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Highcliffe Primary

Friday Flyer

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Dear Parents/Carers,

I can't believe we have been back at school for almost a month already! The children have continued to settle well back into a routine and it feels like those who started with us at the beginning of term have always been here! To Thea and Osiris in Reception, Rhys in Year 1, Joshua in Y3 and Khloe in Year 5—you have made a fantastic start and I hope you have all enjoyed your time here so far!

Nursery Starters—Our new Nursery children have also had a super few weeks and we are looking forward to welcoming more new starters into the setting over the next few weeks. We hope they will be very happy here!

Highcliffe Sport: Our new adventure begins! This week Highcliffe competed in Middlesbrough Schools Cross Country at the Unity City Academy - our first competition since leaving the Redcar and Cleveland Partnership and moving over to the Middlesbrough Schools Partnership. Our runners did our school proud—with children qualifying to represent Middlesbrough at the Tees Valley Finals at Stewart Park in October! Some of our children went on to win gold and silver medals in the competition—something we never thought we could achieve at this early stage. Massive congratulations to everyone who took part! The next few weeks will see Highcliffe move into competing in the Year 5 & 6 Boys and Girls Tag Rugby Competitions and the Boys East Cleveland Football Competition at St Bede's in Marske. Lots to look forward to! Good luck to all who are representing our school. **Mr Swales, PE Lead**

Safeguarding at Highcliffe:

Please see the attached poster—***What Parents and Carers Need to Know about The Dangers of Vaping.*** Unfortunately, statistics show that many primary aged children have already tried vaping or vape regularly. The risks to such young children are huge and we will ensure that these dangers are shared with the children regularly in order to deter them as much as possible. **A reminder that we are a smoke and vape free site.** Thank you for adhering to this request.

Parking: Please do not park on the pavements along Hutton Lane. They need to be kept clear for pedestrians—especially those with prams/buggies.

We are very proud to announce this week's Pupils of the Week. Well done everyone!
Kandinsky Class (Rec. Miss Schofield)- Jasmine D
Mondrian Class (Y1 Mrs Woodhouse)- Caiden B
Goldsworthy Class (Y2 Miss Thornton/ Mrs Whittle)- Kaydan M
Krommes Class (Y2 Mrs Walker)- Stanley A
Rainbow Class (Mrs Pearson/Miss Heslop) - Connor B
Dali Class (Y3/4 Mrs Appleby)- Kaleisha B
Miro Class (Y3/4 Mrs Pattinson)- Dominic G
Agar Class (Y4/5 Mrs Salter)- Mason C
Hudertwasser Class (Y5 Mr Nash)- Harry CW
Kahlo Class (Y6 Miss Donaldson)- Miles M
Picasso Class (Y6 Mr Parnaby)- Mason G

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Have a lovely weekend—from all at Highcliffe!

Whole School Attendance Target: 96% This week's attendance: 96%



This Week's Class Attendance:

Reception Miss Schofield	97%	Year 1 Mrs Woodhouse	95%
Year 2 Mrs Whittle/Miss Thornton	95%	Year 2 Mrs Walker	97%
Year 3/4 Mrs Appleby	94%	Year 3/4 Mrs Pattinson	97%
Year 4/5 Mrs Salter	98%	Year 5 Mr Nash	92%
Year 6 Miss Donaldson	95%	Year 6 Mr Parnaby	97%

This Week's Number of Lates:

Reception Miss Schofield	2	Year 1 Mrs Woodhouse	1
Year 2 Mrs Whittle/Miss Thornton	0	Year 2 Mrs Walker	0
Year 3/4 Mrs Appleby	0	Year 3/4 Mrs Pattinson	1
Year 4/5 Mrs Salter	2	Year 5 Mr Nash	1
Year 6 Miss Donaldson	0	Year 6 Mr Parnaby	2

Harvest Festival Date Change for Y1-Y6: Apologies again for the changed date. We will look forward to seeing those of you who can attend, on Tuesday 10th October, from 10am. Thank you.

Attendance: It is so important for the children to attend school each day—well done to Mrs Salter's Class on their 97% attendance this week! Let's all keep working towards our school target!

Highcliffe Diary Dates:

- Mon 2nd Oct**—Flu Vaccinations—please see link: <https://northeastnorthcumbria.nhs.uk/here-to-help/covid-19-and-flu/>
 - Wed 3rd Oct**—Y3/4AP—Swimming
 - Thurs 5th Oct**—Y5/6 Boys' Tag Rugby at MSV (am)
 - Fri 6th Oct**—Y5/6 Girls' Tag Rugby at MSV (am)
 - Tues 10th Oct**—Y1—Y6 Harvest Festival at St. Nicholas Church (10am-11am)
 - Thurs 12th Oct**—Nursery and Reception Harvest Festival (11am-11.30am in KS1 Hall)
 - Fri 27th Oct-Mon 6th Nov**—Half Term
 - Tues 14th Nov**—KS2 Remembrance Service (am)
 - Fri 24th & Mon 27th Nov**—PD Days; School Closed
 - Wed 6th Dec**—Highcliffe's Winter Wonderland
 - Tues 12th Dec** - KS2 Christmas Concert at St. Nicholas (am)
 - Fri 22nd Dec—Mon 8th Jan**—Christmas Break
- Term dates, PD days and PE days are on Instagram!

Next Week's Clubs:

- Monday:** Y5/6 Tag Rugby
Y5/6 Book Club (4.15pm)
 - Wednesday:** KS2 Choir (lunch);
Y5/6 Indoor Athletics
 - Friday:** KS2 Performing Arts
- Club details are shared on our Instagram page, in their own 'Highlights' tab.

Highcliffe Notices/Reminders:

- Helmets:** Please ensure children riding bikes or scooters to school are wearing a helmet. **A reminder that they need to dismount when on site, or on busy paths around school. Thank you.**
- Parking:** Please park safely around school, ensuring that your engines are turned off whilst you wait.
- Harvest Collection:** We will be collecting dried, non-perishable food (tins, packets, pasta etc.), this year and would really appreciate any donations. Thank you in advance for your generosity!