

# HYLTON CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

# Weekly newsletter 261:W/E 15th September 2017

PLEASE NOTE: Carpark gates are closed between 8.35am - 9.00am & 2.55pm - 3.30pm for safety

## Dates to remember

Meet the teacher—2.30pm Monday 11th - KS1 Tuesday 12th - KS2

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Wednesday 20th Sept 2017 Y5 class assembly

Wednesday 4th Oct 2017 Y4 class assembly

W/B 9th October 2017
PARENTAL APPOINTMENTS

Thursday 12th October 2017 Harvest Festival - 10am tickets on sale 5th Oct £1

Friday 13th October 2017
Nasal Flu Vaccinations
Forms will go out Friday
29th Sept & MUST be returned by Friday 6th Oct

<u>Friday 20th October 2017</u> Break up for half term

Monday 30th October 2017 Children return to school

Tuesday 31st October 2017 Closing date for Secondary

Tuesday 7th Nov 2017 Y3 class assembly

<u>Thursday 9th Nov 2017</u> School Photographer

Wednesday 22nd Nov 2017 Y2 class assembly

W/B 27th November 2017 Derwent Hill

Wednesday 6th Dec 2017 Y1 class assembly

Wednesday 20th Dec 2017 Rec Nativity 10am

Friday 22nd Dec 2017 Carol service Break up for Christmas

Monday 6th Jan 2018
INSET day—NO CHILDREN

<u>Tuesday 7th Jan 2018</u> Children return to school

W/B 14th May 2018 KS2 (year 6) SATs

#### **Error in the Uniform Reminder last week**

Last week I wrote that leggings may be worn under a skirt. This was an error and I apologise for the misunderstanding or any inconvenience this may have caused. Leggings may only be worn during Into the Woods activities.

The fact that legging cannot be worn as an alternative to school trousers or jogging bottoms still stands.

Thank-you Mrs. Armstrong

### Thank-you for last half term's fundraising

Over the last half term we have supported charities and other organisations in the following way. Thank you to all parents / carers who have helped us in this way.

• Bradley Lowery Foundation £229.00

#### **Funds from Organisations**

Over the last half term we have had support from other organisations in the following way. Thank you:

- £600.00 from Northumbrian Water Board -Creating habitats for Woodland Animals.
   Work to commence next term.
- £1535.00 from COOP, Hylton Castle -Funds to be used for Woodland projects & Community Gardens.

# **Friends Association news**

Our Friends Association is a group of parent and staff volunteers who give up their spare time to put on activities for pupils in our school. Activities that took place last half term include:

- Wizard of Oz performance raised £405.05
- Friends supported the Alice in Wonderland Tea Party

# **Harvest Festival - REMINDER**

#### Thursday 12th October 10am

Tickets will be available at the main school office £1.00 each from **Thursday 5th October.** If you would like to attend our harvest assembly - tickets will be limited due to health and safety regulations.

This year we have again agreed to support the Sunderland foodbank that is an organisation that helps local people in crisis.

They ask us to rally round to give items such as;

- Milk (UHT or powdered)
- Cereals
- Sugar (500g)
- Fish (tinned)
- Tea Bags/Instant Coffee
- Meat (tinned)
- Fruit Juice (not refrigerated)
- Pasta Sauces
- Vegetables (tinned)
- Rice/Sponge Pudding (tinned)
- Instant Mash/Rice/Noodles
- Fruit (tinned)
- Soup (tinned)

# UNFORTUNATELY THEY CAN NOT HAVE FRESH PRODUCE.

Staff from the organisation will be collecting your donations after the assembly, so please send them in beforehand.

Dinner money is £10.00 per week and should be paid on a Monday morning for your child's dinners for that week. There are options to pay by E-Payments on Sunderland City Council website and you can pay for the term, monthly or just weekly or you can pay cash at the school office. You can also use these payment methods for any clubs, music lessons, trips, breakfast club, etc.

Music lessons—payments are due at the beginning of each term. £12.00 for Guitars/Drums, £10.00 for Violins starting next week. After school keyboard lessons will also commence next week and payment will be due then.

Karate is £12.00 for the term.

#### **Attendance Awards**

Congratulations to the following classes for winning the attendance awards for week ending 8th September 2017:

KS1:Y2 100.00% KS2:Y5 100.00% Happy Birthday for the coming week to:



Eviee Hope
Abbey Raine
Lucy Chadburn
Daniel Duggan
Bridie Spoors

Gray

Jack

Autumn Term Breakdown for Attendance

0 days missed = 100%

1 day missed = 98.6%

• 2 days missed = 97.2%

• 3 days missed = 95.8% WILL NOT RECEIVE THE TREAT



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