NEWSLETTER 8 4th May 2023



Coronation- Over the last few days we have been weaving the upcoming Coronation into our curriculum and the school is suitably decorated linked to this National event.

Tomorrow, Friday 5th May, children and staff are encouraged to wear non-uniform in red, white and/or blue. Each child will be given a commemorative medal tomorrow to mark the Coronation. These are in a presentation case that should remain sealed. Thank you to the FHSA who kindly paid for the medals.



FHSA Fun Trail- The Friends are holding the Fun trail event tomorrow (linked to the Baldock Festival)although an umbrella may be required! The trail will be Coronation themed and ice creams will optimistically be on sale for £1 each.

Pre-Loved Uniform will be on sale tomorrow from 3.00 pm in the outdoor classroom in front of the school. Items can be paid for in cash or by card. Thank you to those that have donated Hartsfield branded clothes.

Hartsfield 40th Anniversary T-Towels- Children are busy completing self-portraits of themselves (and the staff!) this week for inclusion in our T-Towels! We are awaiting online permission from a final few families to include their child so please complete it asap via Arbor.

Upcoming Assessments- Year 6 will complete formal end of key stage assessments each morning next week (SATs). The children will be in early for 'Toast Club' each day. Tests are marked externally and results will be available and shared with parents in mid-July. Year 2 end of key stage assessments will be informally completed before half term.

We complete regular informal assessments throughout the year with all year groups to inform teaching and assess progress. Broad achievement is shared at parents' evenings and also in the written end of year report to parents in July each year.

Trips- Year 4 classes will be off to Hudnall Park for a night next week. This term is action-packed with trips planned for each year group- highlights of the year for many.

DIARY DATES

May 2023

5 FHSA fun trail linked to Baldock Festival from 3.20 pm 5 Preloved uniform sale from 3.00pm 6 King's Coronation 8 Bank Holiday linked to Coronation 9-12 KS2 SATs 9-12 Year 4 Hudnall Park one night residential 15 EYFS and Year 6 class photos 16 Year 6 PGL Parents meeting @5.30pm 17 EYFS trip to Herrings Green Farm 19 Year 3 trip to Celtic Harmony 22-26 Arts Week 26 First Ice Cream Friday 29-2 Half term **June 2023**

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9 Year 6 KTS Olympic Event
12-16 Year 5 afternoon swimming sessions
12-16 Year 1 Phonics Screening
12-16 Year 4 Multiplication tests
14-16 Dog's Trust sessions
16 Non-uniform day
19 New EYFS children afternoon session
20 New EYFS children afternoon session
22 Year 2 to Marston Vale
22 Year 6 performance to parents @6.00pm
26-30 Year 6 PGL Residential
30 Year 1 to Rye Meads

July 2023

- 3-7 Sports week
 3-4 Bounce workshops
 7 Sports day
 8-9 FHSA Camp Out
 10 Year 3 Parents Assemblies- Violin
 10-12 Reports sent out
 11 Whole school photo
 11 EYFS Sept 2023 Intake Tours 4.30 7.30pm
 13 Transition Day
 18 Year 2 performance to parents @2.30pm
- 18 Year 6 Leavers disco @6.00 pm
- 21 Year 6 parents' leavers assembly @1.00pm

I hope you have a great long weekend.

Thank you for your continued support. Philippa Smith and the Hartsfield Team

