



# HOYLANDSWAINE PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Newsletter

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#### **SPECIAL MENTIONS**

Class one: Jack & Rebecca Class two: Jacob & Eddie Class three: Poppy & William Class four: Felicity & Tehya Class five: Mia & Robyn

#### **ALLERGY INFORMATION**

Please can we ask parents not to send any items containing nuts or kiwi into school due to children's allergies? Thank you

# **GOVERNING BODY OPPORTUNITY**

The governors would like to invite applications of interest from any member of the community, parent or otherwise, to join them as a school governor. We are looking for a local person with time to spend working with the school. Any knowledge, connections or interest to property management would be advantageous but are not essential. Please apply in writing to <a href="mailto:local@hswp.co.uk">local@hswp.co.uk</a> expressing an interest in the role. The closing date is 5<sup>th</sup> October.

#### **HARVEST SERVICE**

On Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> October the children will be attending a Harvest Service at the church with Reverend Browell. We would like to ask parents to send their children with donations of food which will go to the food bank. Please do not send fresh food; cans and packet goods would be ideal. Thank you

# **READ, WRITE INC MEETING**

Thank you to all the parents who came to the RWi Phonics workshop this week held by the staff in class one. We hope you found it useful in supporting your children's reading and writing development at home.

#### **MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING**

Thank you to everyone who attended our Macmillan coffee morning this week as well as for all your kind donations. It was wonderful to see so many people in school coming together for a good cause. We raised £328 for Macmillan which is a great total!

# **PENISTONE GRAMMAR SCHOOL**

The school have asked us to inform all parents that they will be holding an Open Evening on 17<sup>th</sup> October from 6pm and all parents of prospective pupils are welcome.

#### JRSO COMPETITION

Our new Junior Road Safety Officers (Alfie, Martha, Emily and Mia) are holding a competition focussing on Be Bright, Be Seen once again to replace the posters we have had up for the last couple of years. The posters will encourage children and families to ensure that, as the dark nights close in, they consider their clothing when out and about to ensure safety around the roads. The closing date is Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October. The posters need to be bright and colourful and prizes for both infants and juniors will be awarded!

# **OPEN MORNING**

Please remember to let anyone who is interested know about our Open Morning next Friday between 9.15am and 11.15am. All welcome!

# **AMAZON WISHLIST**

After suggestions from a couple of parents, we have set up an Amazon Wishlist. This is a list of items that we would be very grateful to receive as donations, Christmas gifts etc which would all improve our resources for the children to use. Please take a look at: <a href="https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1U1D0LF8HGBAL">https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1U1D0LF8HGBAL</a>

#### SUPPORT FOR THE SCHOOL

We have benefited from recent support through FOHS with donations. Thank you to Mr and Mrs Sanderson and CD Autos Penistone and also to Zoe Blair (co-chair of governors) for £150 she raised on her recent sponsored walk! The money will be spent on resources for the children.

# **OWLS REQUEST**

If anyone is thinking of clearing out, Owls club are looking for a car garage and some dolls (Barbie type etc) and would be grateful for any donations. We would also be grateful for any donations of jigsaw puzzles in the main school if you have spare ones at home. Thank you

# **SCHOOL LOTTERY**

This week's winner was Natalie Stroud! Congratulations to her. Thank you also to Caroline Smyton who donated her winnings to the school from a previous week. Please consider supporting the school by buying tickets and telling your family members and friends about this too. Tickets cost £1 and the school will receive 40% of the ticket sales each month. There will be a guaranteed weekly winner from our school and all tickets have a chance at winning a further £25,000 in a separate draw. In order to sign up, please click on the link on the home page of our website or go to <a href="https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/hoylandswaine-primary-school">https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/hoylandswaine-primary-school</a> to sign up. Thank you for your support!

# **SMOKE FREE SCHOOL**

You may have seen some new signs up around school. These have been supplied to us by the council with a request to put them up as part of Barnsley Council's No Smoking Campaign. We thank everyone for complying with these signs.

# **DIARY DATE CHANGE**

Due to information about PGS transition dates for June 2019, we have had to change the date of one of the performances of our summer choir production from Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June to Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June. The production on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June will also go ahead. Please make a note on calendars and diaries. Thank you

# **REPLY SLIPS TO BE RETURNED**

Class 3 trip to Jorvik Centre & DIG by 11<sup>th</sup> October Class 5 trip to Crucial Crew Lifewise Centre by 11<sup>th</sup> October Scholastic Book Club by 12<sup>th</sup> October

# **PAYMENTS OUTSTANDING**

Class 3 trip to Jorvik Centre & DIG, York – payment by 11th October Class 5 trip to Lifewise Centre, Rotherham – payment by 11th October Please check your child's Schoolmoney account and top up school dinners if required

# **OCTOBER DATES**

- 4<sup>th</sup> October 9.30am Harvest Service in church for children only
- 5<sup>th</sup> October 9.15am 11.15am Open Day for prospective parents everyone welcome
- 17<sup>th</sup> October 2pm Y3/4 Harvest Production
- 18<sup>th</sup> October 2pm Y3/4 Harvest Production
- 23<sup>rd</sup> October 3pm 4.30pm Open Book Session come and see your child's work
- 26<sup>th</sup> October break up for half term

# Have a lovely weekend