



HYLTON CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Weekly newsletter 5 W/E 10th October 2025

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

Dates for your Diary

- W/b 13th October 2025**
Parental appointments
- Tuesday 14th Oct 2025**
NO KS1 SPORTS CLUBS
- Wednesday 15th Oct 2025**
Y1 phonics meeting - 2.45pm
- Tuesday 21st Oct 2025**
Rec workshare - 2.00pm
NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS
Staff training
- Wednesday 22nd Oct 2025 -**
Halloween Disco £2.00
EYFS/KS1-3.15pm - 4.15pm
KS2 4.30pm - 5.30pm
Tickets on sale from the office - Wednesday 8th - Friday 17th Oct
THIS IS CASH ONLY EVENT
No tickets will be available after this date!
NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS
- Thursday 23rd Oct 25**
Harvest Festival 10.00am & 2.00pm
Ticket on sale from the school office Mon 13th Oct - £1.00 - **THIS IS CASH ONLY EVENT**
- Friday 24th Oct 2025**
Break up for half term
- W/B 3rd November 2025**
Derwent Hill Trip
- Monday 3rd Nov 2025**
Children return to school
- Friday 19th Dec 2025**
Break up for Christmas
- W/B 11th May 26**
KS2 SATS - all children have

Harvest Festival - REMINDER

We are excited to welcome you to our Harvest Festival at 10.00am & 2.00pm on Thursday 23rd October. Ticket's on sale from the school office from Monday 13th October - £1.00 - **THIS IS CASH ONLY EVENT**

We would be very grateful if you could donate items that will be given to Sunderland Foodbank following our celebration. Children can take donations to class.

Items that they are in urgent need of are:

- Tinned potatoes and tomatoes
- Biscuits and long life fruit juice
- Toiletries and carrier bags/bags for life



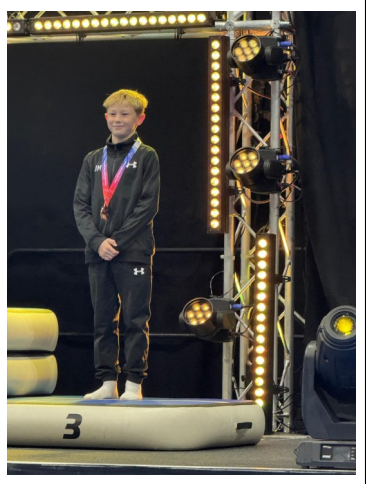
5 Star Food Hygiene Rating

Earlier this week our kitchen was awarded a 5 star food hygiene rating! We'd like to thank our kitchen staff for being so amazing!



Well Done!

Jaxson has a fantastic weekend at Telford international for his DMT British Finals. He placed 3rd in the men's 11-12year age group finals and 5th in the youth finals.



Heroes of the Week



Well done to the children who won this week:

- Alex Mihai
- Harper Oxenham
- Darcy Williams
- Kayden Jukes
- Jenson Hutchinson
- Nathan Osinere
- Franki Barrs
- Deborah Okeowo

Every week, a 'Hero of the Week' is chosen from each class and they get to add 10 tokens to their house collection!

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:

- Mollie Tasker
- Lennon Summerside

A huge well done and keep it up.



Happy Birthday to the children who have Birthdays:



- Sophia Lachut
- Heidi Whittle

Attendance Awards

Congratulations to the following classes for the best attendance for week ending 10th October

KS1:Y1	94.33%
KS2:Y6	96.67%

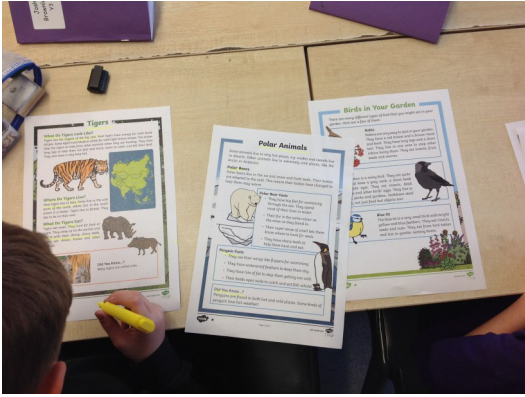


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Year 3

Year 3 have been learning all about non-chronological reports this week in our English lessons. We have been reading different report examples to see what they all have in common. We have discovered that they all have a main heading, sub-headings, information on a particular topic, pictures, and most of them even have fun questions and answer sections to help keep the reader interested. Keep your eyes peeled in a few weeks for our finished Roald Dahl reports.



Year 2

We had lots of fun this week in science and reading. We explored different types of paper and their functions and had fun in our reading lesson acting out part of the book *The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark*.



Year 6

Year 6 enjoyed taking part in a drama activity this week in English as we performed scene 1 from the playscript 'Fleeced' which is based on the story of Jason and the Argonauts.



Nursery

Nursery have begun their balance bike sessions!

They started by using the cones as steering wheels to practise moving into spaces without bumping into each other. For a bit of an extra challenge, they balanced beanbags on their heads to improve balancing skills.

