



HYLTON CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Weekly newsletter 35 W/E 3rd July 2026

PLEASE NOTE: Car park gates are closed between 8.25am - 8.45am & 3.10pm - 3.35pm for safety

Dates for your Diary

Monday 6th July 2026

- Y3 trip - £9.20 -
to be paid by Fri 3rd July

Tuesday 7th July 2026

- Wellbeing Day -
wear yellow.

Wednesday 8th July 2026

- Y5 trip - £2.00 -
to be paid by Fri 3rd July
 - Rec class assembly - 2.30pm
- Please note the change of date

Tuesday 14th July 26

Wellbeing day - wear yellow
(more info to follow)

Thursday 9th July 26

Year 1 class assembly - 2.30pm

Tuesday 14th July 26

Year 3 class assembly - 2.30pm

Thursday 16th July 26

World cup menu -
Year 4 class assembly - 2.30pm

Friday 17th July 26

Year 2 class assembly - 2.30pm

Wednesday 22nd July 26

- Year 6 Leavers assembly -
9.15am
- Break up for Summer

Monday 7th September 26

Children return to school

Friday 23rd Oct 2026

Break up for half term

W/B 2nd November 2026

Derwent Hill Trip

Monday 2nd Nov 2026

Children return to school

Friday 18th Dec 2026

Break up for Christmas

W/B 10th May 27

KS2 SATS - all children have
exams throughout May.



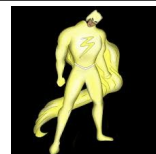
Wellbeing Day

Our next Wellbeing Day will take place on Tuesday 7th July, and this time we will be focusing on our very own hero, Colonel Considerate.

Colonel Considerate reminds us of the importance of kindness, compassion and thinking about others. This links perfectly to one of the 5 Ways to Wellbeing – Give. Throughout the day, the children will take part in a range of activities designed to encourage acts of kindness, generosity and helping others, while reflecting on the positive impact these actions have on our own wellbeing and the wellbeing of those around us.

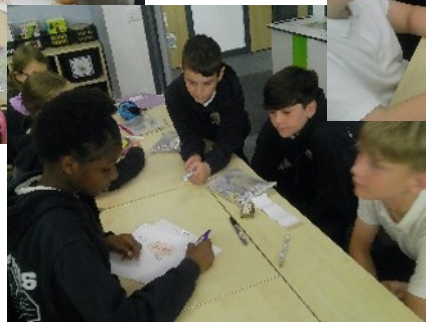
To help us celebrate the day, we would like to invite all children to wear something yellow, the colour associated with Colonel Considerate. This could be a yellow T-shirt, jumper, accessory or any item of clothing they already have at home.

We are looking forward to another wonderful day of learning, reflection and spreading kindness throughout our school community



Year 6

Year 6 are preparing to write a discussion text in their literacy lessons so we practised how to generate arguments for both points of view (for and against). This wasn't easy especially when we had our own opinions about the key questions! However, all groups worked so hard and came up with fantastic ideas, battling it out until we were left with one team standing each round as the winner. Well done!



Happy Birthday to the children who have Birthdays:



Toby	Spencer
Albi	Wallace
Fearne	Jones
Asa	Reeves

OPAL Hero

The OPAL Superstar award is awarded to someone who has showed a real commitment to OPAL and being a positive role models to others.

The winners for this week is:

- Fearne Jones**

A huge well done and keep it up.



Attendance Awards

Congratulations to the following classes for the best attendance for week ending 3rd July

KS1:Rec	97.86%
KS2:Y4	97.59%



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FROM ALL OF THE STAFF AND PUPILS AT HYLTON CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Reception

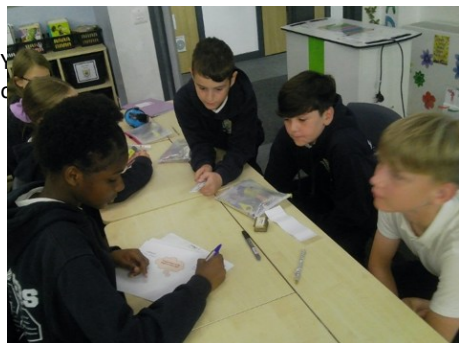
Reception had a fantastic trip to Tweddle Farm last week. They enjoyed a tractor and barrel ride as well as feeding lots of animals. They were excellent role models for our school! We have also harvested our vegetables this week - we managed to successfully grow onions, carrots, potatoes and strawberries! Thank you so much to Nana Brown who has helped us to look after our veggies - we are very grateful.



Year 6

Year 6 have been making models in geography this week. We looked at dome, fault block and fold mountains then used models to show how they are formed. It was quite tricky at times but everyone persevered!





Year 6

This week as part of our unit of writing on discussion we wrote to the opposite team which wasn't always easy!



Year 4

This term, Year 4 have been exploring sculpture in their art lessons. This week they created their own clay models inspired by the Angel of the North. They carefully shaped and moulded the clay to capture the iconic structure, developing their sculpting techniques while learning about this famous landmark. The children showed great creativity and enthusiasm, and their finished sculptures look fantastic!

