



# HYLTON CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

### Weekly newsletter 29 W/E 24th May 2024

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

#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

##### **Friday 24th May 2024**

Break up for half term

##### **Monday 3rd June 2024**

- CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL
- NO OPAL CLUB AFTER SCHOOL

##### **Wednesday 12th June 2024**

Class Photos

##### **Friday 14th June 2024 - 9.30am**

EYFS - sports day -

(all nursery children to attend morning session only)

##### **Tuesday 18th June 2024 - 9.00am**

Y1 - Y6 - sports day

##### **Tuesday 18th June 2024**

Festival of football menu for Euro 24

##### **Thursday 20th June 2024**

Year 2 trip - £12.00 (covers both trips) to be paid by 6th June

##### **Wed 26th & Thurs 27th June**

- Y6 secondary transitions days

##### **Thursday 27th June 2024**

Year 3 class assembly - 2.15pm

##### **Friday 28th June 2024**

Nursery assembly -

Morning children - 11.00am

Afternoon children - 2.30pm

##### **Monday 1st July 2024**

Year 3 trip -

£4.35 to be paid by 21st June

##### **Tuesday 2nd July 2024**

Wellbeing Day - wear blue

##### **Thursday 4th July 2024**

- Year 1 class assembly - 2.15pm

- Year 5 trip -

£18.30 to be paid by 14th June

##### **Friday 5th July 2024**

Year 2 class assembly - 2.15pm

##### **Thursday 11th July 2024**

Year 4 class assembly - 2.15pm

##### **Friday 12th July 2024**

- Reception class assembly - 2.15pm

• Year 2 trip - £12.00 (covers both trips) to be paid by 6th June

##### **Tuesday 16th July 2024**

Year 5 class assembly - 2.15pm

#### Quad Kids Athletics

Lola, Maisie, Eviee, Lucie, Clayton, Michael, Connor and Broden did a fantastic job in representing the school in the Year 5/6 Quad Kids Athletics Festival at Silksworth Athletics Track earlier in the week. There were 16 schools participating, with a total of 22 teams, and our team finished an impressive 5th! All the pupils took part in a 75m sprint race, a 600m race, standing long jump and howler throw. Michael had a standout performance in the 600m race with the third fastest time of the day with 2 minutes 5 seconds and Connor set the fastest time of the day in the 75m sprint with a time of 11.2 seconds! Well done to all 8 pupils!



#### House Team Winner

Children have really enjoyed earning house tokens again this term. Because it is the end of the half term, we have counted the tokens and the winning house is:

- Ambitious Warrior (Green)

Well done to everyone in that team; we hope you enjoy your special treat bag.

#### Heroes of the Week



Well done to the children who won this week:

- Freddie Thew
- Darcy Williams
- Luca Joyce
- Elliot Newton
- Logan Carrington
- Jemaima Ayo-Ige
- Dominic Gibson
- Jensen Walt
- Jessica Young

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

#### Attendance Awards

Congratulations to the following classes for the best attendance for week ending 17th May:

KS1: Y2	95.33%
KS2: Y5	96.90%

#### Happy Birthday to the children who have

Birth-

days:



Josh	Brownless
Vinnie	Jones
Joseph	Bernstein
Parker	Daymond
Mason	Cooper

#### OPAL Heroes




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

The winner for this week is :

- Hope Smiles

A huge well done and keep it up.

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



### OPAL Update

We are updating our water area ready for the summer. Any donations would be greatly welcomed 😊



## Big ↑ the Book!



Our book choice this week is 'How many mice make an elephant?' by Tracey Turner. It is a non-fiction book all about size and distance.

"I love Geography and this book puts different things into real-life perspectives. When you think about how 'big' something is you have nothing to compare it to – so looking at how big the sea is compared to a swimming pool really makes you think." – Miss Calvert

### Reminder - Co-op Fundraising

Hylton Castle Primary Friends Association has been selected as one of the local causes out of 11,000 applications, we are part of the @Coopuk Local Community Fund, to find out more about our project and to choose us as your cause, click here

<https://membership.coop.co.uk/causes/77616>

Parents and families can click on the link and become a member of the Co-op in several ways

- Download the Co-op app, become a member (costs £1.00) and then select our cause. Every time a member shops and buys Co-op branded items the cause will receive 2p for every £1.00 spent. Customers will also get rewards and coupons to spend in the shop.
- Go to [www.coop.co.uk/membership](http://www.coop.co.uk/membership) and follow the instructions
- Ask in store for a membership card and complete the form



This means Co-op members anywhere in the UK can select us as their cause with just 'one click'.

### Year 2

The year 2 reading area has improved dramatically, and the children are ALL loving it. We have enjoyed snuggling in to read and share books with each other.

