

# 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/Fax:- 01944/728286; E-mail:- [admin@heslerton.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:admin@heslerton.n-yorks.sch.uk) ; [www.westheslertonschool.co.uk](http://www.westheslertonschool.co.uk)



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

## NEWSLETTER January 6<sup>th</sup> 2017

### SCHOOL

Welcome back to school for a busy spring term. A special welcome to Chloe, Jasmine, Toby, Abigail and Harry who are joining our pre-reception group.

#### Outdoors

May we ask that all children have named hats and gloves in school during this cold weather. Lots of our learning takes place outside and we try to get outside for every playtime.

#### Assembly Theme

This term's assembly theme is "Forgiveness".

#### School Clubs

Gymnastics Club, Relax Kids Club and Clarinet Club all start next week for children who have booked a place.

#### St. Catherine's Hospice

Thank you for supporting the hospice last term, we raised £22.85.

#### Friends of School Christmas Raffle

Many thanks to all who bought and sold raffle tickets at Christmas, £746.62 was raised for Friends of School.

#### Reminder

May we please remind parents that money brought into school MUST be in a named purse or envelope. Loose money in bags and around school is not able to be accounted for, thank you.

### PARENT ASSEMBLIES

Please join us for community activities this term. Today we were delighted to welcome parents to our sports assembly to celebrate achievements in swimming and in the fun run.

Following positive feedback and requests for more regular family events, we have organised activities for families, friends, siblings. Please look out for details of our Star Day, Robot Trail, Stay and Play, Film Premiere, Easter egg rolling and Easter Service this term. All welcome.

### P.E.

P.E. sessions commence on Tuesday next week. All children in Reception to Y6 will need a named P.E. bag with the following named items:

White T-shirt, Blue or black shorts, Tracksuit, Plimsolls or trainers suitable for indoor or outdoor use.

During this half term, all pupils will be working outdoors. Y3-Y6 will work upon basketball and netball skills ready for friendly competition with other schools. Reception, Y1 and Y2 will work upon football skills. Pupils in Y1 and Y2 will attend a football festival later this half term, details to follow. Pre-reception pupils will not need a P.E. kit. They will work upon being active and interactive, developing their co-ordination, control and movement through a range of physical challenges outdoors.

All pupils will need a named forest school kit. We look forward to the sporting activities ahead.

### NEEDED PLEASE

Please may Farthing Wood ask for the following: Empty tins (with lids safely removed), Wires, Old CDs or any items suitable for making metal robot sculptures!

Keeper Wood are asking for any small boxes such as empty match boxes, raisin boxes etc. Thank you.

### ATTACHMENTS

Please find attached:

- Basketball letter – KS2
- Play/Nativity feedback
- Film Club flyer
- Benefice newsletter
- Dalby Forest flyer

### PARKING

May we please ask that you park with consideration for the residents of West Heslerton, not on or blocking access to driveways. Where possible, please park at the bottom of High Street and allow older children to walk up to school.

Children must not get out of vehicles in the school driveway or walk across this area, there is a safe pathway up to school which all children must use. Thank you

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