Huxley CE Primary School Newsletter



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Uniquely Huxley...

Dear Parents,

Another busy week in school. Thank you to those parents who attended the coffee morning - the uptake for these has been fantastic – it is great to see so many of you there.

This week is dyslexia awareness week- the first of our Care In the Community projects for this year. The theme was Uniquely You. The children all looked amazing yesterday and wearing their own uniquely styled outfits- they looked great. Mrs Fearnley led on the assembly yesterday to share some information about dyslexia and the difficulties that some children and adults can face. The key message however was that everyone has strengths and difficulties in different areas and that having dyslexia does not define who you are! We are all unique in our own wonderful way.

As a lovely twist of fate, yesterday Mrs Fearnley also obtained her results from her current studies and is now a qualified Dyslexia Assessor with a PgDip in Dyslexia research and methods. She also has a specialist dyslexia teacher qualification alongside this. She should be very proud of her achievements- we are all very proud of you at Huxley- well done Mrs Fearnley!

We have managed to raise £85 so far so thank you to all those who donated online via the link sent out. The link is still available via our Facebook page for anyone reading this from the community, should you wish to donate to the British Dyslexia Association too.

Talking of donations, we had a lovely donation to our school funds last week from a lady who one of our school grandparents knows. He helped sell some items that belonged to her family and she asked if the funds could be donated to our school- this was such a lovely thing to do. A huge thank you to Mrs Doreen Bostock who donated £80 to our school. We have purchased two balance bikes for play time – thank you so much!

Wet play request- we go outside even when it is wet but on the odd occasion we make the decision to stay in if the rain is really heavy, the paths are slippy/icy or the wind has picked up. The children this week have really enjoyed playing board games and colouring on one of our wet plays. If anyone has any colouring sets, board games, card games that you no longer use and would like to donate and you think they would be good for our wet play boxes, then please do send them in. I kindly ask- please don't send in any noisy or electrical items however as many of children have noise sensitivities and with everyone in the hall this may become too unsettling for them.



With God's love we can fly

DIARY DATES 2023

Coffee morning 3rd- curriculum updates, Showbie and attendance

Thursday 5th October- CITC-dyslexia awareness focus- Uniquely You

5th - Special Dinner Menu

12th Harvest 2pm at St Peters church

19th October 3-4.30 - Family Fun Event

19th October- Flexi children finish for half term

20th October – Full time pupils finish for half term- normal finish time 3.15pm

30.10.23- inset- staff only

31.10.23- children return for Autumn 2 term

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Harvest is this coming week- Thursday 12th at 2pm at St Peters (the postcode is CH3 7RN for our new parents). Parents are welcome to join us at 2pm and you can take your children home from there. Please sign them out using the class list your child's teacher will hold. If you are unable to attend, and are able to, could you collect your child from the church to help with transport like we did at Christmas last year. We will take them down there in the bus so please do not worry if you need them to come back on the bus too, we certainly can do this- it just helps reduce the multiple trips. If your child is at sports club, then obviously we will just take them back on the bus anyway.

Harvest donations- please bring donations of dry goods to support the Save the Family collection at church. You can bring these in from Tuesday-Thursday this week and we can take them up to the church or you can just bring them along with you if you are coming to watch.

Family Fun Event- this will be 3-4.30 Thursday 19th October. It will just be a fun family team event to raise some funds for the school. It will be £5 entry per team with a Huxley trophy and a sweet hamper prize! Could you let me know if you would like to take part? We will have to limit numbers so it will be a first come first serve basis with 10 teams of 6. Please email admin@huxleyprimary.cheshire.sch.uk if you would like to take part. You can join families together as a team so if you are a family of 2 or 3 you can join up with another family of 3 or 4 if you wish or you can bring along siblings, grandparents etc to make up your team. Please submit your team name to Miss Lloyd and she will let you know when we have reached 10 teams. It would be great if we can have some parent helpers too. To avoid any disappointment, I will do another family fun event later in the year as I think there will be a lot of interest.

Many thanks Mrs Gourley

Showbie Spotlight





Changing Adjectives to Adverbs Using Suffixes

