



HOYLANDSWAINE PRIMARY SCHOOL

23rd February 2018

Newsletter

Spring 6

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SPECIAL MENTIONS

Class one: George H & Ruben

Class two: Ethan & Millie

Class three: Evan & Bobby

Class four: Holly & Luke

WELCOME

A warm welcome to 4 new children and their families who have joined us this half term; William in Class 2 and his sister Jessica in Class 4 and Evan in Class 3 and his sister Robyn in Class 4. They have all fitted in so well already and we are very glad to have them in our school.

ROBINWOOD

This week the Y5/6 children attended their residential visit at Robinwood with Mrs Gallagher, Miss Hudson and Miss Lockwood. They had a wonderful time and were fantastically supportive of one another. The school staff were so proud of them all! Thank you to the staff who gave up the time away from their own homes and families to take the children; without this our pupils wouldn't have had this experience.

DFE LETTER OF CONGRATULATIONS

This week we received a letter from the DFE, which can be viewed on our website, congratulating us on our KS2 Maths results from 2017. The letter congratulated us in being in the top 1% of schools in the country for our maths attainment. Well done to all the children and staff on this great achievement!

STAFF NEWS

We thought parents might like to know that Mrs Earnshaw has had her baby! James Daniel Earnshaw was born on 10th February weighing 9lbs 1oz. The family are doing well!

SCHOOL LOTTERY

We had two winners over the holiday. Gemma Massarella-Burton and Michelle Nelson were both winners! Congratulations to them. Once again, Michelle very kindly donated her winnings back to the school for which we are very grateful. We have now reached 80 lottery tickets sold which is wonderful so thank you to the people who have signed up. 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!

FAIR TRADE FORTNIGHT

W/C 26th February is the beginning of Fair Trade Fortnight. As a Fair Trade School we will be undertaking a number of events in school but would like to draw parent attention to our Traidcraft event in school on Monday 26th February. All the children in school will spend some time with the local organisers of Traidcraft on that day to learn about what they do and where their products come from. After school, there will be a Traidcraft stall in the hall for children and parents to visit with order forms for any goods that you wish to purchase. We are encouraging all children who have saved money in their bank books this term to use these funds for any items they would like to buy but, in this instance as an external supplier is coming into school, we are also able to take cash for ordered items and Mr Bond will co-ordinate this.

WORLD BOOK DAY – 1ST March 2018

This year we will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 1st March. Children are invited to dress up as a book or film character and bring £1, which will go towards our new school library. Thank you for your support.

Children will also receive a book token which they can take to a local bookseller and can use it to pick one of ten (exclusive, new and completely free) books. Or, if they'd rather, they can use it to get £1 off any book or audio book costing over £2.99 at a participating bookshop. Please check your child's bag for the book token on 1st March as we do not receive spare tokens.

OPEN BOOK SESSION

On Wednesday 28th February we will be holding our second Open Book session of the year. This is a chance for parents to come along and see the work their child has completed so far this year as well as have an informal chat to the class teacher who will be present in the classroom. Please come along between 3.30pm and 5.00pm at a time that suits you and we will look forward to seeing you.

ESAFEGUARDING WORKSHOP

Thank you to all the parents who have returned the reply slip to say they would like to attend the workshop on 28th February with Mr Bond and the NSPCC. Due to the number of people attending it will be held in the hall. Please can we remind parents that this will not be suitable for children to attend due to the nature of the themes covered. Thank you

PHOTOGRAPHS

Whole class photographs are scheduled to be taken by Tempest Photography on Tuesday 27th February commencing at 9.00 am. A copy of class photographs will be displayed in our reception area. If parents have any objections to their child being included in their class photograph please let reception know before 27th February. Thank you.

PAYMENTS DUE

Class 1&2: African Drumming Workshop

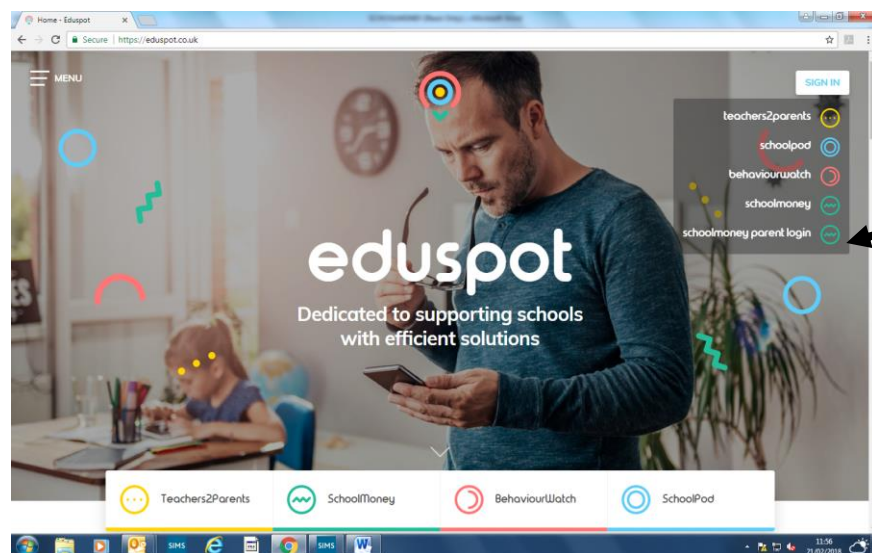
Class 4: Magna Trip

Payments due by Friday 23rd February 2018 via Schoolmoney. Thank you.

SCHOOLMONEY.CO.UK – UPDATE FROM THE COMPANY

You may have noticed that we have made a change to our SchoolMoney website. When parents log in to **www.schoolmoney.co.uk** they will be redirected to the new eduspot website. To sign in, all parents need to do is select the 'Sign In' button in the top right hand corner of the screen. A list will drop down and they need to select the bottom option 'Schoolmoney Parent Login'. This will then send them to the parent login screen as normal.

If you have any problems logging in to the new Eduspot website please contact Mrs Taylor / Mrs Roebuck in the school office. This was updated by schoolmoney during the half term holiday.



To log in to your child's account click on 'schoolmoney parent login'

FEBRUARY/MARCH DATES

- 26th February – Traidcraft event in school
- 27th February – whole class photos
- 28th February 3.30pm – 5.00pm – Open Book Session – all parents welcome in classes
- 28th February 5.30pm – Esafeguarding work workshop with Mr Bond and NSPCC
- 1st March – World Book Day
- 2nd March 9.10am – Class One Parents' Assembly
- 2nd March – new library installation
- 12th March – Science and Engineering Week
- 14th March – Science Open Afternoon in school – all parents welcome from 1.30pm

- 19th March – Y5/6 at Tag Rugby Team Activ Event
- 22nd March – Y5/6 Easter Production at church 2pm and 6pm
- 23rd March – Family Learning session
- 23rd March – Break up for Easter

Have a lovely weekend

FRIENDS OF HOYLANDSWAINE SCHOOL

Thank you to all that attended the meeting, another great turnout with some fantastic fundraising ideas. It was great to see you all. Thanks to Dot for supplying the cake which is much appreciated.

*******Mothers Day Gifts*******

Volunteers needed for Monday 5th (KS2) and Tuesday 6th March (KS1) – 1pm onwards.

Please email FoHS below if you are available and can help.

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