

WEST HESLERTON C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

Head: Rachel Wells B.A.(Hons)Q.T.S. NPQH

High Street, West Heslerton, Malton, North Yorkshire. YO17 8RD

Telephone: 01944/728286; E-mail:- admin@heslerton.n-yorks.sch.uk ;



"Children are at the centre of all we do."

NEWSLETTER March 10th 2023

DIARY DATES

Thursday 16th March – Pop up library

Friday 17th March – Last payment day for the Friends disco

- Red nose day – see box for details

Monday 20th March – Friends meeting 2:15pm – all welcome

Friday 24th March – Last day for Friends raffle tickets to be returned.

Dates for next term are available on the website and on Dojo.

<http://www.heslerton.n-yorks.sch.uk>

A LOVELY COMMENT RECEIVED THIS WEEK

Dojo is a great tool to keep up with what is happening in individual classes and also across the school. Its useful that it sends you reminders about upcoming events. It is a good way to contact individual members of staff.

WELL DONE FROM MRS WELLS

We are always on the lookout for superstars! I will be looking out for children displaying super skills each week. Please keep an eye upon Dojo messages to help us celebrate your child's skills with you. Next week, I will be looking for moments of self-control, linking to our worship theme. I know there will be lots of super moments to celebrate.



PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL

Can payments to school via Parent Pay be made by **each Friday at 10am** please so that payments can be reconciled weekly.

DISCO

Friday 24th March. Please pay by noon on the **17th March** so we can organise refreshments / snacks for pupils. Volunteers appreciated. Please let the office know if you are able to help. Thank you.

THANK YOU

Many thanks to Malton Museum for visiting Keeper Wood to deliver a Roman workshop. A great time was had by all, lots of fun!

REMINDER – FRIENDS RAFFLE

All tickets and funds to be returned to school by **Friday 24th March** please. Tickets will be drawn on **Friday 31st March** at the Church Easter Service. School will contact the winners on the number provided on the ticket

MEET THE GOVERNOR – LOUISA TODD

Hello there, how are you? I am Lou Todd and I have been elected at the Vice Chair to the Governors. It is such an honour to be able to support the school and I am excited to support the changes that will not only benefit the students and the teachers, but the parents too.

I work for the Cabinet Office as a programme manager in the Government Commercial Function - I have an extensive portfolio of continuous improvement and working in efficiency, which supports the school too. Prior to this I have worked in Civil Engineering and served for 16 years in the British Army in the Royal Corps of Signals. Outside of work, I love taking my family travelling in our campervan, Rowena, so if you do see us out and about, do wave and I will certainly wave back.

If you would like to raise concerns, have ideas or would like a general chat - please contact the office or grab me on the school run. Thank you xx

If you require this information in a different format, please contact the school office.

FARTHING WOOD

Our Friday afternoon was in 2 parts. For the first part, we worked on our Viking sagas. Because we had also completed our class dojo challenge and reached 1000 dojos we spent the rest of the afternoon celebrating by exploring and having toasted marshmallows.



BADGER WOOD

The children practised lots of different balances, it's been great to see how much they've improved their core strength since last time!



YOUNG VOICES SINGLE

The PROUD charity single, that features our choir, is out on Monday 6th March!
Every single voice from the YV23 concerts has been blended with Heather Small's voice for this live recording.
All UK proceeds will be donated to children's mental health charity Place2Be.

RED NOSE DAY

Red nose day – no fundraising planned here but wear a red nose if you wish on **Friday 17th March**.

KEEPER WOOD

MALTON MUSEUM

We had a fantastic morning with Malton Museum. The children completed 4 different activities based around our Roman History topic.



ASC REGISTRATION FORMS

After School Club registration forms have been sent home today to those not registered, ready for your child to attend. You may not use this regularly but some families have recently used these places in the case of any family emergency. A free session is available to each child each term. Please complete and return to school.

TAXFREE CHILDCARE

If you use our ASC and work, you may be able to pay for childcare with Sodexo and Computershare before tax, saving 20%! Please contact the office for info.

If you require this information in a different format, please contact the school office.



parentcarervoice
NORTH YORKSHIRE
WORKING TOGETHER FOR POSITIVE CHANGE

We are the recognised Parent Carer Forum for North Yorkshire, supporting families with children and young people (0-25 years old) with Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND). Our vision is to inform, empower and represent the collective voice of families with SEND in the region.

Upcoming Event - Kirkbymoorside

A warm welcome for SEND parents and carers in the Ryedale district!



Come along and enjoy **free** hot drinks and pastries with **Rachel Hurst**; our new Parent Participation Officer for Ryedale.

This is open to all SEND parents and carers living in any part of Ryedale, whether your child has a diagnosis or not:

- Find out more about Parent Carer Voice and what we do
- Meet other Parent carers and SEND professionals in your area
- Share your views and experiences within SEND services

When: Monday 13th March 2023, 1030am-1200pm

Where: The Moorside Room, 9 Church Street, Kirkbymoorside, YO62 6AZ

For more information or to let us know you're coming, **please email Rachel: pporyedale.pcv@gmail.com**

PARENTING SUPPORT

Solihull Approach online parenting courses are **FREE** for all North Yorkshire parents, carers and foster carers.

Visit the website: www.inourplace.co.uk and add the access code **NYFAMILIES**

Courses include: Understanding your baby, Understanding your Child, Understanding your child with additional needs, Understanding your teenager and Understanding your child's mental health.

FREE ONLINE PARENTING SESSIONS

March
23rd @ 10am & 8pm
Anxiety
(3 to 18-year-olds)

Does your child show signs of anxiety?
What exactly is anxiety?
How can I support my child with anxiety?

Anxiety can manifest in our children through constant worry, excessive avoidance, social fearfulness, perfectionism and irritability.

If this resonates with you and you are curious join Anisa (Parenting Coach) on the 23rd of March for her monthly Free Parenting Clinic, this talk is focused on Anxiety and what we can do to support ourselves and our young people.

Join us on zoom, for the 30-minute talk.

Book here:
<https://anisalewis.as.me/theclinic>
or
email: hello@anisalewis.com for the booking link

LOCAL CHURCH SERVICES

Mothering Sunday Service Sunday 19th March at 10.15 a.m. at All Saints', West Heselton, all welcome.

Palm Sunday Service Sunday 2nd April at 11.00 a.m. St. John the Baptist, Yedingham
a procession with 'donkey' and palms, readings and songs through the village; coffee and biscuits at church to conclude.

Easter Garden Service Good Friday 7th April at 3.00 p.m. St. John the Baptist, Yedingham
if you are able, do bring a small posey for the Easter Garden.
Try making an Easter Card - categories for 3 to 5 year olds, 6 to 8 years and 9 to 12 years

Easter Sunday Sunday 9th April at 10.15 a.m. at All Saints', Thorpe Bassett

If you require this information in a different format, please contact the school office.



BUSY BEE CRAFT CLUB
NORTON HIVE
LIBRARY

01609 534 552
nortoncommunitylibrary@gmail.com

SATURDAY
11th March 2023
Mother's Day crafts
10.30am until 12.30pm

ON ARRIVAL
PLEASE REGISTER YOUR CAR
ON THE KEY PAD
INSIDE THE LIBRARY

BOOKING
ESSENTIAL

FOR
CHILDREN
3 TO 11
YEARS

£1
PER CHILD

If you require this information in a different format, please contact the school office.