC meeting we were very impressed to hear of the dedication of all of you on the staff to the success and promotion of Horton school.

Your devotion to the well being and care of the children is plain to see and we are very proud of the outstanding record of teaching and professional standards that the school has achieved.

The PCC extends its sincere thanks to you all.

With best wishes

Margaret

Margaret M Barker
PCC secretary
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What an Excellent afternoon!
The children were interested
and motivated.
Its been a pleasure to work with them.

Many thanks.

Peter Bell
(Lowerdown Pete)
NCC Energy team.

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28 March 2013

Mrs G Woods
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Dear Gill

Good practice visit to confederation schools

Thank you so much for the time and thought you put into schools yesterday. I thoroughly enjoyed the day and I know I got a great deal from seeing others working in very similar ways. Please pass on our thanks to your colleagues who took time to show us some of your approaches and strategies.

It was particularly useful for Chris and Emma to have a chance to teach one class with extensive differentiation, as well as mixed-age teaching. I think they also found it useful to be able to tackle similar issues to them.

I have enclosed some of the material we talked about, as well as a list of questions towards our hospitality. If it is OK I would like to feel able to contact you at any point if I want to ask for some advice on small schools, etc.

Very best wishes, and good luck both in the forthcoming year and in your preparations for a possible inspection.

Best regards



John Peckham HMI

26.9.13

A very enjoyable lunch. Cathie

Good Food Good company Ann-B
Very good. Enjoyed the company of children,
Good food + company Granny Anne.

.. .. . Monica
Very enjoyable, good food + entertainment. Liz.

TO ALL AT
HORTON School
JUST TO SAY
IT MADE MY DAY
WELL DONE
FROM
SARAH DYALL

BUT IT'S A
BIG
THANK
YOU!





17 December 2013

Dear Mrs Woods,

I just wanted to thank you for your hospitality when I visited Austwick Primary School recently.

It was very good to meet you, your staff and a number of the children and governors from your three schools. The children's concert was a delight and it is amazing to see what they have achieved after a relatively small number of rehearsals together. Thank you also for providing us with such a lovely lunch.

I also welcomed the opportunity to discuss with you and Ian, how the Confederation of the three schools works in practice. It is clear that there are significant advantages in working together in this way, and it has given me much food for thought.

Please could you pass on my warmest thanks to all who were involved in the preparations for this visit?

I wish you and all your staff and the children a very happy Christmas and a good break.

With every blessing

Gill Woods

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12th February 2014

Dear Mrs Edwards & others,

Thank you so much for offering to help out with the search and return of my husband's glove!

Also a big thank you to the boy who spotted it from the bus stop.

The money is for the guinea pig, as arranged/suggested. I do hope it will be back to its frisky self soon!

As a retired teacher, I thought what lucky children and teachers you are, as I walked passed your lovely

School. with many thanks
Rosalind Davies.



RE: PYG Wednesday!

Yorkshire Dales Guides <info@yorkshiredalesguides.co.uk>

Tue 23/09/2014 12:53

To: Jane Edwards <jane.edwards@horton-in-ribblesdale.n-yorks.sch.uk>;

Hi Jane

I have forwarded your email to Rae and Steve. We all really enjoyed the day and the weather was just about right. It was almost too hot the following day! The young people were a credit to their schools and always did as they were asked and not a moan was heard all day. Some great characters in there too. I actually qualified as a middle school science teacher many, many moons ago but ended up going into the youth and community services side. Being with your young people reminded me about what a great age they are to teach. Still inquisitive and wanting to learn but I am sure still a handful to teach at times.

Do you have a picture we could use on our web site, Twitter, Facebook? Neither Dave or myself took any pictures as we know how sensitive it can be with permissions from parents. If there are none suitable that is fine.

Hope to meet up again sometime.

Best wishes

Pam

From: Jane Edwards [mailto:jane.edwards@horton-in-ribblesdale.n-yorks.sch.uk]

Sent: 18 September 2014 17:28

To: Steve Hastie; Yorkshire Dales Guides

Subject: PYG Wednesday!

Thank you to everyone for enabling yesterday's walk to happen! We all had a brilliant time, which will be remembered for a long time to come. It was also a real tonic for the staff who took part to focus on what is really important! If you have any good photos I would love to see them/ add them to our display.

If you are ever passing our school, please drop in and say hello.

Please pass this on to all the volunteers.

Best wishes,
Jane Edwards

From: Oasis Settle <Settle@oasis-healthcare.com>

Sent: 16 April 2015 11:23

To: Horton Admin

Subject: Oral Health Visitors

Good Morning Mrs Bentley

I do hope that the children have enjoyed Gemma and Jeni's visit today. I know my nurses have thoroughly enjoyed their time with you and tell me that the children were confident and engaging. They also tell me that it was a wonderful environment with a happy atmosphere and that you were most welcoming. I would appreciate it if you could take a moment of your time and give me some feedback.

If you require any further visits from our Oral Health Educators, please let me know.

Kindest regards

Susie Johnson

Susie Johnson, Practice Manager
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