Friday 23rd October 2020

Greenhaugh Primary School News



Happy Harvest

Welcome to our **Greenhaugh Primary Newsletter** and may we take this opportunity to wish you a very happy and safe half term holiday!

Thank you **Year 4 parents** who came to our presentation of the curriculum on **Tuesday 13th October**. It was informative and inspiring - what an exciting curriculum the children have to look forward to!

Years 3/4/5 have today had an exciting morning discussing what to look forward to in their Secondary Education. We were very grateful to be visited by Jamie Robinson from Haydon Bridge High School from our school partnership, who talked about what life might be like in Secondary Education. Parents are invited to an online open evening to explore Haydon Bridge High School and the opportunity to discover more via their website https://sites.google.com/hbhs.co.uk/hbhsvirtual openevening/home

Thank you too to all parents who attended Parent consultations - how good it was being able to see you and communicate as best we could about your child/ren's progress. We will continue to send information about your child/ren's learning through Class Dojo.

FOGS request for a fundraising 'Hilarious Halloween' went down a storm! We raised £31.60 and had a fantastic day. Julie, our wonderful cook, served up a Halloween treat for lunch. The school was full of 'little monsters'!

On Thursday 15th October, we had our autumnal **Harvest walk** up to St. Aidan's Church. Despite, unfortunately, not being able to invite you, we hope your child shared their experience with you about how lovely it was and we picked the perfect weather. On our return back to school, we all enjoyed a muchdeserved drink of hot chocolate. Yummy! We would like to thank you all so much for your generous donations to our **Harvest Festival collection for the Food Bank**.

Class 2 was visited by Brod, a creative sculptor. The children made fantastic willow frames of an insect of their choice. These 'skeletons' will be worked on further on Thursday 5th November in order to create their 'outer skin'. Please look on your child's Class Dojo to see a photo of their sculpture! Class 1's sculpture day was held in tandem and the children created colorful dragonflies. Please do continue to send in clean recycled materials so that we can continue our exciting project. Thank you.

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Thank you to parents, staff and our wider community for continuing to be respectful and understanding of social distancing and sanitisation to help keep everyone safe.

Dates-

Half-term- school closes at 3pm **23/10/20** and re-opens 8.45am **3/11/20** (with 2/11/20 being a teacher training day)

Please can any Tempest school photograph requests be received back in school by the latest 6/11/20. Thank you.