

The Humberston Church of England Primary School



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NEWSLETTER

INTERESTING VISITS AND LEARNING OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM

Mosque Visit – Year 3 and 4

On 7th and 11th March our Year 3 and 4 children went in two groups to visit a local mosque. As part of our Religious Education the Year 3/4 pupils are currently studying Islam and an opportunity such as this enhances their learning across the curriculum. During the visit our children met some of the local Muslim community and were shown around the mosque where they compared the differences to our local Church, St. Peter's. The children were able to ask some interesting questions at the end of the tour and they all thoroughly enjoyed the experience of visiting a different place of worship.

Woodside Wildlife Park – Year 1 and 2 Visit

Last week, as part of their topic this term 'Circle of Life', the children in Year 1 and 2 visited Woodside Wildlife and Falconry Park in Langworth near Lincoln. On arrival at the park the children were met by their Rangers for the day and were greeted by Poppy the Parrot! During the day the children took part in a range of curriculum based activities focussing on animal senses, day and night, animal habitats and life cycles. As part of the tour the children visited the Lemur's and watched them playing and feeding, explored the Tropical Butterfly House and met tigers, wolves, meerkats and otters. For those who wanted to, after lunch, children were able to touch and hold reptiles! Despite the wet and windy weather, the children had a brilliant time and have gained lots of valuable knowledge that they can apply to their work back in the classroom!

Year 5 / 6 Football Competition – Lincs Inspire

On Monday 14th March, our Year 5/6 boys played against Laceby Acres Primary School in the Lincs Inspire Cup. After a rocky start, the boys played some incredible football and finished the second half 2-0 down. Half time provided the chance for a motivating team talk and the boys came back onto the pitch full of determination scoring two fantastic goals! Even though the final score was 4-2 to Laceby, our boys showed great sportsmanship, brilliant teamwork and resilience throughout the whole game.

Year 5 / 6 Football Competition – Ramsdens Cup

On Thursday 21st March, we hosted our first home game of the season with our 5/6 football team playing their knockout game for the Ramsden Cup against Cloverfields Primary School. With a nice prompt start and plenty of supporters on the side-line, the boys were able to secure an early lead due to brilliant teamwork and through balls which gave us the lead of 2-1 at half time. It was after



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their team talk at half time when the boys really came alive and managed to finish the game with a fantastic score line 5-1. The second half showcased some incredible runs on the wing, perfectly timed through balls and strikes mixed with solid play at the back which allowed the boys to secure their rightful place into the next round of the Ramsden Cup. Well done and a huge thank you to all the parents who came along to support the team.

Cross Country Competition

On Wednesday 20th March, a team of girls and boys from year's 3,4,5 and 6 attended the annual Schools Cross Country event held at Weelsby Woods. The sun was shining and with the course in good condition, children were ready and raring to go! Each race had approximately 140 participants which meant our teams had their work cut out! The children showed outstanding perseverance and determination and ran their socks off bringing home some excellent results. The Year 3 Girls team placed 5th overall out of 18 teams after our very own Year 3 runner came in 1st! Our Year 4 Boys team placed 5th out of 25 teams and the Year 4 Girls team place 7th out of 27! Each runner worked unbelievably hard and should be extremely proud of their individual and team achievements. Well done to all!

Class 4 – Christian Value Summary Worship

On **Monday 1st April** (please note new date), the children in Class 4 will hold a special worship to summarise the work we have been doing all term on our Christian value of Justice. We would like to invite all parents from Class 4 to come along and share in this very special worship. Please enter through the main office at 9.00am once you have dropped your children off at their classroom. We look forward to seeing you.

Child Psychologist Drop In Session

The next drop in session for parents with our Child Psychologist will be on Tuesday 26th March 2019 9.00am to 10.00am. If you have any concerns about your child's development, please come along for a coffee and an informal chat. Please enter school through the main office.

Mother's Day Service – St. Peter's Church, Humberston

On Sunday 31st March at 11.00am, St. Peter's Church are holding a Mother's Day Service. They would like to extend an invitation to parents and children to join them in their service with songs, hymns, reading and prayers where posies of flowers will also be given.

Diary dates

Tuesday 26th March 2019 – 9.00am to 10.00am Child Psychologist Drop In Session
Tuesday 26th March 2019 – 1.30pm – Class School Photographs
Sunday 31st March 2019 – 11.00am Mother's Day Service at St. Peters Church - All welcome
Monday 1st April 2019 – Class 4 Worship – all parents of Class 4 welcome
Tuesday 2nd April 2019 – 9.00am – Easter Praise Service at St. Peters Church (unfortunately due to limited space parents are not invited to this service)
Tuesday 2nd April 2019 – pm Parents Evening
Wednesday 3rd April 2019 – 9.00am Easter Praise Service at St. Peters Church (unfortunately due to limited space parents are not invited to this service)
Friday 5th April 2019 – 1.30pm School closes for the Easter break
Wednesday 24th April 2019 – 9.00am School reopens
Tuesday 7th May 2019 – Year 5 Bikeability (details to follow)
Thursday 9th May 2019 – Year 3 & 4 Quad Kids Athletics Competition (details to follow)
Friday 10th May 2019 – Year 5 Bikeability (details to follow)
Monday 13th May to Thursday 16th May 2019 – Year 6 SAT's
Thursday 23rd May 2019 – Year 6 Church Schools Festival (details to follow)
Friday 24th May 2019 – School closes for May half term
Monday 3rd June 2019 – 9.00am School re-opens
Friday 19th July 2019 – 1.30pm School closes for the Summer Break
Monday 22nd July 2019 – Training Day – school closed to pupils
Tuesday 23rd July 2019 – Training Day – school closed to pupils