



HARTFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL
HEADTEACHER'S WEEKLY NEWSLETTER
28th March 2024



Dear Parents/Carers and Families

We've had another busy week here in school to round off the Spring term. Our Year 2 children visited Safety Central at Lymm on Monday/Tuesday and had a great time learning all about fire safety, accidents at home, road and rail safety, healthy eating, and well-being. Year 5 went to Hartford High and thoroughly enjoyed watching the High School children perform Beauty and the Beast. Whilst Year 6 have welcomed their peers from Cuddington, Sandiway and Little Leigh this morning to join them for an interactive theatre show about online activity and social media.

Class School Photographs

The proofs of your child's class photograph were sent home yesterday. The deadline for online orders is **9am on Monday 22nd April**. If you order by this deadline, the photos will be delivered back to school. You will still be able to order after the deadline but will have to pay a charge for home delivery.

Year 2 Burwardsley Residential Parents' Meeting – Wednesday 17th April 6pm

A reminder that Mrs Cade will be holding our parents' meeting regarding the upcoming Year 2 residential visit on Wednesday 17th April at 6pm. Children are welcome to attend the meeting with their parents.

Year 4 Tattenhall Residential Parents' Meeting – Wednesday 17th April 5pm

A reminder that the rescheduled parents' meeting regarding the Year 4 residential will be held on Wednesday 17th April at 5pm. Children are again welcome to attend with their parents.

Year 1 Phonics Meeting for Parents – Thursday 18th April 5pm

All children in Year 1 will be taking a Phonics Screening Check in June. On Thursday 18th April at 5pm there will be a meeting for parents to explain how this works. The meeting will be online, and the link will be sent out via the Year 1 email address after the Easter break.

PTA – Silent Discos – Save The Dates

As per the attached poster the PTA will be hosting Hartford Primary School's first Silent Disco next term. We're hoping to host these outside weather permitting. The children will be provided with a headset with 3 channels so they can boogie with their friends to their favourite choice of music. Tickets will be on sale for £5 via ParentPay from the start of next term (15th April) until 6th May. The cost of the ticket includes a snack and drink. You will be able to make one song request for your child when paying for their ticket. This will enable us to compile a playlist on our jukebox channel. At the end of each disco children will be dismissed from their normal classroom and the playground will be accessible via the front gate only. As we've done previously the discos will be held over 2 days:

EY, Year 1 & 2 will be on 15th May 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Year 3 & 4 are scheduled for 16th May 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Year 5 & 6 will have their disco in line with the end of their SATs tests
on 16th May 5pm – 6pm what better way to celebrate!

PTA – Pop-Up Sweet Sale – Today After School

Further to the email sent earlier today the PTA will be holding another pop-up sweet sale after school outside Mrs Moore’s Hall. £1 and £2 bags of pick and mix sweets will be available and cash and card payments are both acceptable. The stall will be manned straight after school and not until clubs are dismissed due to limited stock.

Parents’ Afternoons/Evenings – Week Commencing 29th April

As mentioned in previous newsletters our next round of Parents’ Afternoons/Evening will be held during the week commencing 29th April. Please see the table below for details of when your child’s teacher/s will be holding their appointments. The booking system will open to parents via School Spider on Monday 15th April at 6pm and close on 25th April at 9pm. If you need a reminder of your login details or are new to school and don’t have a login as yet, please contact a member of the office team who will be pleased to assist.

Class	Day 1	Day 2
EYKR	Tues 30 th April 1pm – 7pm	N/A
EYMM	Mon 29 th April Afternoon	Tues 30 th April Afternoon/Evening
1CW	Tues 30 th April Afternoon/Evening	Thur 2 nd May Afternoon
1JD	Wed 1 st May Afternoon	Thurs 2 nd May Afternoon/Evening
2EC	Tues 30 th April Afternoon/Evening	Wed 1 st May Afternoon
2NB	Tues 30 th April Afternoon/Evening	Wed 1 st May Afternoon
3JO	Mon 29 th April Afternoon	Tues 30 th April Afternoon/Evening
3MG	Tues 30 th April Afternoon/Evening	Wed 1 st May Afternoon
4MH	Mon 29 th April Afternoon	Tues 30 th April Afternoon/Evening
4LO	Tues 30 th April Afternoon/Evening	Thurs 2 nd May Afternoon
5CW	Tue 30 th April Afternoon/Evening	Wed 1 st May Afternoon
5ES	Mon 29 th April Afternoon	Tues 30 th April Afternoon/Evening
6LW	Wed 1 st May Afternoon	Thurs 2 nd May Afternoon/Evening
6VM	Mon 29 th April Afternoon	Tues 30 th April Afternoon/Evening

Year 4 Visits to Lion Salt Works - 22nd April 4LO and 25th April 4MH

It is the turn of Year 4 for our next curriculum linked days trips. They will be visiting Lion Salt Works Museum and Exhibition to continue their learning of their history topic about The Romans. The visit will also give them first-hand experience of how the salt industry has affected our local area. Whilst there, the children will see how salt was mined and prepared to be exported all over the world. They will discover how the industry affected our landscape and how, over the past 20 years, Northwich has dealt with the problems caused. If you haven't done so already, please access your ParentPay account to provide your consent and pay for this trip.

Cheshire Food & Drink Festival – 30th March – 1st April 2024 – Chester Racecourse

We've been made aware of a special offer for families for this event which is taking place over the Easter weekend. Use the code **SCHOOL10** when booking your tickets online at chesterfoodanddrink.co.uk to receive a **10% discount** on any day ticket or 3 day roamer. This code can be used an unlimited number of times. For more information and ticket booking, please visit our website: chesterfoodanddrink.co.uk

- **Delicious Discoveries:** Explore an incredible array of over 150 local producers, artisan food makers, and award-winning chefs. Sample everything from regional specialties to international flavours
- **Free Kids' Cooking Classes:** Let your little chefs unleash their creativity with engaging and educational cooking classes designed just for them (spaces limited, registration required)
- **Learning Through Experience:** The festival offers a chance to learn about local ingredients, food production, and healthy eating habits in a fun and interactive way
- **Get inspired** by demonstrations from both Celebrity and local chefs

Have a lovely Easter break and we'll see you on Monday 15th April for the start of the Summer term.

Warm regards,



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Headteacher