



HARTFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL  
HEADTEACHER'S WEEKLY NEWSLETTER  
3<sup>rd</sup> May 2024



Dear Parents/Carers and Families

At last, a glimmer of Spring with warm weather and sunshine this week! Let's hope it holds for the Bank Holiday weekend! Here's this week's news from HPS:

**Year 5 Northwich Sings – Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May**

Yesterday evening, our year 5 children performed as part of the Northwich Sings singing festival on the main stage at Northwich Memorial Court. They sang beautifully in front of almost 500 people and their performance was absolutely wonderful! We are so proud of how well they did and all of the hard work that the children have put into rehearsing for this over the last few weeks. A massive well done to all of year 5, you have made us exceptionally proud! I'd like to personally thank the whole of the Year 5 teaching team for supporting the children with their rehearsals and at the event itself.

**Year 5 Visit to Chester Zoo – Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May**

Year 5 are off on their travels again next week, when they visit Chester Zoo on 7<sup>th</sup> May. The visit will consolidate their learning from their Science topic of Living Things and their Habitats and also their English topic of the Environment and Conservation. Whilst there, the children will have the opportunity to take part in a walking tour workshop - studying some of the different habitats at Chester Zoo. They will observe common characteristics of animals in order to classify them, decide on an animal's relative position in a food chain by determining the function of its teeth and compare lifecycles of some of the zoo animals. It promises to be a fun and interesting way to find out about the animals that live there.

**Parents' Afternoons/Evenings**

Thank you for attending your child's Parents' Evening this week. I hope you found your meeting useful and have been able to celebrate your child's successes so far this year with them.

**RSE Week – 10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> June**

During the week commencing 10<sup>th</sup> June, class teachers will be delivering the Relationship and Sex Education programme, in accordance with the guidance from the Department for Education. The topic coverage for each year group was available for you to look at during Parents' Evenings this week. If you have any questions or didn't manage to read the material, please contact your child's class teacher through their year group email address.

**PTA – Silent Discos**

Just a final reminder that the deadline to book your child's place at the forthcoming Silent Discos is next Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May. The disco dates are as follows:

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

Year 3 & 4 are scheduled for 16<sup>th</sup> May 3.30pm – 4.30pm

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

**Key Stage 2 Cross Country Event – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May**

Mr Cairns is taking over 60 children from Years 3 – 6 to Hartford High School this afternoon to take part in a Cross Country event. Good luck to everyone concerned and thank you to those parents that are assisting Mr Cairns in walking the children down to the High School.

**Whit Half Term Holiday Football Camp**

One of our after school football providers, On The Pitch Coaching, are running a football camp here at school from Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May. The camp is for children in Years 3 – 6 and places are available for the whole week or individual days. Please see the attached flyer for further information.

**Catz Clubs Monthly Art and Craft Sessions**

Please see the attached flyer for some local children's art and craft sessions that you may be interested in for your child.

**FACE Family Advice Sessions**

Please find attached the May newsletter from FACE Family Advice Service and a flyer regarding a talk which may be of interest to you.

Just a reminder that Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May is a bank holiday and school will reopen on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May.

Have a lovely weekend.

Warm regards



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**Headteacher**