



HYLTON CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Weekly newsletter 9: W/E 8th November 2019

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

Dates to remember

- Monday 4th Nov 2019**
 - Children return to school
- Wednesday 6th Nov 2019**
 - Y3 & Y5 trip - £2.00
- Friday 8th Nov 2019**
 - Y1 & Y2 trip - £3.45 (paid by 25th Oct)
 - Y4 trip - £2.00
- Wednesday 13th Nov 2019**
 - Y3 class assembly - 9am
 - Y6 trip - £12.00 (paid by 8th Nov)
- Friday 15th Nov 2019**
 - Children In Need - non uniform & cake sale
- Tuesday 26th Nov 2019**
 - Y6 trip - £11.20 (paid by 22nd Nov)
- Wednesday 4th Dec 2019**
 - Rec & Nur panto - £5.00 (paid by 13th Nov)
 - Y1—Y6 panto - £5.00 (paid by 13th Nov)
- Wednesday 11th Dec 2019**
 - Rec Nativity play - 9.30am
- Tuesday 17th Dec 2019**
 - Christmas Lunch 11.45pm- Grandparents invited £3.05 must be booked & paid by Mon 2nd Dec.
 - Nurs & Rec Santa visit - £3.50 (paid by 2nd Dec)
- Friday 20th Dec 2019**
 - Carol Service—10am
 - Break up
- Monday 6th Jan 2020**
 - INSET—NO Children
- Tuesday 7th Jan 2020**
 - Children return to school

Sir Tom Cowie – Coats for Kids

We are lucky enough to have had 24 coats (in a range of sizes) donated to school by the Sir Tom Cowie Charitable Trust. These coats will be kept in school and used during playtimes and on school trips for children who come to school without the appropriate outdoor wear. The school council are modelling the coats on the photograph.



BBC Children in Need

Friday 15th November

Your child is invited to come to school wearing their own clothes in exchange for a donation (suggested £1) to Children in Need.

Please note that clothing should be appropriate for school and the weather and so should not include:

- Fancy dress
- Football shirts or strips
- Make-up or Jewellery
- Dyed hair
- High heels
- Crop tops
- Party clothes, beachwear or similar (if in doubt please ask)

During the day, children will be able to buy cakes in school for 20p.

Odd Socks Day – Monday 11th November



Next week is National Anti-Bullying Week and, as always, we will be starting the week with Odd Socks Day.

Throughout the week children will be learning about various aspects of bullying – including online bullying. You should have already been invited to work alongside your child at some point too. We look forward to seeing you!

Deputy Headteacher

We are delighted to tell you that Governors have appointed our new Deputy Headteacher. Mr. Laurie will be starting with us in January 2020.

Behaviour Awards

Congratulations to the following children who achieved the BRONZE award this week:

- Harry White
- Clayton Harrison
- Evie Hope

SILVER award this week

- Thomas Robins

So Proud

The school photographers were very complimentary about the excellent behaviour and good manners of our children while waiting for, and having, their photographs taken. They are both so keen to come to our school again next year that they have asked for us to request them. While we already know that our children are amazing, it is lovely to hear that visitors also notice this!

Books for Schools

Following on from our great success collecting the Aldi 'Kit for Schools' stickers we are going to begin collecting the 'Books for Schools' tokens which can be found in the Sun newspaper.

Please send any tokens into school with your child to help us take part in this great opportunity.



Autumn Term Breakdown for Attendance

- 0 days missed = 100%
- 1 day missed = 98.61%
- 2 days missed = 97.22%

**• 3 days missed = 95.83%
WILL NOT RECEIVE THE TREAT**

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

Happy Birthday for the coming week to:



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| Thomas | McManus |
| Mia | Gray |
| Jaxson | Morris |
| Alice | Skelton |

Attendance Awards

Congratulations to the following classes for winning the attendance awards for week ending 25th October:

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| KS1:Y2 | 94.44% |
| KS2:Y6 | 98.28% |



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



8th November 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to inform you about Operation Endeavour. This is an innovative project in which schools and colleges in Northumberland are participating, and which is run in partnership with Sunderland Safeguarding Children Partnership and Northumbria Police.

Operation Endeavour which commences on 5th November 2019, aims to support children and young people who go missing from home. Children who go missing from home are at risk of significant harm and they may be vulnerable to sexual and/or criminal exploitation, violent crime, gang exploitation, or to drug and alcohol misuse.

As a result, following any report of a child going missing to the Police, the Police will contact Children's Social Care who will then communicate relevant and necessary information to nominated school staff.

Each school has members of staff (key adults) who have been fully trained in liaising with the Police and Children's Social Care when required and will ensure that the necessary support is made available to the child or young person following their return.

I believe that this project demonstrates our school's commitment to working in partnership to safeguard and protect children, and to providing the best possible care and support for our pupils.

In the meantime, if you would like to speak to someone further about the project or require further information please contact our key adults in school who are Mrs Wood and Miss Clark.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Wood
Headteacher

