



HOYLANDSWAINE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter

20th October

Autumn 7

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SPECIAL MENTIONS

Class 1: Harrison & Jack
Class 2: Liam & Alessia
Class 3: Isabel & Harry
Class 4: Nancy & Oscar
Class 5: Murron & Dylan
Well done to everyone!

SPORTS COUNCIL SPONSORED EVENT

We have now received all sponsor money for this event into school. Due to the total amount raised the school will receive £442.80 to spend on sports resources which is great news for the children! The school council will be meeting after half term to choose the most suitable equipment for the classes. Thank you so much to everyone who supported the school and the children in this project

SPORTING COMPETITIONS

A group of our boys attended a Team Activ football tournament this week at Penistone Grammar School. They played very well winning two out of their three matches. Miss Lockwood was very proud!

ROAD SAFETY

This week our children in class 5 had the opportunity to consider speeding cars as part of their road safety awareness. PC Davies, who is one of our parents, came into school with the speed camera and display as well as some additional officers to work with class 5. The children used the speed camera to measure the speed of passing cars and, once the officers had spoken to any speeding drivers, they spoke to the drivers themselves in the hope of encouraging them to consider the dangers of speeding next to a school. Thank you to PC Davies for organising this for the school.

JRSO COMPETITION

Our Junior Road Safety Officers launched a school competition in assembly last week. They spoke to the children about The Green Cross Code and how to cross roads safely when the children are out and about. They have asked the children to design some Green Cross Code posters that we can put up in the school grounds. The information is as follows:

- Posters should be A4 and brightly coloured
- They should focus on the messages of The Green Cross Code
- Posters will need to be sent in to the school office by Wednesday 25th October as judging will take place the day after

SCHOOL LOTTERY

This week's lottery winner was...ELIZABETH UNDERWOOD AGAIN! Congratulations to Mrs Underwood who won £20 in the draw for the second week in a row. We have now reached the magic number of 50 lottery tickets sold which means our draw is now sustainable. Thank you to everyone who has signed up to support the school with this fundraiser. We would like to keep going if possible! The more supporters we have and the more tickets we sell the more money we raise for the school and then the higher the weekly prize is. 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!

POPPIES

From next Monday we will be selling poppies and other related items sent into school by the Royal British Legion. Class 5 will come around to classes at the end of the day so if you would like to support the poppy appeal please send your child into school with money to purchase items in a labelled envelope. Items cost up to £1. Thank you

OPEN BOOK SESSION

Thank you to all the parents who came along to our Open Book session this week. It was nice to share the children's work with you and we hope you are proud of what your children are achieving in school.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

On Saturday 28th October between 10am and 12pm, Penistone Library is holding a book launch party for the book 'I CAN' written by Amanda Cartwright. There will be refreshments and games as well as a book signing opportunity. The event will be fundraising for the Dogs Trust charity. As there are limited places please call 01226 762313 or pop into the library to book your place.

LOST PROPERTY

Lost property is currently displayed in the school hall and is available to view each morning before registration and each evening at 3.30pm.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

Letters have been sent out this week for you to let us know if you wish your child to have a photo taken with his/her younger sibling who may not be in school. Tempest photography will be in school on Thursday 9th November and all children will have their individual photo taken, and with sibling/s in school. If you have a younger child please let us know if you wish to include them on the photo and arrive at school at 1.10pm on 9th November.

SCHOOL UNIFORM ORDERS

We are collating uniform orders. If you wish to place an order please send your order form with payment (cheque or debit/credit card – NO CASH) to the school office by Friday 17th November. Don't forget to have a look on the nearly new clothing rail (outside the school hall) for any items that have been donated back to school. There are some good bargains and all the proceeds go back to school via FOHS.

TEAM ACTIV EVENTS

A reminder that on Monday the children in Years 5 and 6 will be participating in a dodgeball team event at Barnsley Academy. Please remember to send them with their PE kit, suitable trainers and their water bottle. The children are expected back to school for 3.30pm, but we will text out if they are delayed. Also, on Tuesday next week the children in Years 3 and 4 will be participating in a benchball team event at Carlton Community College. Once again, please ensure the children have suitable PE kit and water bottle. This event is also due to end in time for the children to return to school for 3.30pm.

CHILDREN IN NEED

Advance notice that on Friday 17th November we will be having a non-uniform day and a donation of £1.00 per child will be collected for the Children In Need charity. We will not be selling any of the Children In Need merchandise this year.

COFFEE MORNING

On Thursday 9th November, we will be holding a coffee morning in school for parents to meet with me. This is a chance to tell me how the new term is going from a parent perspective as well as a chance to ask any questions about upcoming events. Please join me in the staffroom between 9am and 10am if you can!

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER DATES

- 23rd October pm – Y5/6 children at Team Activ Dodgeball tournament
- 24th October pm – Y3/4 children at Team Activ Bench ball tournament
- 26th October – FOHS Halloween Disco in school
- 26th October – children break up for half term
- 27th October – INSET day for staff
- 6th November – return to school
- 6th November pm – class 5 having first aid training
- 9th November 9am – 10am – coffee morning in staffroom with Mrs Cole
- 13th November – Anti-Bullying Week
- 17th November 9.10am – class 5 parents assembly
- 17th November – Children in Need Non-Uniform Day

Have a lovely weekend

FRIENDS OF HOYLANDSWAINE SCHOOL

*******HALLOWEEN DISCO*******

Thursday 26th October

KS1 - 3.30 - 5.30 (collection from 5.00)

KS2 - 5.45 - 7.45

We are looking for volunteers for this event so if you can get in touch if you are able to volunteer and which KS or both 😊

We are coming into the countdown to Christmas with lots of events happening in school that FOHS support. If you haven't already signed up or joined the page, please see link below and take 5 minutes to join.

Hope you all have a lovely weekend.

- **AGM Meeting/FOHS Monthly Meeting TBC**

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