

St Hedda's Catholic Primary School



Well done to our stars of the week:
in class 1 - Jorja
in class 2 - Varsha

WONDERFUL WORK

Class 1 - Class 1 have been writing Garden Party invitations to the King this week, as well as enjoying the class story of The Rhythm of the Rain. Creating dynamic gymnastic sequences showed skill and control, whilst the Mothers Day Forest schools activities were enjoyed by all. In RE, we continue to grow and change to be the best we can be during Lent, reflecting upon Palm Sunday and the arrival of Jesus in Jerusalem.

Class 2 - This week in Class 2, we have enjoyed welcoming new students to St Hedda's. In Maths we have been learning about fractions and decimals. We loved Forest Schools and got to make a den, build fires, toast crumpets and hot cross buns and took part in a bug hunt.

NEWSLETTER

15.03.24

THE WEEK AHEAD:

Monday 18th March

PE for both classes

Tuesday 19th March

Wednesday 20th March

Forest School session

Thursday 21st March

10 -11am Playgroup
SATs club

Friday 22nd March

9.15m. Palm Sunday Liturgy and
Hot Cross Bun Service
Break up for Easter Holidays
3.30 p.m. PTFA Easter Bingo

Eskdale Festival

Well done once again to our participants this week who all achieved certificates for their singing and music.

There has been a huge amount of praise from audience members at the festival who have noted the behaviour and talents of our children. What fantastic ambassadors for our school.

Anyone who would like to see the children perform their various pieces are invited to a Spring Concert on the evening of 18th April. All children will be invited to take part; including those who did not compete in the festival. Further details to be confirmed.

Forest School Special Session

Thank you to the Mums who attended our Mother's Day forest school session. It was lovely to hear comments about how much you enjoyed coming in and seeing how well all of the children are doing. Looking to the term ahead we will build in plenty of opportunities to come into school and get an insight into how your children learn.

Nursery Consultation

Thank you to those who have responded to the nursery consultation letter to share your views. It is not too late to have your say. As detailed in the consultation letter we are proposing an 8 place nursery which would allow 3 and 4 year olds to work alongside our reception children in our existing early years classroom. This is a great opportunity for those seeking a Catholic education to have the option of nursery education. If you have any questions about the proposal, as always, Mrs Bartoli will be happy to speak to you at any time.

CAFOD Big Lent Walk

We had a lovely Big Lent Walk that saw the school collectively walk 78.96km. Despite their being more puddles than path along the toll road the walk was enjoyed by all and we used the opportunity to reflect on Jesus' sacrifice during this time of Lent. Thank you for your sponsorship which will go to CAFOD. You can still sponsor the children via the justgiving page.

Easter Assemblies

Parents and carers are invited to join us in school on Friday 22nd March at 9:15 for a Palm Sunday Liturgy (lead by class 2) followed by a hot cross bun assembly (lead by class 1). There will be an opportunity for tea, coffee and palm cross making following the assemblies.

Immediately after the Easter assemblies there will be a short SATS information session for year 6 parents.

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.

Eggcellent Eggs!

Children are invited to decorate boiled eggs and bring them into school on Friday 22nd March. There will be a prize for the best entry. We are suggesting, if possible, that entries are no larger than a shoe box in order to save space in the hall for our Easter bingo.

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.

School Field Wilderness Overnight Camp - 27th/28th June

After reviewing the best options for residential trips for class 2 we have booked a very exciting overnight camp. This will include an evening of activities and BBQ, overnight camp followed by a whole day of activities the following day. We will share details of the full itinerary after the Easter break.

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.

MARVELLOUS MARCH



MARVELLOUS MARCH

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

Mon 8th April - Children return to School



Whitby Abbey

3 d · 🌐

Attention, Whitby locals!

This Saturday is Local's Day at Whitby Abbey 🌞

Anybody with a YO21 or YO22 address gets free entry - Yes, that does include dogs!

Just bring some proof in form of a driver's license or council tax bill!

So, open your calendars and note down the 16th of March to visit your neighbourhood landmark for free 📅



Whitby Lobster Hatchery

4 March at 14:53 · 🌐

Come down and have look! Free for YO21 & YO22 postcodes with proof of address, happy days!

HAPPENING NOW

FREE Locals Weekend Friday - Sunday

Whitby Fish Market, YO21 3PU Whitby, United Kingdom