



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

**NEWSLETTER 22<sup>nd</sup> MAY 2025**

Our newsletter is also available to view on the school website at:

<https://heslerton.n-yorks.sch.uk/parents/newsletters>

**BADGER WOOD**

**86.22%**

**KEEPER WOOD**

**96.32%**

**FARTHING WOOD**

**90.1%**

**DIARY DATES**

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May**, School closes for half term.

*HALF TERM*

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June**, School re-opens.

- Friends meeting 2:30pm – all welcome.
- Gymnastics club Y3 – Y6 week 4.

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> June**, Pop up library.

- Reception Intake (September 2025 starters)  
Parents Evening 4:30 – 5:30pm.

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June**, Albanwise Open Day (see poster below)

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> June**, Gymnastics club Y3 – Y6 week 5.

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June**, Beach Day – whole school.

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June**, Community Cuppa 2pm.

- Gymnastics club Y3 – Y6 week 6.
- Friends Bingo event.

There may be changes to these dates. Please check the school website and Dojo for details.



**THANK YOU**

Thank you to all who brought unwanted clothing and textiles to the Bag2School collection this month. 400kg were donated raising £80 for Friends of School.

**FRIENDS' FROZEN FRIDAY**

Thank you to all who bought a treat from the Friends of School on Frozen Friday. Ice cream and lolly sales raised £62.50 last week. Friends of School will use the profits of this to benefit the children at school.

**ATTACHMENTS COMING HOME 23/05/25.**

- Y5 RSE letter.
- Y6 RSE letter and slip for Y6.
- Attendance printout for each child.
- Friends sponsored walk form for each child.
- Primary Times, 1 per family.

**BEACH TRIP**

**Beach trip Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June.** We are visiting the South Bay Beach, Scarborough to explore the rockpools and natural wildlife on our local coast. The whole school will use forest school skills in the beach environment. Forest School kits, water bottles, sun cream and hats are needed please in a small rucksack that children can carry themselves. We'll be outdoors all day. School sports funding is funding this visit so there is no charge to parents. We will have a picnic lunch whilst there. We will travel with Esk Valley Coaches. Please give consent on ParentPay by Friday June 6<sup>th</sup>. School packed lunches will be given by school to the children who ordered on ParentPay by Friday June 6<sup>th</sup>.

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

# 6 Reasons to Join Friends of *West Heslerton School*

## 1 Your Child Benefits

Friends are an important part of the school and help to enrich your child's school experience. Our fundraising has provided extras for the school such as external visits, classroom equipment and treats for the children on special occasions such as Christmas.

## To Make a Difference

As well as fundraising, Friends organise events which add so much to our children's school experience. Friends organise the school discos, Christmas parties and summer fairs to name but a few. This creates a real sense of community and benefits our children.

## Have Fun & Make Friends

Being part of Friends is a fun and rewarding experience. Parents can get together and socialise whilst raising valuable funds for our school. Many friendships have been developed over the years from being part of the Friends team. Come along and see!

## 4 Feel Involved

Every parent is welcome to our meetings and we'd love to see new members. Please consider coming along to our monthly meetings or volunteer a few hours of your time at an event. It's a great way to get involved and feel part of the school community!

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### Give a Helping Hand

We realise that every parent is busy and your time is precious, but being a Friend will not take up much of your spare time! Monthly meetings are around 30 minutes and the benefits far outweigh the time you give! Many hands make light work so if more people come forward, we can share the work to make it more enjoyable for everyone!

## 6 Keep Friends Going

As parents move on from the school, there is a real danger that there will no longer be a Friends group. Please do consider helping or teaming up with a group of parents to keep Friends going year after year!

For more information please contact Emma Pennock 07792 473038 / [Emma.pennock@outlook.com](mailto:Emma.pennock@outlook.com)

## KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE

We all wish to keep children as safe as possible.

Our School Safeguarding Team:  
Designated Safeguarding Lead:  
Mrs Rachel Wells.

Deputy Designated  
Safeguarding Lead: Mrs Sheryl  
Woodward.

Safeguarding Governors: Mrs Jo  
Bickerton., Mrs Lou Todd.

During school hours, should you have any safeguarding concerns, please contact the school office on 01944 728286 or via the contact us section of our website. We will take all concerns very seriously and do our best to support all involved.

If you have a safety concern out of school hours, please make a safeguarding referral directly to the local authority's multi agency safeguarding team. Contact the North Yorkshire Children and Families service on 0300 131 2 131

## ALBANWISE VISIT

This year, Albanwise are hosting their Open Day on a weekend. They hope that this will encourage many families (and dogs!) to visit them. Please see the details online using the QR code here.



## OPEN FARM SUNDAY

June 8<sup>th</sup> 10:00am – 4:00pm

YO17 8DA



Register here for your free tickets

- Meet our animals
- Machinery Displays
- Tractor and Trailer Tours
- Farm Walk Tours, dogs welcome!
- Do you love Honey? Chance to find out where your local honey comes from and buy some!
- Think you can drive a tractor? Have a go in our competition!
- BBQ and refreshments available to buy





**Snainton Cricket Club**

44444 Boys and Girls  
Junior Cricket Coaching

Starting Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April

Under 9 Softball – 5.15-6.15pm  
U11 & 13 Hardball – 6.15-7.15pm

Attachment

Receive Coaching from our  
ECB Coaches (Male & Female)


Come along to Snainton CC  
The Playing Field, Barkers Lane

Contact either:

**Michael Kipling** 07428 493585  
[kiplingmichael60@gmail.com](mailto:kiplingmichael60@gmail.com)

**Michelle Maw** 07891 758892  
[michellemaw@btinternet.com](mailto:michellemaw@btinternet.com)

[www.ecb.co.uk](http://www.ecb.co.uk)



### PARENTING SMART

Parenting can be joyful but also very hard. This week's short clip for parents is about supporting homework.

[Supporting children with their homework | Place2Be's Parenting Smart \(youtube.com\)](#)

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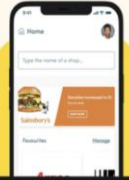
How to raise FR  
donations using  
easyfundraising App

Hi Rachel ,

The easyfundraising App is the **easiest way to raise donations for Heslerton Primary School Friends** on your phone or tablet.

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### COMMUNITY CUPPA

Thank you to those who joined us for our latest community cuppa event at the village hall. The final one for this school year will be held on **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2.15-3.15**. Everyone welcome!



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## HAWKES HOLIDAY CAMP



**MAY HALF TERM**



[HTTPS://HAWKES-CLUB.CLASSFORKIDS.IO/CAMPS](https://hawkes-club.classforkids.io/camps)

### The Key Information Bookings Venues

#### Scarborough

Hawkes Health Fitness & Coaching, Raincliffe School Sports Hall, Lady Edith's Drive YO125RL

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

#### Ryedale

Ryedale Sports Centre, Lady Lumleys School, Swainsea Ln, Pickering YO188NF

Tuesday & Wednesday

Broughton, Swinton & Amotherby Sports Centre, Low Ln, Swinton, Melton YO176SE

Thursday & Friday

#### Book

<https://hawkes-club.classforkids.io/camps>

#### Email

[Robbie@hawkes.club](mailto:Robbie@hawkes.club)

#### Website

[www.hawkeshealth.org](http://www.hawkeshealth.org)

#### Text

07584418403

#### May Half Term

Tue 27th - 30th May

#### When can i drop my child off?

Drop off between 8:00-9am

Half Days are 8-12pm or 12-4pm

Collections are between 3:15-4pm