



HOYLANDSWAINE PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Newsletter

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Spring 9

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## **SCIENCE WEEK**

Thank you to everyone who was able to come along to our Science Open Afternoon this week. We hope you had a great time and that, whether you were able to attend or not, your children have talked to you about their science work this week. The children have had great fun around school learning about the world around them and how science supports this. Thank you also to Professor Sammon who came into school on Thursday to bring the professional world of science to the children!

## **DONATION**

A big thank you to the parent who asked for donations to school instead of presents for their child's birthday party; we are so grateful to everyone who contributed. The funds will be used directly in the child's class for new resources they are helping to choose for the summer term.

## **WORLD BOOK DAY**

Just a quick reminder to parents that we will be holding our World Book Day (in lieu of the snow day) on the last day of term; 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018. Your child can come to school dressed as a book or film character on that day.

If your child normally has sandwiches but has chosen to have a school 'Book Day lunch' please remember to log onto Schoolmoney and pay £2 before 23<sup>rd</sup> March. Thank you.

## **CHOCOLATE TOMBOLA**

Thank you to everyone who has already sent in an egg for the FOHS chocolate tombola to be held after school next Friday. Please send any egg you can donate – large or small – to the office before next Wednesday and then stop by the stall at the end of the last day of term.

## **FOHS BUILDING**

Our parent funded Friends of Hoylandswaine outdoor learning space will be constructed over the Easter holidays. This space will be able to be used by the children at break times and lunchtimes for shelter, shade and somewhere to sit and talk to their friends. We look forward to seeing it after Easter!

## **RESCHEDULED OPEN BOOK SESSION**

Thank you to everyone who came to our Open Book session this week. We hope you enjoyed seeing your child's wonderful work!

## **EASTER PRODUCTION**

Our Y5/6 children are busy preparing for their Easter Performance next week. We are inviting parents and family members to watch our performance at the church on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March at 2.00 pm or at 6.00 pm. Parents and family members of any children, whether they are in Y5/6 or not are welcome to join us as are any members of the local community. The Y5/6 children will need to meet back at school at 5.30pm.

## **OWLS REQUEST**

The children in Owls would really appreciate a donation of any board games that you may have at home and no longer play. They are particularly looking for chess, draughts, connect four etc. Games to make them think! Please send them into school if you have any you would be willing to donate. Thank you

## **OWLS INVOICES**

We would be very grateful if parents could pay any outstanding Owls invoices for this half term as soon as possible to allow us to reconcile our figures for the end of the financial year. Thank you

## **SCHOOL UNIFORM ORDERS**

Orders for school uniform from APC Clothing should be sent in to school by 21<sup>st</sup> March to be ordered this term. Information on how to order school uniform via Tesco can be found on our school website/information table in reception.

## **SCHOOL FRUIT – KS2**

Letters were sent home this week to children in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 with details of the school fruit scheme for the summer term. Please complete and return the slip on the letter if your child wishes to have a piece of fruit each school day during the summer term (9<sup>th</sup> April to 20<sup>th</sup> July). The payment of £20 will be set up on schoolmoney. Please return your slip by Monday 19<sup>th</sup> March.

A reminder the children in KS1 (Reception, Y1 and Y2) receive a piece of fruit that is delivered as part of the Government Free Fruit for Schools Scheme.

## **BARNSELY MUSIC SERVICE (BMS) TUITION**

If your child wishes to continue their music tuition during the summer term please ensure your payment is made via schoolmoney.co.uk by Monday 9<sup>th</sup> April. Payments have been set up this week and can be accessed. You are required to give notice to BMS if your child no longer wishes to continue their tuition next term. Please email Mrs Roebuck or Mrs Taylor in the school office if you wish to cancel the lessons. The cost for tuition remains at £48.00 per term plus £15.00 instrument hire (where applicable)

## **LOST PROPERTY**

School has accrued a large amount of lost property which is currently displayed in the school hall and is available to view each morning before registration and each evening at 3.30 pm.

## **CLASS PHOTOGRAPHS**

If you would like to purchase a class photograph please return your photograph proof and payment to school no later than Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March. A courier from Tempest Photography will be collecting our orders from school at 8.30 am on 22<sup>nd</sup> March. Thank you.

## **LETTERS DISTRIBUTED THIS WEEK**

Internet Safety Workshop

KS2 Fruit

FOHS – Chocolate Tombola

Y1/Y2 Tropical Butterfly House visit (to be distributed Friday)

Extra-Curricular club allocations (to be distributed Friday) - *please let school know asap if your child no longer wants their place as payments have been set up on Schoolmoney.*

## **REPLY SLIPS**

Internet Safety Workshop – replies required by Wednesday 18<sup>TH</sup> April 2018

KS2 Fruit – replies required by Monday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2018

Class photographs – replies required by Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2018

Y1/Y2 Tropical Butterfly House visit – replies by Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2018

## **SCHOOL LOTTERY**

This week's winner of the school lottery was Louise Croft! Congratulations to Louise. 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!

## **MARCH/APRIL DATES**

- 19<sup>th</sup> March – Y5/6 at Tag Rugby Team Activ Event
- 22<sup>nd</sup> March – Y5/6 Easter Production at church 2pm and 6pm
- 22<sup>ND</sup> March – Y1/Y2 African Drumming Event (rearranged from 8<sup>th</sup> March 2018)
- 23<sup>rd</sup> March – Family Learning session 9am
- 23<sup>rd</sup> March – Break up for Easter
- 9<sup>th</sup> April – return to school
- Week commencing 9<sup>th</sup> April – Summer Term Extra-Curricular activities commence
- 10<sup>th</sup> April 3.30pm – 7.30pm – Parents' Evening
- 12<sup>th</sup> April 3.30pm – 5.30pm – Parents' Evening
- 18<sup>th</sup> April 5.30pm – Esafeguarding Workshop with Mr Bond and NSPCC
- 20<sup>th</sup> April – Art and Design Open Afternoon – everyone welcome to come and see what we are doing!
- 27<sup>th</sup> April 9.10am – Class 4 Parents' Assembly

**Have a lovely weekend**