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HOYLANDSWAINE PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Newsletter

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Autumn 5

## **SPECIAL MENTIONS**

No special mentions this week due to Harvest service.

## **HARVEST SERVICE**

Thank you to everyone who sent items for the food bank into school yesterday. The children took these up to the Harvest Service which was enjoyed by all.

## **FOHS MEETING AND UPCOMING EVENTS**

Thank you all the parents, governors and staff members who came to the FOHS meeting last week – it was super meeting with lots of great ideas for opportunities for the children as well as for fundraising. The next meeting is on 19<sup>th</sup> October in class 2 at 3.05pm (crèche in class one) which will be the AGM. Please come along if you can and support our school.

FOHS will also be holding a Halloween Disco for the children on 25<sup>th</sup> October after school. The timings are:

- 3pm – 5pm – infants
- 5.15pm – 7.15pm – juniors

Please look out for a letter in the coming week where you can request a ticket for your child!

## **JOB OPPORTUNITY**

Miss Oxley has been working as a School Meals Supervisory Assistant (SMSA) at school on Thursdays and Fridays and is now resigning from this role due to increased Owls hours. We do not have another member of staff keen to take the role and wondered if any parents or other relatives would like to take this opportunity to work in school. Any interested parties should email me on the address above. Thank you

## **OPEN MORNING**

Thank you to all the parents who came along to our Open Morning today. The KS2 School Councillors did a great job of showing prospective parents around the school and can be very proud of themselves!

## **AMAZON WISHLIST**

Thank you to parents who already purchased some items from the school Amazon Wishlist detailed below. We don't know who you are as no details came through with the parcels but the items are much appreciated and already in use by the children!

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: <https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1U1D0LF8HGBAL>

## **COMMUNITY EVENT**

Please see below for details of an event at Oxspring Primary School happening on the evening of 8th November 2018.

Child psychologist, author and founder of girls mentoring group Rites for Girls, Kim McCabe will be visiting the school to give a seminar on 'Parenting Girls Safely through Their Teens'. Kim will be discussing practical ways for helping our girls through their teenage years, and how we can best help and support girls through this time of change. This talk is for everyone interested in steering our children happily through their teens - parents of daughters aged 8 - 18, family members, and anyone who works closely with pre-teen and teenage girls. Tickets are priced at £4, and available from this link:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/parenting-girls-safely-through-their-teens-seminar-tickets-49981309442>

Kim is currently touring the country giving these seminars, and so far her events have been selling out, so get your tickets early to avoid disappointment. Doors will open at 7pm, with the seminar commencing at 7.30pm.

## **PENISTONE GRAMMAR SCHOOL**

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

## **AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS**

We have vacancies in some of our extra-curricular clubs. If your child is interested in joining any of the clubs listed below, further details are available from the school office.

Monday	Games Multiskills
Tuesday	Running & Athletics
Wednesday	Hama Beads Crafting
Wednesday	Amigokids
Thursday	Fitness, Karate & Boxercise
Friday	Street Dance
Friday	Art

## **Y5/6 CHILDREN**

Today our Y5/6 children should have brought home a leaflet that school staff, together with children from class 5, have devised. In the future, we will send this home to our Y5/6 children each summer to help prepare our pupils for upper juniors. But we wanted our current Y5/6s to have it now. Please use this advice to support your child at home with all the challenges that Y5/6 and moving onto high school can bring!

## **JRSO COMPETITION**

Our new JRSOs (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 road. The closing date is Friday 12<sup>th</sup> Oct. The posters need to be bright and colourful and prizes for both infants and juniors will be awarded!

## **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 Anne Wagstaff! Congratulations to her. 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 <https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/hoylandswaine-primary-school> to sign up. Thank you for your support!

## **LETTERS DISTRIBUTED THIS WEEK**

Class 4: Trip to National Space centre

Y5/Y6: Getting Ready for Upper Key Stage 2 leaflet (to be distributed today)

Y6: Volunteer work with Twiggs

## **REPLY SLIPS TO BE RETURNED**

Class 3 trip to Jorvik Centre & DIG by 11th October

Class 4: Trip to National Space centre by 19<sup>th</sup> October

Class 5 trip to Crucial Crew Lifewise Centre by 11th October

Scholastic Book Club by 12th October

## **PAYMENTS OUTSTANDING**

Class 3 trip to Jorvik Centre & DIG, York – payment by 11th October

Class 4: Trip to National Space centre by 19th 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/NOVEMBER DATES**

- 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
- 25<sup>th</sup> October - class 3 trip and class 5 trip
- 26<sup>th</sup> October – break up for half term
- 5<sup>th</sup> November – children return to school
- 5<sup>th</sup> November – Red Cross First Aid Training in class 5
- 6<sup>th</sup> November – class 4 trip
- 6<sup>th</sup> November – KS2 school councillors at Community Lunch Club at the church
- 12<sup>th</sup> November – Anti-Bullying Week in School
- 12<sup>th</sup> November – Individual Photos in school
- 14<sup>th</sup> November 8.55am – Family Learning Session One in all classes
- 15<sup>th</sup> November 9am – 10am – FOHS/Mrs Cole's coffee morning
- 15<sup>th</sup> November pm – Y3/4 Team Activ Event

**Have a lovely weekend**

# Hoylandswaine Village Angels

**Will you take part in the project to decorate the church and village with angels throughout December?**

*Angels symbolise a real wish to bring about peace on earth. Let's make Hoylandswaine a magical place by displaying angels in our windows or gardens and decorating lamp posts throughout the village with larger angels.*

**Angel making workshops to inspire all ages:**

**Saturday 3 November – 10.00 – 12.00 noon**

**Sunday 18 November – 4.00 pm**

**Saturday 24 November – 10.00 – 12.00 noon**

**Sunday 2 December 4.00 pm**

*in Hoylandswaine church/church hall*

*A small charge will be made to cover materials*

**Children will be invited to dress themselves or teddies as angels or other nativity figures for the annual Christmas Eve Crib Service**

**Watch for updates on:**



**Hoylandswaine Church – St John the Evangelist**

