



HOYLANDSWAINE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter

Summer 5

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SPECIAL MENTIONS

Class one: Alice & Alex Class two: Poppy D & Lydia Class three: Hughie & Charlotte Class four: Jack & Nancy Class five: Murron & Madeline

KARATE FITNESS TASTER

We hope that all the children who attended the Karate Fitness Taster this week enjoyed the session. Please consider using Gary's Fitness session at the village hall (contact us for details if needed) to support a local activity especially if your child enjoyed this session. We are hoping to run the fitness session as an extra-curricular club from the autumn term.

SATS

Next week are the national SATs testing period for KS2 children under exam conditions. We are very proud of the work the Y6 children have put into their learning and want them to take this knowledge and confidence into the tests. It is imperative that all Y6 children have full attendance for the week apart from in an emergency situation. Please contact me by email or phone at school if any emergency arises. All Y6 children have been invited to a breakfast with Miss Hudson each day and are welcome to bring a lucky mascot or photo with them to each test.

Our Y2 children will also begin their tests this week which will then continue over the next two weeks. These will be low key activities in the classroom that the children are very used to with lots of flexibility and space in between each test. We will keep the atmosphere around these calm and positive but would also ask that Y2 children are in school every day for the next two weeks unless very ill.

Thank you to all parents for the support they give to the children during these times.

MATHS INVESTIGATION WEEK

Our final week of the half term will be Maths Investigation Week in school. This will give all children the opportunity to undertake in-depth mathematical investigations linked to other curriculum areas in a real world context. This year the theme will be maths in the outdoors. We hope the children will have lots of fun investigating maths in the real world this year!

SCHOOL COUNCIL SPONSORED EVENT

Each year the children of the school council undertake a sponsored event in school which they choose and organise themselves. At the end of this they count the money raised and meet with their classes to decide how to spend the funds to benefit all children. This year the sponsored event will take place on Tuesday 5th June and will be ball dribbling around a circuit. This week you will have received a letter and sponsor form detailing how your child can raise money for the event and we would be very grateful if you could support the campaign in however small a way you are able. Thank you

WATER BOTTLES, HATS AND SUNCREAM!

We have had a lot of children at school this week without water bottles which, on the warm days, has meant they are at risk of dehydration. Please ensure your child ALWAYS has a water bottle at school. We would also encourage the wearing of sun hats and bringing of sun cream. Children need to be able to apply the cream themselves.

SCHOOL LOTTERY

Our lottery winner this week was Fran Connelly. Fran has very kindly donated the money back to school which is certainly appreciated. We have now reached 83 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!

FOHS MEETING

Our next general FOHS meeting will be held on 18th May at 3.40pm in class two. This will be a chance for parents to support the wonderful work of FOHS and all they do for the children. A particular focus will be the school and village summer fayre which has been set for Saturday 7th July so come and join us if you can spare any time either on the day or in the preparation period. There will also be a crèche for the children in class one. Thank you

LETTERS DISTRIBUTED THIS WEEK

School Council sponsored event

PAYMENTS DUE

Class 3 trip to Bagshaw Museum

Owls payments required by Monday 14th May 2018

MAY/JUNE DATES

- 14th May KS2 SATs week
- 14th May KS1 SATs begin
- 18th May at 3.40 pm FOHS meeting in class two
- W/C 21st May Maths Investigation Week
- 24th May Class 3 trip to Bagshaw Museum
- 24th May children break up for half term
- 25th May staff INSET day
- 4th June school reopens
- 5th June School Council Sponsored Event
- W/C 12th June national Y1 phonics testing period
- 20th June 6pm Choir performance
- 21st June 2pm & 6pm Choir performance

Have a lovely weekend

