# WEST HESLERTON C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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

### **NEWSLETTER 12th APRIL 2024**

**BADGER WOOD** 

94.78%

KEEPER WOOD

96.21%

FARTHING WOOD
96.15%

#### **DIARY DATES**

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April,** Friends meeting at 2:30pm everyone welcome!

 Gymnastics club week 1 (places booked via ParentPay)

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April,** Bingo event at Norton to raise funds for school

Bikeability Y6

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April, Bikeability Y6 Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April, Bikeability Y5 Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April, Bikeability Y5 Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May, May Day Bank Holiday school closed

These are some of the dates we know. There may be changes so please check the school website and Dojo for details. http://www.heslerton.n-yorks.sch.uk

#### **SCHOOL SAFEGUARDING**

A reminder that there is no parking on the zig zags please, to ensure the continued safety of all.

Our school safeguarding team are available by phone,
Dojo or in person should you have any questions or support needs for your own family or have concerns about others.



#### **SUMMER TERM PE DAYS**

PE sessions will be held on the following days during the summer term

Badger Wood - Fridays Keeper Wood - Tuesdays Farthing Wood - Mondays

Please could children come to school in t shirt, trainers and joggers or sports legwear. All children will need a drinks bottle so that they stay hydrated.

All children will take part in Forest School sessions each Friday. They will each need a forest school kit suitable for summer (sun cream, hat, water bottle etc) in a rucksack.

# **BIKEABILITY Y5 & Y6**

Bikeability information has been sent home please can the forms be completed and returned. Bikeability is delivered by NYC staff and funded by school using the Sports Premium. Bikes and helmets are needed please.

#### **BAG2SCHOOL**

A big thank you to everyone who donated, your kind donations raised £164 for Friends.

# **BINGO NIGHT**

Friends have a Bingo event on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April at 6:30pm at the Malton and Norton Bowling Club. All welcome, please come along and join us!
Please bring cash for bingo sheets, drinks and cakes.
Please bring friends and family to join in the fun!

#### **WEBSITE – OUR MENU**

With the success of the use of Dojo, our school website seems to be used less. However, it contains some useful information. The menu tab found here Our Meals | West Heslerton CE VC Primary School is an easy way to look at our menu for the term ahead should you need to.

#### **RELIEF TEACHING ASSISTANTS**

We are always keen to hear from people who would wish to join our team. We are currently looking to appoint some relief teaching assistants. We'd love to hear from you if you'd like to assist in classrooms supporting teachers. There are no set hours for this role, we'll get in touch when we need cover in classes or at lunchtimes. A clear DBS will be required for safeguarding reasons. Please contact the office for a person specification and application form.



#### **USEFUL FORMS**

Forms often needed can be found in the entrance hall and on the website. Please help yourself.

# **CAKE DONATIONS**

Cake donations please for the Friends Bingo event. Please bring to school on **Monday 22**<sup>nd</sup> **April.** 

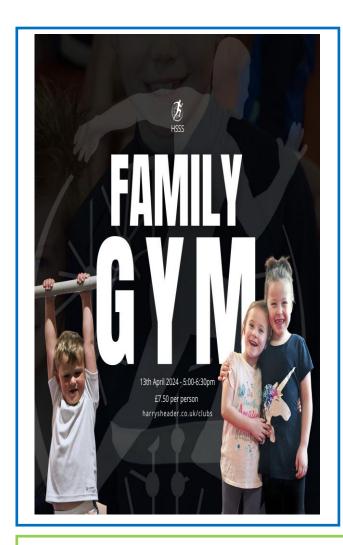
Thank you for your continued support.

#### **SENT HOME**

Attendance reports where appropriate. Data sheets, please check and return.

London menu order for those children going on the trip. Cycle training forms sent out to FW pupils on Tuesday.







# ALBANWISE VISIT FRIDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> JUNE

#### Adults

**Parents wishing to attend will need to make their own way to the farm.** Adults will need to have a good level of mobility as they will need to be able to climb onto and off of trailers.

Adults will need to book their place and pay for the adult ticket in cash at the school office. This is a £10 charge which includes lunch and all activities. Please send the correct money in a sealed envelope marked:

# FRIENDS

Name of adult

Name of child

With any food allergies clearly listed on this envelope.

Bookings need to be made by Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April please as numbers are required for catering purposes.

#### Catering

A special lunch will be provided by Albanwise, free of charge to all children and included in the cost to parents, using the ingredients we see being produced. This will cater for all diets we have been informed of.

#### Clothing

Everyone attending will need waterproof coats, wellies, water bottles, sun hat and sun cream in rucksacks ready for every eventuality! Children will need to wear the top half of school uniform to help us to identify everyone. Long trousers, joggers / leggings will need to be worn to protect legs from crops and sunshine please. No dresses please.

# FRIENDS OF WEST HESLERTON SCHOOL

# Agenda – 2.30pm on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2024 – All welcome

Present:

**Apologies:** 

Minutes from the last meeting:

#### Recent events to discuss:

- 1. Spring Disco
- 2. Bag2school Collection
- 3. Easter trail & coffee afternoon
- 4. Non-Uniform day for bingo prizes
- 5. Leavers hoodies

# New Events to discuss:

- 6. Bingo night
- 7. Albanwise Open Farm Day
- 8. Friends school trip
- 9. Summer Fair
- 10. Play week refreshments
- 11. Sports day refreshments

# AOB:

- 12. Recipe Book
- 13. Grants & Funding
- 14. Interactive whiteboard, trolley & iPad docking station

# Next meeting:

15. Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May at 2.30pm

To find out more visit earlyyearscareers.campaign.gov.uk or contact North Yorkshire Council Families Information Service: fis.information@northyorks.gov.uk



# Thinking of a career in childcare?

# Be part of something big

Working with small children is a big deal. It's a career that makes a difference by helping to give children the best start in life.

A career in early years and childcare is unique and rewarding. You get to be part of a child's early education and help to shape their future.

No matter what the day brings, you'll feel joy in seeing children grow, learn and flourish.

There are lots of different types of roles.









Work as a childminder Work in before and

Work in a nursery

Work in a pre-school or nursery school

#### Training and qualifications

Getting an approved qualification can help you develop your knowledge and skills. You don't need a qualification to start your career in early years and childcare. Learning new skills and getting an approved qualification can help you to progress your career in early years and childcare. There are roles where you will need to have an approved qualification.



#### Skills Bootcamps

Skills Bootcamps are free, flexible courses of up to 16 weeks. Once you complete the course, you'll have the opportunity to move onto an accelerated apprenticeship. Email earlyyears.careers@education.gov.uk for more information.

Search local childcare vacancies findajob.dwp.gov.uk

# Early Years Communication and Interaction Drop-in for Parents

'Come and talk to us for advice and support around all aspects of your child's communication skills'.

Where & When

- 4<sup>th</sup> March 2024 1:00-4:30 at Eastfield Community Library, More than Books, High Street, Eastfield. Scarborough. YO11 3LL
- 17<sup>th</sup> April 2023 09:00-12:00 at Norton Children & Family Hub, Grove Street, Norton, Malton, YO17 9BG
- 24<sup>th</sup> April 2024 1:00-3:00 at Whitby & District Children's centre, Byland Road, Whitby, YO21 1HY

Who will be there?
Helen Hunter - Speech, Language &
Communication Needs Specialist
Amancay Topping - Speech & Language
Therapist
Charlotte McIntyre - Speech & Language
Therapy Assistant
Zoe Green - Speech & Language Therapy

Assistant

Please contact us to book a slot, or any queries please ring 07977 710109 or email Helen.Hunter@northyorks.gov.uk or Amancay.Topping@northyorks.gov.uk

#### FREE MOVING FROM YEAR 6 TO YEAR 7 PARENT COURSE

<u>Solihull parenting:</u> is an online parenting offer <u>FREE</u> for all North Yorkshire parents, carers and foster carers.

Please see a new course for parents of pupils in Year 6 that helps parents prepare themselves so that they can support their child moving to Year 7.

Navigating the Transition - Solihull Approach | Parenting (solihullapproachparenting.com)

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