

St Hedda's Catholic Primary School



Well done to our stars of the week:
in class 1 - Jasper
in class 2 - Joshua

WONDERFUL WORK

Class 1 - Class 1 have been great historians this week, delving into the facts behind the Great Fire of London. In English they have been constructing sentences in the formal invitation style of a Garden Party invitation to the King, whilst in Maths they have been practicing addition and learning how to multiply. An exciting World Book Day proved fruitful at the library, where the whole class could choose a selection of books to share. What an amazing week!

Class 2 - This week some children from Class 2 participated in the Eskdale festival. We were very proud of all of our class members, they really let their lights shine. We have also loved making dens in Forest Schools, and some of us stayed for an extra session after school - which we loved! In D.T we made three different dishes, noodle salad, stuffed pepper and roasted cauliflower with a dip. We have had so much fun.

NEWSLETTER

08.03.24

THE WEEK AHEAD:

Monday 11th March

PE for both classes

Tuesday 12th March

Eskdale Festival Music Classes

Wednesday 13th March

Forest School session

Mother's Day Special

Thursday 14th March

10 -11am Playgroup

SATs club

Friday 15th March

CAFOD Big Lent Walk

Non Uniform Day

Eskdale Festival

A huge well done to all of the children who took part in The Eskdale Festival this week. Your performances were a credit to the school and I was delighted to see how well recognised your efforts had been. The MANY certificates will be added to our playground stage display to remind the children of their achievements. Thank you again to Mrs Coates for giving up so much of her time to ensure the children were well prepared, and to Mrs Wall.

Anyone who would like to see the children perform their various pieces are invited to a Spring Concert on the evening of 11th April. Further details to be confirmed.

Forest School Special Session

We will be having a special Mother's Day session on Wednesday 13th March 1:30 -3, weather permitting. Mums or another special person can attend alongside their child. The session will provide access to free flow forest school activities. Please dress for the weather, wellies recommended.

Playgroup

Our parent and toddler group will take place every Thursday from 10am - 11am. The sessions will be free and open to anyone with a pre-school aged child/baby. Please spread the word and share our posters online as this is a great way to get prospective families into school to see what we have to offer.

Nursery Consultation

You will soon receive a letter outlining our intention to begin offering nursery places to 3 year olds. We are consulting to determine the opinion in our community about this plan and to get a greater understanding of demand. We believe that in order to attract more children to our school this is essential and also has huge benefits for children who will be able to access a high quality early years education. It is important that we have a pool of positive feedback to share with the DfE and would urge parents to respond with their opinion.

CAFOD Big Lent Walk

On 15th March we will take part in The Big Lent Walk for CAFOD. We are aiming to walk a collective 40 miles during the school day and will be collecting sponsorship for our efforts. Details of how to sponsor our walk will be shared on Monday.

Non-uniform Day

On 15th March children are invited to come to school wearing their own clothes. Instead of bringing in a monetary donation, please bring in an Easter egg that can be used as a bingo prize.

PTFA - Easter Bingo and Raffle

St Hedda's PTFA have kindly arranged an end of term bingo. Families and friends of St Hedda's are welcome to join us in the school hall at 3:30pm on 22nd March for bingo and refreshments.

Donations of tombola prizes will be kindly received for a stall at our bingo. Please send them into the school office. We will also be having an Easter Raffle (drawn at the bingo), all children will be bringing home 1 book of raffle tickets to sell, please send any money and stubs or unsold tickets back to school, thank you. If you can sell more there are plenty available, please ask at the office. There are lots of prizes which include: Temple Spa Treats, Whitby Pavilion Cinema voucher for 2, Family ticket to Beck Isle Museum Pickering.

Time to Shine

The children have once again voted for their 'Time to Shine' reward for this half term in line with our behaviour policy. The democratic process resulted in a lead of just 3 votes for the winning option of... Easter Treasure Hunt! All children who have followed the golden rules and collected shine points consistently will take part.

Welcome

On Thursday we welcomed some new friends for a transition day. Our existing St Hedda's children were so excited to have them in school and it was great to see how quickly everyone was playing together.

Notices

- Wraparound Care and Bus Run 1 -



Please book wrap around care (Breakfast and After School Club) and bus 1 by contacting the school office by 3pm on a Thursday to book places for the following week.

- Children collected from School/Bus - we understand from time to time your child/children may be collected by another family member/friend etc - please make sure these contacts are updated as authorised to collect on Arbor.

MARVELLOUS MARCH



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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
	Marvellous March has been created by the Sports Leaders at St Gabriel's and St Mary's, Malton			1st March Shuttle Run Bronze: 5 times Silver: 10 times Gold: 20 times	2nd March Can you ride, walk, jog or scoot over the weekend?	3rd March
4th March Burpees Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	5th March Calf Raises Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	6th March Throw and Catch Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	7th March Spotty Dogs Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	8th March Toe Taps Bronze: 15 times Silver: 35 times Gold: 50+ times	9th March Can you go and support a local sports team? For example, Teesside Lions, Middlesbrough Women or one of your friends' teams?	10th March
11th March Lunges Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	12th March Speed Bounce Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	13th March Star Jumps Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	14th March Crunches Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	15th March Catch and Clap Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	16th March 17th March Can you send photos of you taking part in a sporting activity?	
18th March High Knees Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	19th March Arm Circles Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	20th March Football Dribble Bronze: 30 seconds Silver: 1 minute Gold: 2+ minutes	21st March Plank Bronze: 20 seconds Silver: 45 seconds Gold: 1 minute +	22nd March Wall Sit Bronze: 15 times Silver: 25 times Gold 35+	23rd March	24th March Can you find or create a dance routine and send in your video / photographs completing it?
25th March Throw a bean bag into a target Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	26th March Bounce tennis ball on a racket Bronze: 5 times Silver: 10 times Gold: 20+ times	27th March Bounce Squats Bronze: 10 times Silver: 20 times Gold: 30 times	28th March High Knees Bronze: 5 throws Silver: 10 throws Gold: 15 throws	29th March Sit Down / Stand Up Bronze: 15 times Silver: 25 times Gold 35+ times	30th March	31st March Can you create an obstacle course in your house and send a photograph of you completing it?



SPRING TERM DATES MARCH 2024

Tues 12th/Wed 13th Eskdale Festival - Music Classes

Fri 15th LGB Meeting

Fri 15th Non Uniform Day

Fri 15th CAFOD Big Lent Walk

Thur 21st Rearranged date for Class 2 Cross Country

Fri 22nd Break up for Easter Holidays

Fri 22nd St. Hedda's PTFA Easter Bingo