

WEST HESLERTON C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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

NEWSLETTER February 14th 2020

SIAMS (STATUTORY INSPECTION OF ANGLICAN AND METHODIST SCHOOLS)

We have been informed that school will be inspected on **Monday 24th February 2020**. There will be one inspector and children's education will continue as normal during the day.

The inspector would like to collect the views of parents, please see the letter attached. Please return these to school on **Monday, 24th February**, thank you.

The views of parents are an important aspect of this inspection and it would be great if you could support us in this way.

In addition, the inspector would be pleased to meet with any parents, in the hall, from 3.00pm until the end of the school day.

DINNERS

Dinner money next half term will be £75.

Reminders:

Pancakes for pudding on **25th February**.

St. David's Day menu on **February 28th**:

Sausages, potato wedges and baked beans followed by red dragon jelly and strawberry yoghurt.

WORLD BOOK DAY

We will be celebrating World book day on **Thursday, March 5th**.

Children are invited to come to school dressed as their favourite book character, author or in their pyjamas.

FAIRTRADE

We are delighted to again host a Fairtrade Stall here in school during Fair-trade Fortnight. This will be for browsing and shopping during morning break times on **Monday 24th to Friday 28th February**. A selection of chocolates and small gifts will be offered with a focus upon gifts to give for Mother's Day and Easter. Please help us to support this worthy cause.

A local craft fair will also be held:

A poster for a 'Fairtrade & Local Craft Fair'. The title is in large, colorful letters. Below the title are images of various craft items: a purple patterned bag, a stack of white mugs, a white teapot, a blue knitted hat, and a colorful striped scarf. Text on the poster lists 'Local Crafts, Cards, Decorations, Pottery and a full range of Fairly Traded goods, Fair Trade Refreshments, Craft Demonstrations'. It also features the 'We are a Fairtrade Town' logo and the date and location: 'Saturday 29th February - 10am to 4pm, The Friends' Meeting House, Greengate, Malton'. 'Free entry' is written at the bottom.

FAIRTRADE & LOCAL CRAFT FAIR

Local Crafts, Cards, Decorations,
Pottery and a full range of
Fairly Traded goods.
Fair Trade Refreshments
Craft Demonstrations

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Fairtrade Town

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Greengate, Malton

Free entry

COLLECTIVE WORSHIP

Tuesday, 25th February.

Collective Worship will be led by Rev'd Joe based on the theme of Pancake Day.

Wednesday, 26th February

School will be attending All Saint's Church, West Heslerton for an Ash Wednesday service at **9.15am**.

Parents and friends are invited to join us.

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

BADGER WOOD

This week we finished writing our travel brochure about the United Kingdom for Barnaby Bear.

We also learnt about the features of a Mosque in years 1 and 2. In Reception we made our own special place in the classroom.

FARTHING WOOD

It was a little smelly in class this week, as we have been conducting a science experiment about friction. Our investigation question was 'Which type of shoe sole creates the largest force of friction when sliding over a surface'. All the class have produced some well presented data and have used their mathematical skills to produce graphs based on the data that they collected.

WEST HESLERTON SCHOOL VISION

"Children are at the centre of all we do"

We encourage everyone in our school community to live life well reflecting Christian attitudes and values and working in partnership with families as part of a wider, caring community.

The hallmarks of a Christian life lived well are –

- Love
- Joy
- Self-control
- Peace
- Kindness
- Patience
- Generosity
- Gentleness
- Faithfulness

Galatians 5:22 – 23

KEEPER WOOD

We have been working on fractions this week, using them on a number line and creating mixed numbers (1 1/2). It has been internet safety week so we have been focusing on keeping ourselves safe online and also looking at age appropriate apps and apps they should be avoiding at their age.

Thank you to all the parents that came to parent's evening, it was lovely to speak about your children. Just a reminder that in June, year 4 will be doing a times tables test. It is the first year that year 4s are required to do this. They are expected to know all of their times tables up to 12x and will be tested on these. Please encourage your children to practise these on their TT Rockstars account.

Thank you for your continued support.

FRIENDS OF SCHOOL

Friends of School meeting

There will be a on **Tuesday, 3rd March** at 8.45am. All welcome, come along and share ideas.

Friends Event

Friends of School will be holding a board games and hot chocolate event after school on **Tuesday, March 10th** from 3.30-5.30pm. This will replace the Forest After School Club on this day only and will cost £5 per child. Please return the attached slip to school with payment by **Friday, March 6th** so that we can gauge numbers, thank you.

Friends are continuing to collect 5ps until the end of term.

SAFER INTERNET DAY

All children took part in activities to celebrate Safer Internet Day. Please see enclosed flyer for more information.

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SCHOOL CLUBS

Thank you to:

Harry Sheader for gymnastics club
Children's University for cricket club
Nigel Carson for benchball club
Children's University for first aid course.

The cricket club after half term will be run by Tom Hudson from YCCC, not Matt Hurren as previously stated.

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

RILLINGTON FREE FRIDGE



SCRAP COLLECTION

Please put any of these items in the bin provided outside school.



WASTE ELECTRICALS: METALS:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FLAT SCREEN TVS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PANS |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DVD PLAYERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CUTLERY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> KETTLES & TOASTERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GARDENING EQUIPMENT |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MICROWAVES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RADIATORS |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMPUTERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TAPS & BBQS |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VACUUM CLEANERS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BATTERIES |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HAIRDRYERS & IRONS | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> METAL PIPING |

(ANYTHING WITH A PLUG!) (ANYTHING METAL!)

X SORRY, NO GAS BOTTLES OR FRIDGES

HESLERTON AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Heslerton After School Club is open to all pupils from 3.30pm-5.30pm Monday to Thursday to relax and have fun with their friends. All children will need to bring a named water bottle, forest school kit and wellies. A snack will be provided.

To book, please contact the school office or speak to Tom or Lucy at the After School Club. Children need to be registered before they attend. Sessions cost £8.00 per child. At the end of each session, please collect your child from the wildlife area or buzz the front door.

We look forward to welcoming you all to our exciting childcare provision.

MALTON & OLD MALTON CRICKET CLUB

JUNIOR CRICKET COACHING for boys and girls
At Malton Cricket Ground Old Malton Road Malton
Tuesdays from 14th April 2020

Under 9s	6-7pm
Under 11s	6-7pm
Under 13s	6-8pm
Under 15s	6-8pm

Teams at U 9s, 11s, 13s and 15s.

For further details please contact:

Joy Hudson 01653 692223 or Ed Harland -
07890453721

ECB QUALIFIED COACHES

We are also hosting Dynamos Cricket for 8-11 years old on behalf of ECB.

Please register online with ECB website from mid - February

ENCLOSED

- SIAMS letter
- Safer Internet flyer
- Flyers
- PrimaryTimes