# The Hawksworth Herald 

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Star Pupils

## Class 1

Filip W for settling into Class One so well, trying so hard all week, having wonderful, behaviour and making a great start to his Hawksworth school life.
Rafe $P$ for trying so hard in all he does and answering some great maths problems.

## Class 2

Henry M for always telling the truth.
Kellan for excellent behaviour at all times.

## Class 3

Harry for always being so respectful and courteous towards his classmates and teachers.
Isla for her endless offers to help with the class's daily tasks and her wonderful positive attitude.

## Class 4

Mikail for his confident and clear Whitby fact-file presentation which he shared with the whole class. Evan for demonstrating a mature attitude when playing football.

## Class News

## Class 1

This week Class One have been learning about Pets and how to care for animals. We have enjoyed playing in our new Veterinary role play area and have been writing about caring for pets in Literacy. In Maths we have been estimating and representing different ways to show numbers. We have also been enjoying our outdoor supermarket role play area. We have been writing lists, counting money and enjoying being the customer and the shop keeper. Our caterpillars have started to form their chrysalises and we are very excited to move them into their habitat next week and watch them when they start to emerge into butterflies.


Class 2
Class 2 have had an extremely busy, creative week this week. On Monday, the chicks were ready to hold which was great fun as we also let them walk around the classroom whilst we sat in a circle around them. In Literacy, we have been learning to read, follow and write instructions so, on Tuesday, linking to our Seaside topic, we followed instructions to make vanilla ice cream. On Wednesday, we were allowed to eat it and Mrs Oliver and Mrs Dowling served it to us on a cone with a flake and our choice of sauce. On Thursday, we made mustard sandwiches linked to our class book 'The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch' and then wrote instructions for how to make them. Some of us ate them and thought they were delicious! On Friday, the chicks left to go and live on a free-range farm so we had once last cuddle with them before they were collected. Although we'll miss the chicks, Mrs Oliver and Mrs Dowling won't


Class 3
It's been another fantastic week in Class 3. All the children have really responded well to our collaborative learning environment, and they are priding themselves upon their ability to work together. Our new reading partners are doing an excellent job. Some of the many highlights of our week include testing out our skills as Roman soldiers, watching our caterpillars turn to chrysalises, and getting a surprise visit from Class 2's chicks. In maths, we're looking at multiplication and division, and in English, we're beginning to write a persuasive letter. Another great week for all! Well done Class 3!



## Class 4

Wow, what a busy week it has been for Class 4! In Maths, Year 6 have been learning about statistics and pie charts and Year 5 have been working with Money; solving money problems involving fractions and decimals. In Literacy we have been developing our writing using adverbial phrases and creating fact-files about Captain Cook and the seaside town of Whitby. We have presented our finished two-week projects of our Whitby power-point fact-files to our classmates. In Science we have been finding out about the life cycles of amphibians. We have continued with our Monster project and had a go at sewing! It's also been an exciting time for our Year 6 children who have participated in some transition activities within school. Year 6 also demonstrated mature attitudes throughout their PSHE and Relationships lesson this week.

## KS2 Yoga Sessions

This morning Class 3 and 4 enjoyed their Yoga sessions and it was a great way to start the day! Mrs Gallagher, Mrs Vice and Miss Armitage all took part too. Thank you to Mrs Gallagher for organising this fun event.


Did you know?

The bite from a three-metre great white shark pushes four tonnes of pressure through every square centimetre of tooth!

Saltwater crocodiles are the largest crocodilians on earth. They are excellent swimmers, often spotted far out to sea, and can live for 70 years!

The peregrine falcon is the fastest animal on earth!

These are some of the fantastic facts we have learnt this week, we have been fascinated with watching Steve Backshall's Deadly 60. We have watched him visit countries around the world such as South Africa, Australia, India, United Kingdom and Alaska to name a few. We have seen him get up close with some of the world's deadliest animals and learnt some fun and interesting facts.

Both Kestrels bubbles have enjoyed more football this week, Class 4 have enjoyed reviewing their games after to try improve their play. We have seen some great goals, saves and even the odd header.

House Points and School Attendance (School target set by Leeds is 97\%)

| House | Total | Class | $\%$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Eagles | 36 | Class 1 | $\%$ |
| Falcons | 34 | Class 2 | $\%$ |
| Vultures | 37 | Class 3 | $\%$ |
| Condors | 41 | Class 4 | $\%$ |

## School News

## Building update

Thankfully, the Diocese have agreed to fund $90 \%$ of the additional and essential heating work and pipe replacement which is needed in the school hall, Class 1 and staffroom. The old radiators in the PE/dining hall will be ripped out and replaced with a modern heating system which will be hidden behind a lowered ceiling. Modern and energy saving LED lights will also be installed in the ceiling and the last of the old pipe work in school will finally be replaced. This means the final phase of overhauling the boiler and heating system in school will finally be completed, with the school contributing approximately $£ 17,000$ from the school’s building budget and the Diocese meeting the remaining amount. This work will take six weeks and be completed during the Summer break.


Ceiling height reduced (in yellow) and radiators to go.


Phase 1 new boiler room completed last Summer

## Educational visits

There are still over half of parents that have not paid for the planned school trips, which take place wb 5.7.21. Unfortunately, school can no longer subsidise these educational visits due to budgetary restrictions. The present situation may force school to review which trips are able to go ahead. To provide an insight into costs, coach companies charge on average, between $£ 400$ to $£ 600$ for the day.

## Calendar 2021-2022

The 2021-2022 school year has been reduced by one day to 194 days to reflect the additional bank holiday for the Platinum Jubilee. The revised 2021 - 2022 Calendar also includes the five training days (at least two of these are planned so all the local ALPT schools can share training and work on joint school initiatives). The Calendar has been uploaded to the school website and is at the end of this newsletter.

## New Parents' meeting

Due to the current Covid-19 situation not changing on $21^{\text {st }}$ June 2021:

- We are now unable to have our stay and play session on Wednesday $14^{\text {th }}$ July
- We are also unable to have our new parents' evening on Wednesday $30^{\text {th }}$ June

Instead, arrangements have been made for our stay and play session and new parents' evening to both go ahead on Wednesday $21^{\text {st }}$ July, subject to government announcements being made on $19^{\text {th }}$ July.

Start dates and time for September will remain the same as the previous letter stated.

Should you have any problems with the above information please do not hesitate to ring Julie Hyde (School Business Manager) in the office or email admin@hawksworthceprimary.org who will be pleased to help.

## Rupert Hawksworth

Rupert, our reading rabbit, who sadly passed away recently will not be forgotten. Two photo tiles of Rupert will reside in 'The Light', our school library, and his presence will remind the children the importance of reading for enjoyment. I would like to thank Louise's Mum for setting aside time to create both tiles and gifting them to the children.


## Key Dates

| Event | Date | Class |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bikeability | $30^{\text {th }}$ June 2021 | Year 6 only |
| Bikeability | $1^{\text {st }}$ July 2021 | Year 6 only |
| Yeadon Tarn Sailing | $5^{\text {th }}$ July 2021 | Class 4 |
| Filey | $6^{\text {th }}$ July 2021 | Class 2 |
| Filey | $7^{\text {th }}$ July 2021 | Class 1 |
| Yorkshire Wildlife Park | $12^{\text {th }}$ July 2021 | Class 3 |
| Brimham Rocks | $15^{\text {th }}$ July 2021 | Class 4 |
| Training Day | $26^{\text {th }}$ July 2021 |  |
| Training Day | $27^{\text {th }}$ July 2021 |  |

Have a brilliant weekend!

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| Holiday | Schools close |  |  |  | Schools open |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Summer break |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Autumn mid-term | Friday | 22 October | 2021 | Monday | 1 November | 2021 |
| Christmas break | Friday | 17 December | 2021 | Tuesday | 4 January | 2022 |
| Spring mid-term | Friday | 18 February | 2022 | Tuesday | 29 February | 2022 |
| Easter break | Friday | 1 April | 2022 | Tuesday | 19 April | 2022 |
| May Bank Holiday | Friday | 29 April | 2022 | Tuesday | 3 May | 2022 |
| Summer mid-term | Friday | 27 May | 2022 | Monday | 6 June | 2022 |
| Summer break | Friday | 22 July | 2022 |  |  |  |

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