



# Newsletter

Summer 2: The BIG One



## GOODBYE TO THE CLASS OF 2023



This morning during our Leaver's Service and this afternoon in our end of year Celebration Assembly we got to say goodbye to a wonderful class of children, who have been great ambassadors for the school. We are incredibly proud of each and every one of them. Most of the children in the class have been together since they started in Nursery/Reception back in 2016-17; as they have gone through the school their friendships have grown strong. The Class of 2023 is a group of confident, intelligent, creative, kind, imaginative young people who we are certain will achieve great things in the future. They are now going to be forever remembered as the **'Hundred Percenters'** - having all achieved the Expected Standard in Writing, Reading and Spelling, Punctuation & Grammar, they narrowly missed out in maths with **92%**! However, I am sure everyone would agree that these end of year SATs results are phenomenal!!!

We wish you well as you embark on the journey through high school, you are all going to do brilliantly. You will be missed by the staff team, children and of course, your BUDDIES.

**Good luck!**



A big thank you to the children for continuing to bring us laughter and joy each day, you are all amazing. Thanks to the staff for their tireless work in providing the children with the best possible school experience both in lessons and through creative enrichment activities. Thank you to the Governing Body for showing such amazing commitment to holding the school to account and working hard to ensure a bright future for Hebden Royd Primary. Thank you to the PTFA who give so much of their time to organise events and fundraisers; a particular favourite being the Open Mic Night, which will now be an annual affair! They have raised over **£3000** this year, quite an incredible sum considering we are such a small school. Thank you to our Eco-Coordinator for helping our children reach their goal of becoming an Eco School; their support, guidance and energy had a significant impact on our young Eco-Councillors. Last, but by no means least, thank you to our parent community for the continued support, the kind words and the understanding shown when things don't always go to plan. We appreciate it greatly.

### Summer Transition

Our new timetable for transition has worked brilliantly this year, we will be continuing this in the future. Having a longer period of transition has certainly helped our children get used to their new classrooms, classmates and teachers. The feedback from the children has been very positive and they feel better prepared for the start of the new academic year.



### Watch this Space

The Governing Body have been discussing the school vision and strap line. We feel that 'Aiming High Together' does not resonate with our children or the wider school community; it does not speak of who we are or what we do. Work on this will continue through the summer. We are hoping to have new signage for the school early next academic year.

### Headteacher Awards



**EYFS: Dexter**

**YEAR 3/4: Rowan**

**KS1: Max**

**YEAR 5/6: YEAR 6**

### PTFA NEWS:



Our PTFA continue to do amazing things for our school community, raising funds which help to buy resources for our children and subsidise enrichment activities such as Forest School, Eco School and school trips. This year we have had some great events: **Indie Night** at The Trades Club which raised **£1000**, our **Christmas Fair** which raised **£1055**, **Open Mic Night** which raised **£200** and our **Fun Day** on the field which raised **£830**. With other various small fundraisers the PTFA have managed to raise well over **£3000** this academic year.



### SAVE THE DATE:

**'GETTING TO KNOW YOU' COFFEE MORNING FRIDAY 15th SEPTEMBER AT 9:00 AM in the school hall. This is an event for our new parents & families, however the school community are more than welcome to come along for a chat and a brew!**

**PTFA Annual General Meeting will be held in the school hall on 28th September 2023**

**Parents welcome to attend it would be great if we could get a few more people involved in our PTFA for next year.**



# NEWS FROM THE OFFICE

## CHANGES TO THE SCHOOL DAY:

From September there will be a slight change to the timings of the school day. Children will continue to use the same entrance and exits: EYFS & YEAR 5/6 Back Playground. Year 1/2 and Year 3/4 Front Playground.

YEAR GROUP	START	FINISH
EYFS	8:50 AM	3:05 PM
YEAR 1/2	8:50 AM	3:10 PM
YEAR 3/4	8:55 AM	3:15 PM
YEAR 5/6	8:55 AM	3:15 PM

## School Meals

From September 2023 we will be using Scout Road Academy as our school meal provider. A daily salad bar together with the option of a jacket potato if a child does not like the two choices on a particular day are added bonuses.

Meals are charged at £2.60 per day. You can find the menu on our website

[HERE](#)

## Dates for the Diary

- **ALL CLUBS WILL START IN THE SECOND WEEK BACK** — Letters to sign up will be in bookbags by **Friday 8th September**
- **25th September - Year 5 & 6 will take part in a bespoke session on Social Media, Kindness and Friendship**
- **9th October—Year 3/4 will take part in a RESILIENCE workshop**
- **18th October—PARENT FORUM: Social Media and Well-being (this is for parents of Key Stage 2 children only) Held in the school hall 1:15PM to 2:45PM**
- **25th October—Reception to Year 6 Flu immunisations @ 1PM**

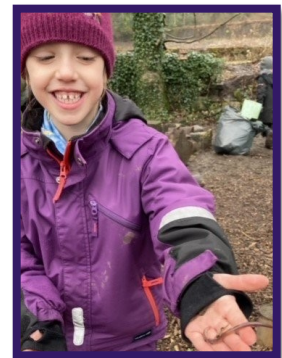
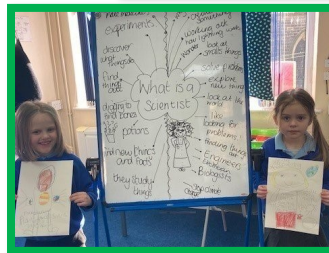
## AFTER SCHOOL CLUB & BREAKFAST CLUB

Our Breakfast club will continue to run from 7:45 am each morning. There is no need to book. We are keeping the cost at £3.00 per child.

After School Club will continue to be run by Clubs Complete—after using them since Easter we would advise that you do not book too far in advance to ensure you do not lose money through their cancellation policy. Please check our yearly Club timetable (attached) as this will help you plan the sessions you may need for childcare. You can find details on how to book on our website [HERE](#)



# A Celebration of 2022-23 at Hebden Royd



We look forward to welcoming you back on Tuesday 5th September 2023. Wishing you all a lovely and relaxing summer!

## Club Dates & Times Academic Year 2023-24

AUTUMN TERM	DATES												
MULTI SKILLS (Year 3-6) <i>£3.00 per session</i>	TUESDAYS 3:15 pm – 4:15pm	12.09.23	19.09.23	26.09.23	03.10.23	10.10.23	17.10.23	24.10.23	14.11.23	21.11.23	28.11.23	05.12.23	12.12.23
YOGA (Year 1-6) <i>£5.00 per session</i>	TUESDAYS 3:10pm – 4:15pm	12.09.23	19.09.23	26.09.23	03.10.23	10.10.23	17.10.23	24.10.23	14.11.23	21.11.23	28.11.23	05.12.23	12.12.23
SINGING (Year Reception -Year 2)	THURSDAYS 3:10pm – 4:05pm	14.09.23	21.09.23	28.09.23	05.10.23	12.10.23	19.10.23	26.10.23	16.11.23	23.11.23	30.11.23	07.12.23	14.12.23
WRITING WORKSHOP (Year 4-6)	MONDAYS 3:15pm – 4:15pm	11.09.23	18.09.23	25.09.23	02.10.23	09.10.23	16.10.23	23.10.23	13.11.23	20.11.23	27.11.23	04.12.23	11.12.23
SPRING TERM	DATES												
MULTI SKILLS (Year 1-3) <i>£3.00 per session</i>	TUESDAYS 3:10pm – 4:05pm	16.01.24	23.01.24	30.01.24	06.02.24	27.02.24	05.03.24	12.03.24	19.03.24				
YOGA (Year 1-6) <i>£5.00 per session</i>	TUESDAYS 3:15pm – 4:15pm	16.01.24	23.01.24	30.01.24	06.02.24	27.02.24	05.03.24	12.03.24	19.03.24				
SINGING (Year 3 – Year 6)	THURSDAYS 3:15pm – 4:15pm	18.01.24	25.01.24	01.02.24	08.02.24	29.02.24	07.03.24	14.03.24	21.03.24				
SUMMER TERM	DATES												
MULTI SKILLS (Year 2-6) <i>£3.00 per session</i>	TUESDAYS 3:15 pm – 4:15pm	16.04.24	23.04.24	30.04.24	07.05.24	14.05.24	21.05.24	11.06.24	18.06.24	25.06.24	02.07.24	09.07.24	
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*Karate club will still be running every Thursday from 3 – 5pm. This is run by **Budokai Karate**. If you would like your child to attend, please speak to the office staff who will be happy to give you further details of how to sign up.*