Hindley Junior and Infant School



EXAM TIME... ALL THINGS CROSSED!

Hello everyone, I hope you have all enjoyed the fantastic weather over the bank holiday weekend. I want to start my newsletter by wishing good luck to all our Year 6 children, who have their KS2 SATs next week. We are incredibly proud of their hard work, fantastic attitude and commitment!

Huge well done to our Year 2 children, who completed their KSI SATs this week, under the care and support of Miss McKeever, with confidence and resilience. Well done to every one of you!

THE ROYAL WEDDING

We are inviting children to come to school in their 'wedding finery' or 'fancy clothes' on Friday 18th May as part of our Royal Wedding celebrations. The children will enjoy a day of royalty-themed lessons finished with a 'Royal Wedding Picnic'. Parents and carers are very welcome to join us for the picnic (from 2:15pm onwards), just remember to bring a blanket! In preparation, the children will be making wedding bunting, place mats, crowns and tiaras. We are kindly asking for the following donations for the picnic:



Early Years: Crisps Year 1: Sandwiches Year 2: Cakes Year 3: Sandwiches Year 4: Crisps Year 5: Sandwiches Year 6: Cakes



CUPCAKE COMPETITION

We are also hosting a 'Cupcake Competition' and inviting parents/carers to bake 12 identical cupcakes to celebrate this happy occasion. Entries will be welcomed into school on the morning of Friday 18th May and displayed as part of Friday's special assembly for the school council to judge. They will award a special prize and accolade of 'Star Baker!'

DESIGN A WEDDING DRESS

During the Royal Wedding picnic, we will hold a competition to 'Design a Wedding Dress' and would ask anyone who wants to join in the fun with their children and friends, to come along armed with toilet rolls!

YEAR 2 FAMILY ASSEMBLY

What an absolute delight it was to be part of the Year 2 family assembly last week. A packed school hall with family and friends enjoyed finding out more about 'The Great Fire of London'. Thank you to everyone who came along for your lovely comments too!

'FUR CLEMT' FOOD SHOP

As you may be aware, over the last couple of weeks we have been trialling a 'Pop Up Food Shop' on a Tuesday after school. This scheme aims to reduce the amount of food wastage and provide affordable, fresh food to families. There has been an initial outlay cost to school of £3000. The donations we receive will offset these costs. Thank you to Tesco in Hindley for donating carrier bags courtesy of Emily's Mum (Year 5), and to Emily-Mae's Mum (Year 3) for the small bags and gloves!

LATE GATE

This half term's 'Late Gate' will take place on Friday 18th May 2018. Mrs Speakman and Miss Rawding continually monitor Attendance and Lates for the whole school.

SPORTS DAYS

To help you to plan, the sports day dates for this term (weather permitting) are as follows; (Parents welcome from 1:30pm onwards)

Early Years and Key Stage I:

Thursday 5th July Friday 6th July

KS1 SWIMMING

Please remember to bring your child's swimming kit into school on their designated days for swimming. Swimming is a part of the national curriculum and should not be missed due to no kit.

...AND FINALLY

Have a lovely weekend everyone and thank you for your continued support. Mrs Nash.

DIARY DATES

- Tuesday 15th May— Warburton's Baker to visit Year 3
- Tuesday 15th May—EY
 Locality Walk (p.m)
- Friday 18th May—Late Gate
- Friday 18th May—Royal Wedding celebrations
- Monday 21st May—Y5 & Y6 Rugby Competition (pm)

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- Thursday 24th May—YI Family Assembly at 9am
- Friday 25th May—Y5 & Y6 Cricket Competition (am)
- Friday 25th May—Race
 For Life event at 2:30pm
 - Friday 25th May— School closes for half term







Key Stage 2: