



HYLTON CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Weekly newsletter 265:W/E 13th October 2017

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

Dates to remember

W/B 9th October 2017

PARENTAL APPOINTMENTS

Tuesday 10th October 2017

Y6 trip - £9.20

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

Monday 16th October 2017

Y5 trip - £10.50

Friday 20th October 2017

Break up for half term

Monday 30th October 2017

Children return to school
School Photographer

Tuesday 31st October 2017

Closing date Comp places
Y1 trip - £14.00
Halloween disco - £3.00
MUST be bought by Friday 20th October

Tuesday 7th Nov 2017

Y3 class assembly-
POSTPONED

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 8th Jan 2018

INSET day—NO CHILDREN

Tuesday 9th Jan 2018

Children return to school

W/B 14th May 2018

KS2 (year 6) SATs

Forgotten P.E. kits and reading books

It has come to my attention that quite a number of parents or carers are dropping off items at the school office (for Ms. Campbell to deliver) that they or their child have forgotten to get ready for school.

Although we will make an exception for a packed lunch that has been forgotten, we cannot accept forgotten items such as reading books, P.E. kit etc. There are few reasons for this:

- Ms. Campbell is very busy and does not have the time to deliver an average of 6 forgotten items per day
- Ms. Campbell is responsible for answering the telephone all day and it reflects badly on our school if, during working hours, people have to leave a message on the answering machine
- We encourage children to prepare, **the night before**, what they need for school the next day. This teaches them good life skills and we ask parents to support us with this

Thank-you for your co-operation and understanding in this matter. I have asked Ms. Campbell, from Monday, to let anyone delivering forgotten items know that she will not be able to deliver them to classes. We will make an exception for the occasional forgotten packed lunch. Please do not let Ms. Campbell feel that you are angry with her if she tells you she can't deliver anything you have forgotten to organise with your child - **if you have a query or concern about this matter, please contact me at your earliest convenience.**

Anti-Bullying Conference

Well done, to the Team who attended the Anti-bullying Conference which was held at Monkwearmouth School earlier this week.

They were involved in a variety of workshops and activities, and they made us very proud.



You said..... We listened.....

A few weeks ago some Reception parents mentioned that their children can't see over the lunch counter to see what options they have for school dinner. We're very grateful to those parents for letting us know, and from now on there will be a low-level table out; for children to see the two meal choices they have, in addition to the usual grab and go option.

Plea from Mr Bell

If you have any spare seeds, bulbs, garden things, barrows, plant pots, seed tray etc. & would like to donate then to the children for their gardening, either catch Mr Bell or drop then into the school. Thank you

BONUS BALL DRAWS

Bonus ball draw for 7th October was winning number 21 - Kelly Herron.

If you are interested in playing our bonus ball weekly please see Mrs Oliver-Prince or the office staff. Each number is £1.00.



HALLOWEEN DISCO TUESDAY 31ST OCTOBER

4.15 – 5.30 pm

Nursery/Reception/KS1 & KS2

£3.00 includes drink, mix up, party games

TICKETS FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE

PRIZE FOR BEST GIRL/BOY FANCY DRESS IN EACH KEY STAGE



PLEASE NOTE

LAST DATE TO PURCHASE TICKETS IS FRIDAY 20TH OCTOBER 2017

Attendance Awards

Congratulations to the following classes for winning the attendance awards for week ending 6th October 2017:

KS1:Y2	99.31%
KS2:Y6	97.00%

Happy Birthday for the coming week to :

Amelia	Cruddas
Gage	Davison
Riah	Potts
Kaitlyn	McMann
Thomas	Robins



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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