

End of Spring Term Newsletter

Message from the Headteacher

So much has happened across school this term, especially this last couple of months. After a long wait, it was great to have Parents/Carers back in school for Parent/Carer Consultation Evenings. Thank you to everyone who took the time to talk and offer such positive feedback on being back in school or being in school for the first time! Reception and Year 1 parents were making their first visit into school and it was great to see them looking as excited and enthusiastic as their children.

We also have had our first performance and real audience back in school. Year 5 gave two superb performances of Snow White and the audience reaction and response was great to see and hear. The children (and staff) did a great job to get this production on stage having had a couple of weeks of significant illness/absence. Well done to all the children and adults involved.

Year 3 and 4 took part in a great music opportunity last week and thoroughly enjoyed it. We have had two non-uniform days which have raised fantastic amounts. Year 4 are taking part in a very special opportunity this week having been invited to participate in a film to promote the 'Peterborough Celebrates' community event taking place at Ferry Meadows 13-15 May.

As we approach the end of term we have our Achievement Award assembly taking place on Thursday followed by the Easter Egg raffle on the last day of term. Thank you to the Friends Association and also parents, staff and governors who have kindly donated Easter Eggs for the raffle. We have over 170 Eggs so far.

Next term we have Sports Days, Sports Week, Science Week, Year Group trips, Queen's Platinum Jubilee Celebration, Careers Week, Summer Fayre and much more to look forward to. Please look out for emails with latest info and dates.

I hope that everyone has a good break and enjoys the sunshine (hopefully!) over the fortnight.

We look forward to seeing the children back in school on Tuesday 19th April.

Mr Lyons

Attendance Report

Reception	Year 3	Year 6
93.78%	92.09%	93.64%
Year 1	Year 4	School total
93.81%	93.09%	93.02%
Year 2	Year 5	
92.08%	92.70%	

'Word Aware' World Book Day

This year we celebrated World Book Day slightly differently and asked that instead of coming dressed as their favourite book or character, that children come dressed as a word, and by gum did you deliver. What a fantastic array of words and outfits. Click the link below to view a video of our day.

Hampton Hargate Word Parade



The Friends of Hampton Hargate Primary

Summer Fayre

Can you give a helping hand to Hampton Hargate Primary School?

We need volunteers for the Summer Fayre, and have a number of fun and easy roles to suit all skill sets.

Location: Hampton Hargate Primary School

Commitment: One-off event. Only a couple of hours on Saturday 18 June.

Examples of what you could do:

- Help run a stall taking money, running a game, selling cakes etc
- Setting up tables, stalls, decorations, and games all need moving and arranging.
- Clean up once the fayre is over, we need help packing up and putting away.

Who's right for the role?

You don't need any previous experience, just enthusiasm, team spirit, and determination to raise as much as we can!

How to sign up

It's simple. To sign up please fill in this online form: https://tinyurl.com/fayrevolunteer

Whatever time you can give us, we'd love to have you. The Fayre can only happen if people like you are able to volunteer. You can make a difference - we need YOU! If you have any questions, please get in touch via the Facebook event page (https://tinyurl.com/Hampton-Hargate) or by emailing friendssecretary@hampton-hargate) or by emailing friendssecretary@hampton-hargate).

The Summer Fayre is a massive fundraiser for the school. A small amount of time to help on the day will make a big difference. Please sign up here:

https://tinyurl.com/fayrevolunteer.



Beatles Singing Day

On Wednesday 9th March our KS2 choir took to the Cresset Theatre stage in a 'Beatles Singing Day' with Peterborough Sings. Having learnt three songs, *Hey Jude, When I'm 64*, and *Hard Day's Night*, they worked with vocal coaches throughout the day, and met the musicians of the 5 piece band that would then accompany them in the evening performance. Following a rehearsal, the students took to the stage and performed beautifully to a very large audience. They worked incredibly hard and did themselves and us proud. We would like to say a huge well done to everyone that took part.

The event made it into the local paper https://www.peterboroughtoday.co.uk/news/people/peterborough-schoolchildren-take-to-the-stage-to-sing-the-beatles-songs-in-two-day-musical-extravaganza-3607537





Hampton Hargate Book Fair

WOW thank you so much for your support at the Bookfair. We are expecting to receive over £1500 to spend on books for the children to enjoy in school which is just fantastic. This is all down to the incredible support shown throughout the week from you and your children – thank you.

We hope the children have enjoyed their new books and for those who have not yet received their orders please be assured that we will be in touch if there are any issues as some titles were in huge demand. Happy reading (3)

Year 5 Production

During this term, Year 5 have worked incredibly hard on their production of Snow White. On Tuesday 22nd March, Year 5 took to the stage in front of a real audience for the first time in 2 years and what an amazing performance it was. Year 5 teachers were extremely proud of the commitment and enthusiasm shown by all children and we would like to give them a special thank you for their hard work, patience and dedication. We would also like to thank you for your ongoing support with helping your children learn their lines, providing costumes and for being part of our audience. We hope you enjoyed the show as much as we did.







Fundraising

Back to Front Day - Shine

At the start of term we had a Back to front day in aid of Shine Charity for Spina Bifida, it was great to see so many children involved and having fun. We have received a lovely thank you and certificate from Shine for our great fundraising efforts. They have counted up the money donated to them and have announced it was a fantastic £538.17





Bake Sale

On Thursday 10th March Year 6 girls raised £356.30 with their cake stall in aid of the Ukraine appeal. Aimee also raised a further £85 from her own bake sale which she has also donated giving us a grand total of £441.30. Well done Girls and a huge thank you to your Parents and extra helpers.

Non Uniform Day 11th February - Support Ukraine

Our non school uniform day on Friday 11th February raised a incredible £568.85, thank you to all that donated and supported us with this fundraiser. All proceeds have been sent to the Disasters Emergencies Committee (DEC) Ukraine Humanitarian appeal to support families who have fled the devastating conflict. Please see below link for more information and ways you can get involved.





Day



Thank you to everyone who took part and made a donation towards the school's non-school uniform day. Together we raised an incredible £476.31 for the Red Nose Day Charity.

Staff Leaving/Joining

We have had several staffing changes during the last couple of months that we would like to tell you about.

Miss Daly and Mrs Achurra have left their Midday Supervisor roles this term. Miss Dunn has joined us a Midday Supervisor and Miss Santos will be joining us as a Midday Supervisor after Easter.

Miss Leonard and Mrs Sanders are both leaving the Office team at the end of this term. We have appointed a new Reception Attendance Administrator, Mrs Colbert and a new Admissions Administrator, Mrs Moore both of whom will start after Easter.



I would like to thank those staff who have left or who are leaving us for their hard work and dedication and wish them all the best for their future endeavours. We look forward to welcoming the new members of staff to the team after Easter.

Job Vacancy



HLTA COVER

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28.75 hours per week - term time only.

Spine pay point 24-28

Permanent

We are looking for an enthusiastic, hard working and highly motivated Cover Supervisor to join our friendly and dedicated team.

You will provide cover for teaching staff to enable them to carry out their professional duties, training and development and short term absences. Work will be set by teaching staff and will typically be across a range of different subject. Occasional cover to assist with educational visits may be required.

We require a Cover Supervisor who can share and contribute to the high standards and expectations we have of our school, pupils and our staff. The ideal candidate will be passionate about inspiring students of all abilities and will have high expectations of standards together with strong behaviour and classroom management skills.

'Pupils' achievement is outstanding across all Key Stages'

'School leaders have created a culture that strives for and delivers exceptionally high standards for the pupils'

'Pupils have very positive attitudes towards learning'

We are looking for:

- an enthusiastic, dynamic and creative person
- an adaptable, flexible and well organised Cover Supervisor with high expectations of all pupils
- an excellent team member, committed to providing high quality teaching and learning
- effective communication skills
- a willingness to contribute to the life of the school

We offer:

- welcoming, friendly and hardworking staff
- enthusiastic children and parents who enjoy participating in school life
- a caring and supportive ethos where staff well-being is a high priority
- a sense of fun and enjoyment in an environment where colleagues all work together and support each other
- a modern building with excellent resources and facilities including IT resources for staff

Hours of work: Monday to Friday - 8.30am - 3.15pm (with 1 hour for lunch)

Experience of working with children, competency in English, maths and IT is required.

If you would like further details please contact the school office Email: office@hampton-hargate.peterborough.sch.uk

Closing date: midday on Wednesday 20th April 2022

Interviews expected to be: Wednesday 27th April 2022

Visits to the school are encouraged. Please contact the school office to arrange a visit. Tel: 01733 296780 or e-mail:office@hampton-hargate.peterborough.sch.uk

Application packs can be downloaded from the school website www.hampton-hargate.peterborough.sch.uk or by contacting the school office.

The school is committed to safeguarding, promoting the welfare of children and young people including the Prevent agenda and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All appointments are conditional and subject to satisfactory references, an enhanced DBS disclosure, right to work in the UK and qualifications check. Giving false information is an offence and could result in the application being rejected and referred to the police.

MIDDAY SUPERVISOR

LUNCHTIME SUPERVISOR REQUIRED

We are seeking to recruit an enthusiastic lunchtime supervisor. Hours are:

Monday to Friday 11.50am - 1.35pm (term time only). Ideally 5 days but job share and flexible days would be considered for the right candidate.

The closing date for this post is 4.00pm on Tuesday 19th April with interviews being held on Wednesday 27th April 2022.

The above post is subject to an enhanced DBS check and two appropriate references received prior to interview.

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31 ¼ hours per week - term time only.

SCP 7-12

We are looking for an enthusiastic, hardworking and highly motivated Teaching Assistant to join our friendly and dedicated team. Ideally, we require a TA with some SEND experience. Our school has been judged outstanding by Ofsted and we require a Teaching Assistant who can share and contribute to our high standards and expectations.

Hours: 8.30am - 3.15pm (with half hour for lunch)

We require a TA who has experience of supporting children on 1:1 or a small group basis.

Experience of, or willingness to learn, how to support a child's needs including PECS and Intensive Interaction.

Experience of working with children with ASD, competency in English, maths and IT is required.

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Interviews expected to be: Wednesday 4th May 2022

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Please remember.....



- Payments for Year 6 Kingswood Residential Final Balance due by 19th April
- Sign up for Sacrewell Farm Year 4 Camp by 31st March
- Activate ParentPay Account
- School Dinner Payments
- Make Payment for trips and swimming



Spring Weather

Although the weather is improving it is unpredictable and can still be cold, please ensure that your child comes to school dressed appropriately for the weather and bring their coats (and jumpers) with them...... with their names in. **We love our planet...**

Don't forget to bring your used batteries into the school reception area and deposit in our battery bin for recycling.

Term Dates and Events for the Spring and Summer Term

Please be aware that there have been some minor changes to a few of the dates since these dates were released in September.

SPRING TERM 2022

APRIL 2022

Fri 1st April - Easter Egg Raffle

Fri 1st April - End of term for pupils

SUMMER TERM 2022

APRIL 2022

Tue 19th April - Summer term starts for pupils



MAY 2022

Mon 2nd May - Bank Holiday

W/C 9th May - KS2 SATs Week

W/C 16th May - Sports Week

W/C 23rd May - Science Week

JUNE 2022

30th May to 6th June - Half-term week

Tue 7th June - Children return to school

Wed 15th June - KS1 Sports Day 9.30am

Wed 15th June - Reception Sports Day 2.00pm

Thu 16th June - KS2 Sports Day 9.15am

Sat 18th June - Friends Association Summer Fete

Mon 20th to Wed 22nd June - Kingswood Year 6 residential

Tue 21st June - RESERVE KS1 Sports Day 9.30am

Tue 21st June - RESERVE Reception Sports Day 2.00pm

Wed 22nd June - Afternoon stay and play new Rec intake sessions

Thu 23rd June - RESERVE KS2 Sports Day 9.15am

Wed 29th - Fri 1st July - Year 4 Group 1 Sacrewell Residential

JULY 2022

Tue 5th July - Year 6 Performance 6.00pm

Wed 6th July - Transition / Move-Up Day TBC

Thu 7th July - Reports home today

Mon 11th July - Open Afternoon 3.30 - 5.45pm

Wed 13th-Fri 15th July - Year 4 Group 2 Sacrewell Residential

Mon 18th July - Achievement Assembly 9am

Tue 19th July - Year 6 Leaver Assembly with parents 9.15am

Tue 19th July - End of term

Term Dates for 2021-2022

Spring Term 2022

Spring Term ends: Friday 1st April 2022

Summer Term 2022

Summer Term starts: Tuesday 19th April 2022

May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 2nd May 2022

Half term: Monday 30th May - Monday 6th June 2022

(Children return after half term on Tuesday 7th June)

Summer Term ends: Tuesday 19th July 2022

2022-2023 Term Dates

Please see below advance dates for the 2022-2023 school year.

Autumn term 2022

Monday 5th Sept – Friday 21st Oct

Monday 24th Oct - Friday 28th Oct Half term week

Monday 31st Oct – Tuesday 20th Dec

Spring term 2023

Thursday 5th Jan - Friday 10th Feb

Monday 13th Feb – Friday 17th Feb Half term week

Monday 20th Feb – Friday 31st Mar

Summer term 2023

Monday 17th April - Friday 26th May

Monday 1st May – Bank Holiday

Monday 29th May – Monday 5th June Half term week (Please note – children return on Tue 6th June)

Tuesday 6th June – Wednesday 19th July



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