



Thorpe Hesley Primary School Newsletter

September (4) 2024

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The dinner menu for the next week is Week 1



Our Y1 and Y2 children enjoyed a fabulous animal experience on Thursday to enhance their topic, “All Creatures Great and Small,” bringing learning alive – literally! We have also had visits from both Winterhill and Wingfield schools this week, talking to our older children about opportunities beyond Year 6.

It was lovely to see some of our Nursery parents in school for the Foundations for Phonics Workshop. We hope you found this useful. We’d also like to say a massive thank you to everyone who supported our MacMillan coffee morning, whether that be through baking/donating cakes, helping with the organisation or coming along and enjoying a cake and a cuppa. We raised £46.50 to support MacMillan and the valuable work that they do.



Mrs Hewitt x



We have a couple of exciting opportunities to join our friendly, hard-working team.

School Meals Supervisory Assistants - we are looking to recruit a couple of lunchtime staff to work 12pm – 1pm daily to support our children in the dining halls and to supervise outdoor play.

Wrap-Around Care Assistant – We are looking for an enthusiastic individual to support our popular breakfast and after school clubs. The successful candidate will be experienced in delivering high quality play activities to engage pupils from ages 3 to 11. The role is 3pm to 6pm daily, with the possibility of additional hours at our morning breakfast club.

Find all information about the roles and how to apply on the NCLT website: <https://nclt.ac.uk/vacancies/>

If you would like to discuss either role, please contact our school office on 0114 2570153 or pop in for a chat. Please share with anyone who may be interested.

Sensory Workshops for Parents/Carers

I would like to share with you a programme of online sensory workshops available to parents/carers this academic year. These are delivered by Sadie Charlton, an Occupational Therapist and are free of charge. There will be two sessions for each workshop which will be held at 10:30am-11:30am or 6:00pm-7:00pm via Microsoft Teams. For further information and to register your interest in attending, please use the following link:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=_eb7Rq54aUecHbzqlzeK9sw_iw2WOlhGjPi8fuvxyf5UNUJEOVJYVvhIUEROSk45Q1hOMFpOREpNWC4u

This week you should have received on your personal email...

Reception Dinner Choice

Parent/Teacher consultations



Stars of the week w/c 9 th September 2024		Class 10	Pippa H
		Class 11	George C
		Class 12	Henry T
Class 2	Freddie C	Class 13	Daniel T
Class 3	Lillia C	Class 14	Millie K
Class 4	Rosie N	Class 15	Eva W – L
Class 5	Alice H - S	Class 16	Florence H
Class 6	Hunter L	Class 17	Lewis H
Class 7	Charlotte C	Class 18	Ellianna J-D
Class 8	Bella B		
Class 9	Emilia Mae C		



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Attendance

Congratulations to Class 8 and 14 who had the highest attendance this week. Adam the Attendance Ant is looking forward to a busy week visiting Classes 8 and Class 14 can't wait to enjoy having the climbing wall and football pitch to themselves at breaktimes next Friday.

Water bottles

Just a reminder to please only send water in your children's drinks bottles. As well as this being a healthier option, it also causes much less damage to children's exercise books, clothes and equipment when we have spillages. Thank you.

Wonka Wednesday

Thanks to everyone who has ordered Wonka bars to be in with the chance of finding a Golden Ticket. Prizes include:

- Free passes to Playmania
- Wentworth Woodhouse family pass
- Free entry to Play Valley
- 2 x Rotherham United tickets for Rotherham vs Lincoln City on 3rd Dec
- Usborne Book Bundle
- An extra breaktime for you and a friend
- Afternoon tea for you and a friend with Mrs Hewitt
- A multi-sports session for you and your class
- Free passes to Jump Inc
- Cannon Hall Farm passes
- Sheffield City Trust swim pass

Percentage of children in each class who have read at least three times a week and recorded in Reading Record books

Class 2	96%	Class 11	92%
Class 3	77%	Class 12	94%
Class 4	84%	Class 13	85%
Class 5	56%	Class 14	97%
Class 6	96%	Class 15	92%
Class 7	96%	Class 16	92%
Class 8	92%	Class 17	94%
Class 9	82%	Class 18	79%
Class 10	88%		



Road Safety

We have delivered assemblies in both buildings today about road safety following a report of a near miss outside school. Please could you support us by talking to your children about this. Thanks.

Well done to the following children who have the most correct answers this week:

1. Archie D, Year 4
2. Samuel I, Year 4
3. Henry T, Year 4
4. Alby C, Year 4
5. Archie B, Year 4



Dates going forward

Tuesday 1 st October	9:00 Class 1 Willow Stay and Learn– Prime Areas 9:00 Year 4 Reading Stay and Learn 14:15 Class 1 Oak Stay and Learn– Prime Areas 14:30 Class 3 Stay and Learn Reading
Tuesday 2 nd October	Wonka Wednesday (fundraising activity)
Thursday 3 rd October	14:30 Classes 2 and 4 Stay and Learn Reading 9:00 Class 1 Oak Stay and Learn – Prime Areas 14:15 Class 1 Willow Stay and Learn – Prime Areas
Monday 7 th October	Paralympic Athlete in school for assemblies and workshops Nursery Oak Parent Consultations – afternoon on School Cloud, evening in person
Tuesday 8 th October	Reception eye tests in school
Wednesday 9 th October	Parent Consultations for Nursery Willow and Reception to Year 6 – afternoon on School Cloud, evening in person
Friday 11 th October	Year 6 at Crucial Crew
Tuesday 15 th October	Reception Skeleton Day