



HOYLANDSWAINE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter

Spring 1

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SPECIAL MENTIONS

Class one: George S & Jackson

Class two: Edward & Sullivan

Class three: Anna & Sienna

Class four: Lucy & Summer

Class five: Katie & Isaac

STAFF NEWS

We would like to welcome back Miss Oates who is now teaching in class one alongside Mrs Bromley. She has really enjoyed her first few days! We would also like to thank Mr Lockwood for stepping in to work at Owls Club during the mornings after Miss Armstrong's resignation.

Many of you will know Mrs Brown who has been a fixture of the school for a long time as volunteer, teaching assistant, lunchtime supervisor and kitchen assistant over the years! Sadly, she has decided that the time has come for her to resign from our school in her final role. Mrs Brown will leave on February 2nd and we wish her the very best for the future.

FRIENDS OF HOYLANDSWAINE SCHOOL

As you know from the letter from the governors that was sent home earlier this week, we are about to relaunch FOHS as a full-fledged PTA. The current members of FOHS are a very small band of parents who need more help to carry on providing all they do for the children in school. Staff members including me as well as governors are going to be part of the PTA and we need more parents to join us! The commitment will involve attending one meeting each half term at 3.30pm within school. We also provide a crèche in the classroom next door for parents to leave their children. We will plan activities to fund raise for the year or purely for the children's enjoyment. Members of FOHS will also be expected to volunteer an hour or two each term to help at one of the events or to prepare for the event itself. We really need as many parents as possible to join us so please come along on Friday 26th January at 3.30pm if you are can help us fundraise for the children – it really does make a difference. Thank you

ESAFEGUARDING WORKSHOP

On Tuesday 6th February at 5.30pm Mr Bond is running an esafeguarding workshop for parents about how to keep children safe online. Please look out for a letter in the coming week where you can complete a slip to register attendance.

FAMILY LEARNING

Next Monday is our next family learning session for those parents that registered for this slot at the beginning of the school year. We look forward to seeing you there!

SCHOOL LOTTERY

Our Christmas break saw several winners of the lottery:

- 23rd December – Carol Oxley
- 30th December – Rianna Armitage
- 6th January – Rachel Claydon

This was obviously a profitable season for our staff that support the lottery! Congratulations to all the winners. We had reached 71 lottery tickets sold but have fallen to 69 tickets over the Christmas break. If you had supported the lottery before please consider supporting it once again in 2018. Thank you to everyone who has signed up to support the school with this fundraiser. We would like to get to 100 if we could! Please click on: <https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/hoylandswaine-primary-school> to sign up or see the school website. Thank you for your support!

EXTRA CURRICULAR CLUBS

As per the schedule already distributed for extra-curricular clubs there will be **no choir** on Monday 15th January due to staff training.

TEAM ACTIV CLUB – HALF TERM

Does your child like to sing, dance and act? This is a fantastic opportunity for children aged 6 - 12 years to perform, explore, and build confidence all while having lots of fun and making new friends. All activities take place in a safe, inclusive environment managed by dance and musical theatre specialists

Date: Thursday 15th February **Time:** 8.30-3.30pm (with a performance by the children at 3pm)

Venue: Silkstone Common Methodist Church **Price:** £19

The fun-filled, action-packed days include:

Warm ups

Games

Singing

Acting

Dancing

Music

Lots of laughter

Children should bring a packed lunch, drinks and snacks. Comfortable loose clothing and trainers/pumps should be worn. To book your child onto the Musical Mayhem Club, please visit: <https://goo.gl/forms/JpShxNCo28kpoFy72>

UNIFORM

We have explored the possibility of giving parents a choice of where to purchase the embroidered logo school uniform garments and this has resulted in us setting up an account with Tesco Uniform Embroidery Service (UES). The website address is <https://www.tesco.com/direct/hoylandswaine-primary-school/22366.school> The school will receive commission on any items purchased and there is a large range of garments to choose from, so please take a look and use this convenient method of ordering as / when you need any items. Delivery is direct to home. We will trial this during the Spring term, running in conjunction with our existing supplier, and give you feedback in the Summer term. If you prefer to send your school uniform order into school to APC Clothing order forms are available on the school website and in school reception.

LETTERS SENT HOME THIS WEEK

- Results of recent questionnaire
- Y3/Y4 children attending Team Active Relay Races on Thursday 25th January – please return reply slip asap
- Governing Body letter regarding the school's financial situation
- Class 3 trip to Castle Museum, York – please return reply slip by Friday 20th January
- Following the Audiology letter sent out to Reception parents on Monday, we have been informed that hearing screening tests will be carried out on the afternoon of Wednesday 17th January. If Reception parents do not want their child tested please inform the Headteacher in writing.

PAYMENTS DUE

- Extra-curricular clubs
- Music lessons
- Class 3 trip to Castle Museum, York

JANUARY/FEBRUARY DATES

- 15th January – 9am family learning in school for parents who signed up to this date
- 15th January – 3.30 pm ***no extra-curricular choir club***
- 17th January – Reception children hearing screening tests
- 19th January – 9.10am Class 3 parents' assembly
- 25th January – Y3/4 Team Activ Relay Event pm
- 26th January – 3.30pm Class 2 parents' assembly
- 26th January – 3.30pm FOHS relaunch meeting
- 5th February – Y1/2 Team Activ Relay Event pm
- 6th February – Safer Internet Day
- 6th February – pancake races in school pm
- 6th February – Esafeguarding Workshop for parents run by Mr Bond
- 8th February – children break up for half term
- 9th February – INSET day for staff only in school

Have a wonderful weekend

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Happy New Year.

Hope you all had a lovely Christmas and break.

Our next Coffee Morning is on Monday 22nd January 2018 from 9.00 - 10.00 am in the school hall, you are very welcome to join us.

We will be re launching FOHS at the end of the month and will be meeting on 29th January to discuss all exciting events and fundraising ideas.
All welcome and more details will be sent out nearer the time.

Look forward to seeing you.

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