Heckington St Andrew's Church of England Primary School Newsletter 26th January 2023



Dear Parents / Carers,

The booking system for our upcoming parent consultation evenings will be open at the end of school tomorrow. These will be held on Monday 6th and Tuesday 7th February and will be **in person** in school on these two dates.

Hazel class had a visit from a graffiti artist this week and have created some amazing artwork outside their classroom linked to our 5Rs. I'm sure you will agree that they have done a super job and it really brightens up the space outside their classroom!

We have had some reports of inconsiderate parking outside of school. I know that parking is always an issue at the beginning and end of the school day, but could I please ask you to ensure that you are parking safely and considerately and that you use the Pavilion car park wherever possible. Could I also please remind you to use the appropriate pedestrian access when coming into school; it has come to our attention that the car park is being used as a cut through and this could pose a health and safety concern as it is used as a vehicular access at all times.

Finally, I am sure you will be aware that members of the National Education Union (NEU) have voted for strike action with the first date being 1^{st} February (and then on 1^{st} , 15^{th} and 16^{th} March). At the present time, I am expecting that school will be open as normal. However, staff do not have to tell us in advance if they intend to strike and this may mean that we may not be aware of staff who are taking industrial action until the morning of the strike days. We will do our best to minimise any disruption but it may be that we will need to operate a different timetable for some classes on these days. I will keep you updated with further information should anything change.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J Bentley

Head Teacher

piary dates

31.01.23 - Bag2School

06.02.23 - W/c 6th Feb. Parent consultation evenings

06.02.23 - Bikeability for Year 5

09.02.23 - Year 6 Collective Worship 9.00am in school

10.02.03 - Last day of term

20.02.03 - First day back of term

After school sports club Year 1 and Year 2 - Basketball -Thursday

There are still a few places left

To book a place, please use the following link.

<u>https://</u> <u>heckingtonstrewscofe.schoolcloud.co</u>.uk/



Hazel class -Graffiti workshop

The children have designed this incredible work of art. The children helped spray in the background and then they were guided to create the outlines of the objects. The children created stencils for our 5 Rs symbols and sprayed them on with James. It was all their own design and guided work.







The Graffiti artist , James , created portraits of Newton, Tennyson, Banks and Flinders, our house names., which are amazing.

Chestnut class







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We have been fortunate enough to have a special lesson this morning with Astri and Kitty. A huge thank you!









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