



HYLTON CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Weekly newsletter 274:W/E 22nd December 2017

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

Dates to remember

Wednesday 20th Dec 2017

Rec Nativity 10am

12pm Christmas dinner for Grandparents £2.85 MUST BE BOOKED BY FRIDAY 1st Dec

Thursday 21st Dec 2017

Christmas Party

Nur/Rec/KS1 - 4.15-5.15 pm

KS2 - 5.30 - 6.30 pm

Tickets £3.50 each **Must be bought by FRIDAY 15th DEC**

Friday 22nd Dec 2017

Carol service - 10am - tickets

£1 - on sale Monday 18th

Break up for Christmas

Monday 8th Jan 2018

INSET day—NO CHILDREN

Tuesday 9th Jan 2018

Children return to school

Monday 15th Jan 2018

Closing date - primary applic

Wednesday 24th Jan 2018

Y4 class assembly

Thursday 1st March 2018

Secondary offer day-national

Monday 16th April 2018

Reception offer day-national

W/B 14th May 2018

KS2 (year 6) SATs

MUSIC LESSONS

Places are available for anyone interested in Drum lessons and afterschool Keyboard lessons from January 2018. If your child would like to join, please call to the office.

Music tuition fees for next half term are £10.00 to be paid at beginning of term. All music lessons will commence the 1st week back.

SPORTS CLUBS

Sports Clubs will start on the following dates:

Dodgeball KS1 - Tuesday 9th January

Football KS1 and KS2—Wednesday 10th January

Karate—Wednesday 10th January

Girls Football—Thursday 11th January

Free Dance taster session on Friday 12th January, all welcome. Letter will be sent out on 9.1.18.

Gymnastics Club—Monday 15th January.

Dodgeball KS2—Friday 19th January

Coming soon—new dance clubs to start for KS1, KS2 and Street Dance.

Lunchtime Magic Day

Following the success of previous school meal theme days, School Meals have organised another for Thursday 18th January. If your child has a home packed lunch & would like to take part in this then please pay £2.00 to the school office. - Please note children who already have school lunches will automatically get this.

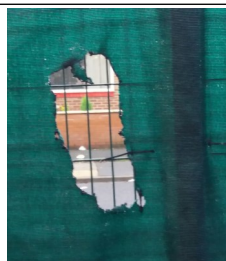
The meal will be served in a specially themed meal box and will consist of :

- **Magic Wands** – fish fingers served with chunky chips and baked beans
- **Hocus Pocus Pasta** – tomato pasta pot served with a garlic slice and mixed salad
- **Abracadabra Magical muffin** – served with magic potion fruit juice

The City of Sunderland Catering Services will be offering seven small prizes in each school; they will be awarded to winners of the “golden ticket” . Each winner will then enter a prize draw to have the chance to win one of the following star prizes:

- £15 cinema vouchers (6 prizes available)
- Deluxe Magic Set
- Luxury fruit hamper

More damage to your children's play area



We discovered this damage early on Thursday morning! Why anyone would want to spoil what we're trying to do to make our school a special place for your children to come to, I really can't understand at all.

I can only imagine how sad the people who have done this must be.

If you see any damage being done to our school - please help us by phoning the police.

SCHOOL DINNERS

From Monday 8th January, all children who stay for a paid lunch must pay for the weeks dinners on a Monday morning (or the first day back from holidays). This is because our auditors will not allow us to run any arrears. You can pay by cash at the school office, or by epayment through the Sunderland City Council website.

Happy Birthday for the coming week to :

Aliyah Ncube

Layton Newby

Kieran Braddish



Maddison Close

James Dunn

David Woodhouse

Joshua Gibson

Charley Allan

Luke Hindmarch



Jaxon Harris

Mia Buckley



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**
Please note that a penalty notice may be issued if a leave of absence is taken without permission.

BONUS BALL DRAWS

Bonus ball draw for 9th December was winning number 14 - Sharon Skinner.

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

Attendance Awards

Congratulations to the following classes for winning the attendance awards for week ending 15th December 2017:

KS1:Rec	98.46%
KS2:Y4	93.33%



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