



Friday 20th May 2022

Weekly Newsletter

'Flourish, Succeed, Let Your Light Shine'

A Message from Mrs Thompson

This half term seems to have really flown by and it is hard to believe that we only have one more week until the half term break! Summer definitely feels to have arrived now and it has been wonderful to see the children enjoying being outside in the sunshine together. Active playtimes are always so much better in the sun, as everyone loves playing together on the field! It is always such a pleasure to see how kind and caring our children are as they create a wealth of active and imaginative play together. I am particularly proud of our oldest children, who always show such a nurturing approach with the younger members of the school community. We really do have very special school communities to be proud of.

This week has seen some very exciting new additions to Acorn class, as an incredible 16 out of 17 of our eggs hatched into a beautiful array of chicks. I was greeted by very excited calls on Monday, as our first two arrivals appeared and the children were fascinated to see more chicks emerging from the eggs during the morning. The children (and staff!) have loved teaching the chicks how to peck their feed and we have all been amazed at how quickly they are growing. Thank you to Mrs Herbert for being our 'chick Mum' and we will look forward to hearing about how they all develop once they return to Mrs Herbert's farm.

We are all looking forward to all of the jubilee celebrations along with more sporting events next week and we hope that you will be able to join us for our special events to end another busy half term. After the half term break, we are planning to take all of the Hawsker children down to Fylingdales for a fun filled afternoon, so that the children can see the friends that they made during our time together.

I hope that you all have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Helen Thompson



This week our amazing stars of the week are:

	Star of the week	Reader of the week	Respect Award
Explorers	Isabel	Taylor	Jacob
Adventurers	Alfie	Mason	Trixie
Investigators	Alfie	Ava	Alfie
Headteacher Award		Joey H and Charlie	

Hawsker Village Jubilee event – 5th June

We hope that families from both schools will all be eager to support the free Jubilee event at Hawsker Village hall on 5th June. The event will commence at 1pm and promises to be a fun afternoon out for all of the family. There will be a range of activities including a mini sports day event, fancy dress competition for the best dressed royalty and much more. The Friends of Hawsker School will be running a tombola stall at this village event. If you know anyone who would be willing to donate any tombola prizes, please send these to the school office and we will make sure that they are passed on to the Friends of Hawsker School.

School Uniform orders

School uniform can now be ordered online through the school website, items can be delivered to school free of charge or to your home address for a charge of £3.95. We ask that all orders delivered to school are placed before 15th June 2022 to allow delivery before the summer holidays. We will be having a sale of our school uniform stock at the Jubilee Event next Friday morning.

<https://school-shop.co.uk/school/hawsker-with-stainsacre-ce-primary-school/>

Eskdale Festival Art Competition

The Eskdale Festival organisers have approached us as they need a new cover for the syllabus and programme for the Eskdale Festival in Whitby. Do you love drawing and painting? Could you design their cover? The design should be in colour and include some of the things that happen during the Festival, such as instrumental music, singing, dancing or drama. Please use an A4 size piece of paper. There is a prize of £25 for the winner, and another £25 for your school. The closing date for entries is 24th June. Make sure your name and school are clearly written on the back of your work and send to Mrs. S Rowland, Rose Cottage, Stainsacre, Whitby YO22 4NT. Alternatively work can be sent to the school office, as Mrs Rowland comes into school each week to teach our recorder lessons.

Jubilee Lunch

On Thursday 26th May to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee, a "Royal Tea Party" lunch will be served, rather than the usual menu. The lunch this day will be a selection of homemade sandwiches, cheese straws, homemade sausage rolls and vegetable sticks, followed by a celebration cupcake. If your child usually has a packed lunch but would like to have a school lunch on this day please just ask them to let their teacher know at morning registration. Meals for Key Stage 2 children are charged at £2.73 per day.

Platinum Jubilee Tea Party Reminder – Friday 27th May

We would like to invite parents and members of the local community to join us of a truly royal street party style tea party between 9.30 and 11.30am on Friday 27th May. We hope that everyone will come dressed in anything red, white or blue as part of the celebration.

Our wonderful Friends of Hawsker School group will be supporting with the refreshments for this event, so please let us know if you know anyone who would be able to support with any baking for this event. We will be having a few stalls at this event with different games which will be fun for all of the family and all of the proceeds from the event will go to our Friends of Hawsker School to benefit every child. We hope that the weather will be kind, so that we can all sit outside for this event so please feel free to bring a picnic blanket / chair along with you (we do have plans in place to ensure that the event can still go ahead if rain does head our way!).

Free School Meal Eligibility

We appreciate that the cost of living is increasing all the time and we are aware that we may have families who are eligible for Free school meals who are not claiming for them at the moment. If you think you may be entitled to free school meals for your child, please use the application form which can be found on the NYCC website - <https://www.northyorks.gov.uk/free-school-meals> or contact the school office who will be very happy to help. Even if your child is in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 and currently receives universal free school meals, please check your entitlement. Being eligible will mean that school receives additional funding for your child, which will go towards their learning and any additional support they may need. If you need any help or further clarification, please contact the school office.

Attendance

Please be aware that we have seen a small number of Covid cases in school again, so please keep an eye out for symptoms. Just a little reminder that if your child is ill and will be absent from school, we ask that you contact school to let us know on each day that they will be absent, by 9.15am. This can be by telephone, Dojo or by email to hawskeradmin@hcfed.co.uk. If we do not hear anything from you, we will give you a call to check everything is okay as part of our safeguarding procedures. We have seen a very large number of holiday requests in recent weeks. We would like to remind parents that under government guidelines, which came into effect on 1st September 2013, Head Teachers are prevented from granting any leave of absence during term time, unless there are exceptional circumstances. Whilst we appreciate that this is the first time many families have been able to go away, a family holiday during term-time does not fall under the category of 'exceptional circumstances' and so we are unable to authorise requests.

Jewellery in School

Please could we remind everyone that jewellery is not allowed to be worn for Health and Safety reasons following a directive from North Yorkshire County Council. However, a watch and small stud earrings may be worn on a daily basis. We have noticed children wearing items such as bracelets, necklaces and hoop earrings recently. Not only does this present a health and safety risk but also causes upset if these items get lost. If you wish your child to have their ears pierced, we recommend that you have this done over the Summer holiday period to allow them to heal before a return to school. The guidance is that earrings need to be removed for PE and swimming lessons, we are not allowed to tape over them as in previous times.

End of Year Show – at Hawsker Village Hall – Wednesday 6th July

The summer show is called "Rock Bottom" and is based in pre-historic times. We are aiming to keep the costumes simple. All children in all classes will be dressed in a caveman theme. Your child can wear animal print clothing, of any colour, or alternatively could add natural colour or black. If you have any questions please see Mrs Dixon. Please do not buy anything special for this show, you are welcome to accessorize your child's clothing to make authentic and fun. Can we have all costumes in school by Friday 1st July

Next Week's Menu

Meals cost £2.73 per day and always come served with vegetables / salad.

	Main Course	Alternative	Dessert
Monday	Pasta Bolognese	Cheese / Tuna Jacket Potato	Desserts will vary daily as these are prepared at Eskdale School and transported daily.
Tuesday	Margherita Pizza	Tuna Pasta Pot	
Wednesday	Roast Pork & Apple Sauce	Cheese Sandwich	
Thursday	Jubilee Tea Party Lunch		
Friday	Fish Fingers	Creamy Cheese Pasta Pot	

We politely ask that there are no food items containing nuts / peanuts for packed lunches/ snack as we do have children in school with severe allergies.

After School Clubs

	Club run by school	Cost & how to book	External provider	Cost	How to book and pay
Monday	Mindfulness	Please book via the school office. Clubs cost £3 until 4.15pm and £5 until 5pm.	Cycling Club for Infants	£5.00	Via 07966 925711 or email jayscyclecoaching@outlook.com
Tuesday	Hama Beads		Football Club	£3.50	Via Class4kids
Wednesday	Art Club				
Thursday	Cooking Club		Cycling Club	£5.00	Via 07966 925711 or email jayscyclecoaching@outlook.com
Friday	Film Club				

Dates for your Diary

The summer term is always very busy. Key dates for the Summer Term are being added to the calendar on the School website and this is updated on a regular basis. We will do our best to stick to these dates and will only make changes where the weather impacts our plans – for example sports day. We do anticipate that there might be one or two events that may come up that we do not yet have a date for, but will absolutely do our best to share this with plenty of notice.

	Date	Times	Additional Information
Solve It Group	Tuesday 24 th May	6.00pm	Fylingdales Primary School
Year 5/6 Cricket Event	Wednesday 25 th May	10.00am-3pm	Letter circulated via Dojo and Email to parents of children taking part (one team of 10)
Hawsker Jubilee Tea Party	Friday 27 th May	9.30 – 11.30am	All families are invited between 9.30 – 11.30am. Please come wearing red, white and blue clothing.
Break up for half term	Friday 27 th May		
Back to school	Monday 6 th June		
Explorers Visit to Fylingdales Moor/Pond Dipping	Friday 10 th June	All day	Infants will be taking part in a visit to the Fylingdales Moor to take part in moorland activities – old clothes, wellies and packed lunch required (plus suncream/waterproofs, etc)
Residential Visit to Bewerley Park	Monday 13 th June – Friday 17 th June	-----	Years 5 and 6 will be partaking in their residential visit to Bewerley Park
Explorers to Playdale Farm	Monday 20 th June	All day	Details sent via Dojo
Investigators Visit to Fylingdales Moor/Pond Dipping	Tuesday 28 th June	All day	Years 5 and 6 will be taking part in a visit to the Fylingdales Moor to take part in moorland activities — old clothes, wellies and packed lunch required (plus suncream/waterproofs, etc)
Year 6 Leaver's Assembly – St Martin's Church, Scarborough	Friday 1 st July	All day	Year 6 will be taking part in a Leaver's Service. Packed lunch will be required.
Summer Show	Wednesday 6 th July	Evening	Will be held in Hawsker Village Hall – children to stay after school (packed lunch required) until the show.
Year 6 Transition week	Monday 11 th July	All week	Transition week to secondary schools
Adventurers Visit to Fylingdales Moor/Pond Dipping	Tuesday 12 th July	All day	Years 3 and 4 will be taking part in a visit to the Fylingdales Moor to take part in moorland activities – old clothes, wellies and packed lunch required (plus suncream/waterproofs, etc)



A
Royal
Tea Party



Menu



Selection of
Homemade Sandwiches



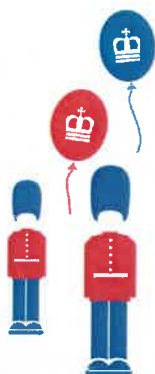
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Homemade Sausage Rolls

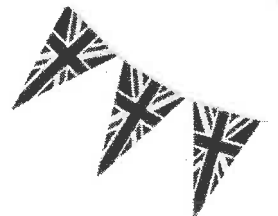
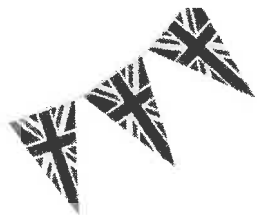
Vegetable Sticks

Celebration Cupcake



Date: 26th May 2021





Hawsker cum Stainsacre

Platinum Jubilee Community Celebrations

- ❖ at the Parish Hall
- ❖ on Sunday, 5th June 2022
- ❖ from 1pm onwards



Fun for all:

- ❖ starting with judging the best Jubilee themed *fancy dress*
- ❖ sports events
- ❖ *Prizes* to be won!



Tombola

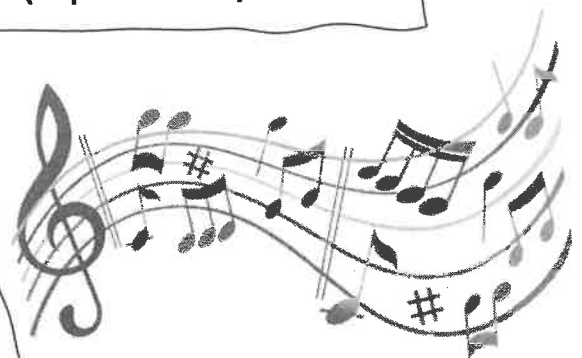


Songs of Praise

– starting at 3:30 pm.

Refreshments:

- ❖ bring and share food
- ❖ drinks provided
- ❖ bring a picnic blanket / a chair (optional)



*Music from the
Village Band*