

Weekly Newsletter

'Flourish, Succeed, Let Your Light Shine'

A Message from Mrs Thompson

It has been another glorious week and it has been wonderful to see the children enjoying their time outside in the sunshine; the EYFS children have particularly enjoyed their time in the mud kitchen, although I am not sure that the cleaners are quite as keen on this! Key Stage One were really hooked during their online session with Lemn Sissay and Greg Stobbs, who are the author and illustrators of the story Don't Tell the Dragon. It was a really engaging afternoon and we hope that the children have all come home telling you about this text and what it is like to work as an author or an illustrator.

It has also been another busy week in the sporting calendar, with both schools having a team participating in the Straw Cup football tournament and every child in Key Stage Two participating in the Whitby School's Cross Country races. We were incredibly proud of the children who took part in these events, as they have shown fantastic resilience and team spirit. We really want to promote a love of sport and look forward to developing our sporting teams further as we participate in the wide range of sporting opportunities which are being offered across the area. We would like to thank all of the parents who supported the children at both these events this week, it really does make a difference.

Flood update

This week we have worked with the lead contractors to compile the snagging lists and dates have been set for each element to be addressed. The contractors have confirmed that the reinstatement of the toilets in Birch and Ash class should be completed by the end of the Easter holiday and the LA will then be able to return to inspect the site. The week commencing 25th April will then be for the decorators to return to complete their final works and to finalise any snagging. We will have ongoing dialogue with the contractors throughout this period and we are putting plans in place for our return to site. We are working with the removal company to organise the return of all of the furniture and will let you all know when we have a final date for our return to Fylingdales.

We hope that you all have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Thompson



This week our amazing stars of the week are:

| | Star of the week | Reader of the week | Respect Award | | Star of the week | Reader of the week | Respect Award |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------|---------------|----------------------|------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Acorns | Jake / Pippa | Jake | Jane | Explorers | Thea | Joey | |
| Ash | Jack / Poppy | Josie | Dahli | Adventurers | Alfie M | Harvey | Esther |
| Birch | Freddie | Bella | Charlie | Investigators | Football Team | Connor | |
| Oak | Kaleb / Henry Hogarth | Evie | Sienna | | | | |
| Headteacher Award | To both the Football Teams who competed in Straws Cup | | | | | | |

| Dates for your Diary | Date | Times | Additional Information |
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| Easter Afternoon - KS1 Bonnet parade KS2 Easter Garden exhibition | Wed 30 th March | 1.15pm KS1 2.15pm Yr. 3/4 2.30pm Yr. 5/6 | Parents will be able to attend this event. See details within the letter |
| Solve It Group Meeting | Thurs 31 st March | 6.00pm | Hawsker School |
| Key Stage 2 Coffee Enterprise Event | Fri 1 st April | 1.00 – 1.40pm 1.45 – 2.20pm 2.30 – 3.00pm | At Hawsker Village Hall. Oak class Adventurers and Investigators Birch Class Details will be sent via Dojo |
| Year 3 / 4 Residential to East Barnby | Mon 4 th – Wed 6 th April | | See separate letters |
| EYFS Easter Egg Hunt | Tues 5 th April | | Details will be sent via the class teacher |
| EYFS / Key Stage 1 Royal Party | Wednesday 6 th April | 2.00pm | Hawsker Church – more information on Dojo |
| Shining Light Award Assembly | Thurs 7 th April | 2.00pm | Invites will be sent next week. |
| Close for Easter | Fri 8 th April | | Monday 25 th April is a training day and school reopens on Tuesday 26th April. |
| May Day Bank Holiday | Monday 2 nd May | | School will be closed on Monday 2 nd May and will reopen on Tuesday 3 rd May. |

Staffing

Miss Groombridge is sending her best wishes to you all, but she has been called onto a case for her jury service, this means that Birch class will continue to be taught by Mrs Brown for the week commencing 28/3/22. Mrs Jenkinson is also sending her best wishes to everyone and is so sorry that she is not back with us yet. Sadly, she currently has Covid, but is hoping that she will start her phased return during the final week of this half term.

Our wonderful cook Anna Hitch will be moving to pastures new in a few weeks time as she has secured a post with Whitby Distillery. The children will all definitely miss her fabulous meals as she really does go above and beyond for our fabulous children. We are sure you will join us in wishing her every success in her new role when this commences.

Key Stage 2 Community Coffee Event

Children from all Key Stage 2 classes in the Federation will be running a community coffee event on Friday 1st April as part of their class topic 'Full of Beans'. The children will have baked a range of goods for the event and will be serving tea and coffee in Hawsker Village Hall for the full afternoon. Key Stage 2 children will also take part in some sporting activities run by Hawkes and have some time in the park to relax with their friends during the afternoon. To ensure that all children have the opportunity to run the café the timings will be as follow

- 1.00 – 1.40pm Oak Class
- 1.40 – 2.20pm – Adventurers and Investigators
- 2.30 – 3.00pm – Birch Class

All Federation parents are welcome to join us for this event and children in EYFS and Key Stage 1 are welcome to attend with their parents. Acorns, Explorers and Ash class, please inform your child's class teacher via Dojo if you would like to collect your child from class to attend the coffee event.

Solve It Group – Thursday 31st March at Hawsker Primary School

This is our parent forum session and it is an opportunity for parents to come together to discuss new initiatives in school and look at ways that we can work together to further improve both of our schools. Meetings take place each half term and we have reverted to an evening meeting as this seemed to meet the needs of more families. This half term the agenda items will be Learning Journals, Parent Volunteer Groups, Communication and community events. If you would like any items adding to the agenda, please contact the Hawsker Office.

REMINDER - Easter Parental Involvement Event – Wed 30th March

We are really looking forward to welcoming our families to join us for an Easter filled afternoon on Wednesday 30th March at Hawsker School. We have already had some fabulous entries to our Easter bonnet and Easter Garden competitions and we look forward to many more coming into school. Please make sure these are in school by **Monday 28th March**.

| Who | Time | Event | Where to go |
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| Parents of Acorns, Explorers and Ash Class | 1.15pm | Easter Bonnet Parade | Hawsker School Playground Following the parade, you will be able to collect your child from the classroom to enjoy the stalls and visit the Easter Garden exhibition in Hawsker church. |
| Parents of Adventurers and Birch Class | 2.00 – 2.15pm | Easter Gardens | Collect your child from class and visit the stalls in the playground and Easter Garden display in Hawsker church |
| Parents of Oak Class and Investigators | 2.15 – 2.30pm | Easter Gardens | Collect your child from class and visit the stalls in the playground and Easter Garden display in Hawsker church |

Next Week's Menu

Meals cost £2.73 per day and always come served with vegetables / salad.

| | Main Course | Dessert |
|-----------|-----------------------------|---|
| Monday | Chicken korma | Please note that a choice of jacket potato is offered as an alternative on a daily basis. |
| Tuesday | Mexican beef tortilla boats | |
| Wednesday | Macaroni cheese | |
| Thursday | Roast chicken & stuffing | Desserts will vary daily as these are prepared at Eskdale School and transported daily. |
| Friday | Fish, chips and beans | |

We politely ask that there are no food items containing nuts / peanuts for packed lunches/ snack as we do have children in school with severe allergies.

After School Clubs

Please note that Oak class can be brought to Hawsker to access these clubs.

| | Club run by school | Cost & how to book | External provider | Cost | How to book and pay |
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| Monday | Mindfulness | Please book via the school office. Clubs cost £3 until 4.15pm and £5 until 5pm. | Choir | £1.00 | Via Parentpay |
| Tuesday | Hama Beads | | Football Club | £3.50 | Via Class4kids |
| Wednesday | Art Club | | Dance Club | £3.00 | Via Parentpay |
| Thursday | Cooking Club | | | | |
| Friday | Film Club | | Multi skills Club | £3.50 | Via Class4kids |



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