



HYLTON CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Weekly newsletter 3 W/E 22nd September 2023

PLEASE NOTE: Car park gates are closed between 8.25am - 9.00am & 2.55pm - 3.30pm for safety

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tuesday 26th Sept 2023

NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS -

Staff training

Thurs 5th October 2023

Celebrating Global Tastes Menu

W/B 9th October 2023

Derwent Hill trip

W/B 16th October 2023

Parental appointments week

Wed 18th Oct 2023 - 10.00am

Harvest Festival (more info to follow)

Friday 20th October 2023

Break up for half term

Monday 30th October 2023

CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL

Wednesday 20th December 2023

Break up for Christmas

Monday 8th January 2024

CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL

Friday 16th February 2024

Break up for half term

Monday 26th February 2024

CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL

Thursday 28th March 2024

Break up for Easter

Monday 15th April 2024

CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL

Friday 24th May 2024

Break up for half term

Monday 3rd June 2024

CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL

Friday 19th July 2024

Break up for summer holiday

Attendance Awards

Congratulations to the following classes for the best attendance for week ending 15th September

KS1: Y2 98.89%
KS2: Y3 97.86%



Happy Birthday
to the children who have a
birthdays this weeks:

Lewis	Cooper
Oliver	Kennedy
Evie	Paul
Amelia	Smith
Rosie	Rushworth
Harry	Cruddas
Freddie	Thew

OPAL Heroes



The OPAL Superstar award is awarded to someone who has showed a real commitment to OPAL and being a positive role model to others.

The winner for this week is :

- Harper Young

A huge well done and keep it up. 😊

Heroes of the Week



Well done to the children who won this week:

- Hope Smiles
- Isaac Boyd
- Anna Robins
- Lexi Britton
- Nancy Awenlimobor
- Jessica Mascoll
- Destiny Awenlimobor
- Tommy Lavelle

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

Music lessons

Please remind your child that they must bring their instruments to school for their music lessons. Violins/Guitars on a Wednesday and Brass/Drums on a Thursday, failure to bring their instrument will mean that they miss their lesson that week.

We also still have places available for lessons in violins/guitars/ drums and brass, if your child is interested please call at the school office to enquire.



Celebrating Global Tastes

The school meals service is holding a promotional day on Thursday 4th October.

The menu will be:

- Chinese Chicken Curry or
 - American Burger in a Bun or
 - Italian Meatballs
- Served with Boiled rice, French fries, Spaggett , Baked beans, Sweetcorn

Followed by:

- American Cookies & Ice Cream or
- Fresh Fruit Salad

We would encourage all children to have a school meal on the day. If your child does not normally have school dinners & brings a packed lunch from home, then please let the school office know by **Tuesday 26th September** . £2.40 for children in KS2 , KS1 children receive universal free school meals.

Every child will be given a fun activity sheet & in each year group there will be a lucky "golden ticket" winner of a cupcake set, who will then enter a prize draw to try and win one of the star prizes :

- **£20 Amazon voucher (8 prizes available) .**
- Good luck !



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OPAL update

Meet the new OPAL Monitors.

A huge well done to our new OPAL monitors. They have all volunteered to take on an important task and join the OPAL team. They will be responsible for supporting play and working with the OPAL Play leaders to develop new areas.



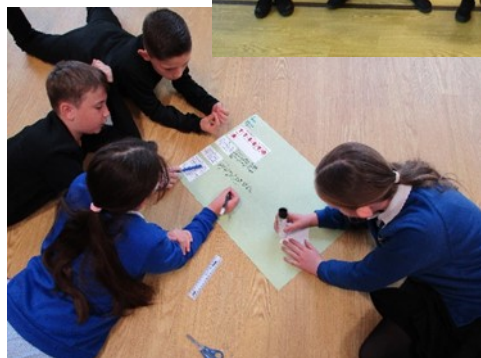
Year 4

Year 4 had some visitors in school, teaching them how a fire is caused, how to stay safe in a fire and what to do if there is a fire. The fire brigades told us about their job role, showed us some videos of how quickly a fire can grow and answered some fabulous questions that the children had about fire safety.



Year 6

Year 6 enjoyed a big space maths lesson to consolidate our learning about place value. We became 'human' numbers having to think about the positions of our digits. We then worked together as a team to answer a range of maths problems all about place value to reinforce our learning from this week.



Year 6

In history this week, year 6 created timelines of the different time periods they've already studied and a timeline of events for their new history topic: Ancient Greece. They had to apply their maths knowledge and think very carefully about the size of the spaces they left between to represent the correct number of years. It was quite tricky but they did a fantastic job!

