



HOYLANDSWAINE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter

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SPECIAL MENTIONS

Class one: Paige & Jack
Class two: Eleanor & Betty
Class three out of school on a trip so no Special Mentions
Class four: Anna & Jessica
Class five out of school on a trip so no Special Mentions

FOHS EVENTS

Thank you to all the parents who came to our FOHS AGM last Friday, especially to those parents who then volunteered for the committee roles for the coming year. They are: -

- Chair – Lucy Brown
- Vice Chair – Jo Liles
- Secretary – Cheryl Higgs
- Vice Secretary – Emily Norris
- Treasurer – Sally Danforth
- Vice Treasurer – Helen Ibbotson
- Playground Co-ordinator – Jaki Mallinson

The first committee meeting to organise an event programme for the year was held today. We have decided to hold general FOHS meetings during the coffee mornings we have already organised (see diary dates for the year). We are going to run these more like the Macmillan Coffee Mornings that we know the parents enjoyed so much. On 15th November between 9am and 10am parents are welcome to come into school to enjoy cakes and coffee including visiting classes to see what the children have been doing (although children will need to stay in class). We will have some ideas boards and FOHS information around the hall for parents to add to and comment on and, as many of the committee members will attend, have a chance chat to me and the FOHS members about our plans. We hope to see you there.

Thank you to all the members of FOHS and school staff who attended the Halloween Disco yesterday as well as working hard on all the preparations that go into something like this. We hope the children had a wonderful time!

The next event will be a Fashion Show for women and children's clothing held in the school hall on the evening of Tuesday 20th November so please look out for the letter about this after the half term holiday.

STAFF NEWS

After half term, Ms Oxley will no longer be working as an SMSA on Thursday and Friday of each week. Instead, Jack Lockwood will join the team so we look forward to working with him in this role.

POPPIES

Once again we are selling poppies in school in aid of the Royal British Legion's Poppy Appeal. There are a range of items for sale as well as poppies including snap bands, bracelets, pencils and key rings and they range in price. All items, which are £1 or less, will be sold by Y6 each day for the week after half term so please send your child with some money if you would like to support this appeal.

AMAZON WISHLIST

Thank you to parents who already purchased some items from the school Amazon Wishlist detailed below – we had more deliveries this week and it's lovely to open the boxes and deliver things to classes! We don't know who you are as no details came through with the parcels but the items are much appreciated.

Please do take a look at our 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 visit:

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

OPEN BOOK SESSION

Thank you to all the parents who came to our Open Book session this week – we hope you were as proud of the children's work as we are.

SCHOOL LOTTERY

This week's winner was Vicky Pearson who then very kindly donated the money back to school – thank you for your kindness. 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!

OUTSTANDING PAYMENTS

Class 1 & 2 trip to The Hepworth Gallery – due by 18th October

Class 4 trip to National Space Centre – due by 19th October

Please check your child's dinner money account on Schoolmoney and 'top up' if required

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER DATE

- 26th October – break up for half term
- 5th November – children return to school
- 5th November – Red Cross First Aid Training in class 5
- 6th November – class 4 trip
- 6th November – KS2 school councillors at Community Lunch Club at the church
- 8th November – class 1 and class 2 trip
- 12th November – Anti-Bullying Week in School
- 12th November – Individual Photos in school
- 14th November 8.55am – Family Learning Session One in all classes
- 15th November 9am – 10am – FOHS/Mrs Cole's coffee morning
- 15th November pm – Y3/4 Team Activ Sports Event
- 19th November pm – Y1/2 Team Activ Sports Event
- 20th November am – Nasal Flu Immunisations in school
- 21st November pm – Y5/6 Team Activ Handball Event

Have a lovely half term break

HOYLANDSWAINE ANGELS

**As we look forward to celebrating
the Christmas Season we are
hoping to fill the Church & Village
with Angels.**

**If you would like to take part,
there are several workshops* planned:**

Saturday 3rd November from 10.00 – 12.00 Noon,
Sunday 18th November from 4.00 pm (during Families at 4),
Saturday 24th November from 10.00 – 12.00 Noon,
Sunday 2nd December from 4.00 pm (during Families at 4)
(Children bring your favourite teddy for their Angel Wings)

Angels made by the school children will be displayed on the special Angel tree in church at the Christingle Service on **Tuesday 11th December at 6.00 pm**

There will be a special **Angel Party** on **Christmas Eve** at 3.30 pm, just before the blessing of the Nativity Crib – Children to dress as Angels or wear their Christmas jumpers and bring an **Angel/Teddy** to the Party!