



# The Hawsworth Herald

*'Learning through Love, Fun and Faith'*

22.6.18

**Our 6 core Christian values:** Love, Trust, Courage, Friendship, Respect and Forgiveness.

## Friends of Hawsworth

The PTA have informed me we had a very poor return for the Dress Down Day Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June. Considering 111 children were in non-uniform the school office received £40, 3 bottles of wine and a chocolate orange. The office staff have also informed me some parents and staff paid more than they were asked which does indicate many pupils came in non-uniform but did not contribute anything for the school fair. All money raised at the school fair raises funds to enable school to purchase 'bonus' resources for all pupils. Friends of Hawsworth are also desperate for more parents to volunteer to help with this year's Summer Fair – the signing up sheet is placed on the outside of the staffroom window. Dress Down Day for pupils – 29<sup>th</sup> June 2018 – to bring in chocolate.

## Building update

Last academic year I applied for funds from the Diocese to upgrade our school security. Admittedly, I thought we had been unsuccessful in our bid as it had been a very long time since I had applied.....but I am happy to say that this week we were informed we had been successful and we will receive funding. We have already had two companies out to do site visits. I will inform you of future developments.

## Sports news

Our Year 6 football team were entered into a six-a-side tournament last Friday. They won two matches and lost one during the group stages and sadly lost 1-0 to Bramhope Primary School in the semi-finals. One consolation was Bramhope went on to win the final with a 3-0 win so for Hawsworth to lose only by one goal did indicate our team's strong performance. I was also very impressed with the team's attitude and how they can play quick and skilful football. Well done team! Squad: Finlay. B, Thomas. C, George. G, Liam. T, Joseph. M and Reuben. H.

## Sports Day

On Monday it was Sports Day and even though it was rather blustery and overcast it was great to see the children enjoy the afternoon and to see so many parents and grandparents in attendance. Thank you Mr Roche for planning and leading the event. Below are a few photos of the event and I have uploaded more to the school website.





### Don't Miss out!

**A great opportunity and open to all parents!**

**An opportunity to meet other parents**

**An opportunity to enjoy the outdoors**

**An opportunity to sample village life**

**An opportunity to chat with friends**

**An opportunity to share worries and put the world to rights**

**An opportunity to wear stylish, vibrant jackets**

**Mrs Hyde is now recruiting parents to supervise the school drop-off zone for the 2018-19 academic year.**

**If you are interested please inform the school office.**

### ALPT Art Exhibition

The Aireborough Learning Partnership Trust held a Recycled Art Exhibition at Guiseley Methodist Church on Tuesday and Wednesday. The artwork on display was produced by pupils from each of the 14 schools of our Trust. The art contribution from Hawksworth was completed by children from each of our classes and the teaching has been led by Mrs Gallagher and Miss Ward. I would like to thank both members of staff who have put a lot of their spare time into making this event a great success. I would also like to thank **Forge Recycling (please see flyer)** for providing school with enough recycled products to enable us to create the wonderful artwork below.



Mrs Gallagher setting up the display

### Star Pupils

Class 2

Erin Hemingway - for writing a great description of a new planet.

Lydia McBride - for great reasoning about addition in Maths.

Class 3

All of year 3 for being good role models and welcoming the year 2's on transition day.

Zaynab Muhammed - For her bravery in being a human skipping rope in our skip routine!

Class 4

Charlie Pittendreigh - for demonstrating good knowledge in Science.

Alfie Westman - for excellent work in Literacy.

### Class News

Class 1

We have been writing a lot this week! The range of writing has been centered round the book, 'Mr Gumpy's Outing' (this a children's picture book written and illustrated by John Burningham).

## Class 2

We have been learning about Neil Armstrong and Space in Literacy and History this week and have written descriptions of a new imaginary planet. In Science, we have been watching our caterpillars turn into chrysalises and are now waiting excitedly for the butterflies to emerge. We have also been learning about the life cycle of a butterfly. In Maths, we have been continuing our work on money and reasoning about addition and subtraction.

## Class 3

This week class 3 have been busy completing the books they have written for last term's writing assessment. They have designed eye catching front covers and will complete the blurbs next week. We have used Purple Mash to create our very own computer games based upon the FIFA World Cup and had a go testing our classmates games and provided feedback. The children have also begun building their volcanoes - which we look forward to making erupt in the near future! We have also added some new stylish moves to our skipping routine, in order to further impress the judges at our finals on July 4th.

## Class 4

This week, in Science, Class 4 have been thinking carefully about how to keep our bodies healthy. We have been investigating the nutritional content of different foods and looking at what makes a balanced diet. We then moved on to finding out about the circulatory system and made life-size models using recycled materials. In Computing, we have been looking at blogging by analysing different examples and planning our own World Cup-themed blogs. We studied percentages in Maths and completed related problems involving money and in Literacy we wrote short narratives in pairs, focussing on using effective speech, action and description.

## Kestrels

Q. How do you ask a dinosaur to lunch?

A. Tea, Rex?

This week Kestrels have had lots of fun finding out about the reptiles that once dominated our planet. The children have made some awesome dinosaurs using various different materials. We have had some very scary T. Rex's and Tyrannosaurus masks. Also we used pasta to make a dinosaur skeleton and shapes. Some children enjoyed colouring in and cutting out various reptiles, then making a stand for them. For sensory play we have had lots of fun using "Oobleck" with dinosaurs in.

## School Attendance

Our school Attendance target is 97%. Well done **Class 2** for achieving **99.2%** attendance this week!

Class 1 97.50%    Class 2 99.2%    Class 3 96.43%    Class 4 96.43%

## House Points

Congratulations to **Eagles House** for receiving the largest total of house points this week.

**Eagles 75**    **Falcons 57**    **Vultures 62**    **Condors 60**

## Dates for the Diary

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	<b>SUMMER TERM 2</b>
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July 2018	Class One – Stay and Play for Parents/Grandparents
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> July 2018	Leavers/Awards 2.30pm
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 2018	Pupil Reports go out to Parents Leavers' Production 2.15pm School Hall
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2018	TRAINING DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> July 2018	TRAINING DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED

Thank you for your continued support.

Mr Dale Norris  
Headteacher





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