



HYLTON CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Weekly newsletter 3: W/E 9th October 2020

PLEASE NOTE: Car park gates are closed between 8.30am - 9.00am & 2.55pm - 3.30pm for safety

Dates to Remember

- W/B 12th Oct 2020
Telephone call parental appointments
- Friday 23rd Oct 2020
Break up - half term
- Monday 2nd Nov 2020
Children return to school
- Friday 6th Nov 2020
Y4 swimming starts
- Thursday 26th Nov 2020
Flu Vaccine
- Friday 18th Dec 2020
Break up - Christmas
- Monday 4th Jan 2021
INSET - NO CHILDREN
- Tuesday 5th Jan 2021
Children return to school
- Friday 8th Jan 2021
Y3 swimming starts
- Thursday 11th Feb 2021
Break up - half term
- Friday 12th Feb 2021
INSET - NO CHILDREN
- Monday 22nd Feb 2021
Children return to school
- Friday 26th Feb 2021
Y2 swimming starts
- Friday 26th March 2021
Break up - Easter
- Monday 12th April 2021
Children return to school
- Friday 16th April 2021
Y1 swimming starts
- W/B 10th May 2020
• KS2 SATS
- Friday 28th May 2021
Break up - half term
- Monday 7th June 2021
Children return to school
- Friday 11th June 2021
Y6 swimming starts
- Friday 16th July 2021
Break up - Summer Holiday

COVID-19 Positive Tests

If you, or a member of your family, receives a positive test over a weekend, we would be very grateful if you could contact us via the school email address (at the bottom of this page) as soon as possible so that we can inform any people needing to isolate as soon as possible.

Parental Appointments

Thank you for making your appointments to speak with your child's teacher next week. Please remember that the teacher may make the call from an unknown number and we urge you to answer it. With children having missed so much schooling last year, the partnership between school and home is more important than ever to ensure your child reaches their full potential.

Heroes of the Week



Well done to the children who won this the last week:

- Faith Owens
- Adele Jones
- Ryan Kennedy
- Tilly Mae Race
- Gracie Bell
- Travis Strong
- Skylar Welsh

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

Happy Birthday to the children who have had birthdays this week:



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| Faith | Owens |
| Charlie | Butler |
| Harry | Lupton |
| Riley | Keithley |
| Adeline | Kyei |
| Kian | McIntyre |

World Mental Health Day

Tomorrow (10th October) is World Mental Health Day. In these strange times, it is more important than ever to look after our own and each other's mental health. Today, the children watched an assembly which talked about the 5 ways to wellbeing:

- Connect
- Be active
- Take notice
- Keep learning
- Give

Over the next few weeks we will share ideas of how you can follow these five steps to keep you and your family's mentally healthy.

Halloween

This year, due to restrictions in place because of COVID19, Halloween may be very different for your child. Because of this, and because we think they have done so amazing settling back into school, we are going to have a Halloween-themed day on Friday 23rd October. Your child can come to school in Halloween fancy dress and we will plan activities for them to enjoy during the day.



Thank you

I would like to take this opportunity to say a big thank you to our staff. They are doing an amazing job in these unprecedented times and are working extremely hard to help your children feel/be safe in school and also make great progress (either in school or completing work at home when self-isolating)! I am extremely proud of all of them and know you will want to join me in letting them know how much we appreciate them.

Attendance Awards

Congratulations to the following classes for the best attendance for week ending 2nd October:

KS1:Y2	99.30%
KS2:Y3	99.33%

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