## Downholland Haskayne CE Primary

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# Wednesday Weekly

Welcome to the week's Wednesday Weekly, I hope you all had a lovely half term and you all are enjoying the lighter mornings and evenings.

It was lovely to see so many of you at parents evening on Monday, thank you all for your feedback as this allows us to continue to make school the best it can be. The positive comments have been really appreciated by the staff. Please do keep communicating any issues or positives with us, as this will only strengthen the home and school links.

Before half term, we said goodbye to Miss Tams who has moved on to a new career. Miss Tams provided a great deal of support to many children at Haskayne. We wish her well in her new role and thank her for her contributions to Haskayne. She has asked me to pass on her thanks and best wishes to everyone.

This week, Miss Coutanche joined us from Edge Hill University where she is completing her final teaching placement before qualifying as a teacher. She will be working across the school and has already been made to feel very welcome by the children and staff.

<u>World book day is Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March</u> in school we will be celebrating by completing looks of book themed activities. We are inviting children to come in either **pyjamas** for bed time stories or **to dress as their favourite book character.** Please do not go to any expense with costumes.

<u>Red nose day is Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March</u> for a donation (suggested £1 but as much as you like) we will be holding a red day with children encouraged to wear red for the day. All monies raised will go to Comic Relief.

Enjoy the rest of the week

Mr Swindells

# Star of the week **Sidney**

#### **Attendance Award winner**

### **Eloise**

The following Children received Haskayne Values Awards in Assembly today:

Lukas,

#### Free school meals

If you believe you may be eligible for free school meals please do make an application. This allows your children to receive a free school meal but also contributes to school funds through government support. This allows school to ensure that all children are supported by excellent teachers and teaching assistants as well as access to resources.

Do have a look at eligibility by following the link below. If you have any questions, Mrs Winrow will be happy to help where she

https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/free-school-meals/

#### **Breakfast and After school club**

Spaces available but please book these as far in advance as possible. This allows me to organise staffing which is often very difficult at short notice.

#### **Easy Fundraising Link**

https://www.easyfundraising.or g.uk/causes/fodownhollandhask ayneschool/?searchSessionId=82 da24c8-1c2b-4c47-8bac-263ffaa6110a

#### **Lunch orders**

Please can we ask that lunch choices are ordered online, this allows the kitchen at Hallsall to order and prepare the food choices. We don't have the option to alter these choices or prepare alternatives here. Making these choices will make sure the children are getting food they enjoy or have their own packed lunch that day.

Any questions on this please ask.

#### **Dates for diary**

26<sup>th</sup> February – Tuck Shop
6<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Day
21<sup>st</sup> March – Red Nose Day
24<sup>th</sup> March – Non-uniform Day for donations of Easter Eggs or chocolates
24<sup>th</sup> March – Friends of Haskayne school Meeting
3<sup>rd</sup> April – Easter Egg Hunt. Details to follow

7<sup>th</sup> April – 18<sup>th</sup> April Easter Holidays 21<sup>st</sup> April – Bank Holiday

25th April – Recycling Collection