

News Flier.....

Wednesday, 22nd March, 2017
Week 11

- **Easter Egg Raffle** – Tickets are selling fast.....and the draw is scheduled for the last day of term. Please keep sending in your donations of chocolate eggs!
- **Netball Coaching Day** – this was a Sports Partnership activity for Years 2 – 6 last week which I am sure the children told you about. Their enthusiasm and participation levels were excellent and Ms Bream went away saying that she was very much looking forward to the opportunity of visiting Huttoft again.
- **Team Sporting Activities** – this week we are participating in another hockey event (Year 6/Year 5) and also a Cross Country event (Years 3 – 6). We wish all our representatives an enjoyable and successful time and thank you to all those parents who have helped with transport.
- **Music Performance** – today the Juniors have thoroughly enjoyed a 'live' concert from a cello and violin duo – Chapel Hill Duo. The programme incorporated musical styles from all over the world and for our young musicians here, it was really nice for them to see where music could take them in the future.

Whole School Music Day – is Thursday, 30th March when the children will be focusing on composition work. As this is a special activity day in school there will be an early morning activity for parents.....look out for 'us' in the corridor!

- **Year 5 Playground Sports Leaders** – training from the Sports Partnership took place last week and Emily, Jessica, Darcey, Zack, Charlie Hart and Charlie Hewitt thoroughly enjoyed this opportunity and will be leading Year 1 in some special games to play during a couple of afternoons next term. This Sports Leader scheme goes on into secondary school and promotes leadership qualities as well as sporting ones.
- **Student Placements** – we will all be very sad to see Miss Ramsey, Miss Lawrence and Miss Parker leave us at the end of this week. They have been excellent student teachers and it has been a pleasure to have them with us. We wish them every success as they go on to complete their teaching qualifications and thank them for all their hard work and engagement in our school.

- **Birthday Candles** – I will be celebrating those children whose birthday falls between Monday, 27th March and Sunday, 16th April in Assembly on Monday, 27th March i.e., this Monday.
- **Summer Uniform** – may be worn from Tuesday, 18th April.....but please may I remind you that the weather can still be very cool and coats still need to be worn to school every day. Huttoft Primary School (only) gilets can be worn as an alternative to a coat and are available through school.
- **Friends of Huttoft School Meeting** – is scheduled for 08:45 on Wednesday, 29th March. The main fund raising event that is coming up will be the Summer Fayre on Friday, 30th June. Please come along and share your suggestions for stalls etc and any other fund raising suggestions you might have.
- **Wear a Hat Day** – this fund raising activity (Wednesday, 29th March) is very important to us as it is for the Ryan Smith Foundation. We feel particularly close to this local charity because Ryan's sister, Charlie, attends our school. For just a £1.00 the children can wear a hat of their choice at school for the day. A collection bucket will be 'out' at Meet and Greet for any additional donations you might like to make. Thank you for your support with this.
- **Extended Provision – Clubs** – with effect from Tuesday, 18th April the cost of Clubs will rise –
 - Fun Club (until 3:30) - £2.00 per child
 - Blocked Clubs (until 3:30) - £2.00 per child
 - Helping Hands (from 3:30) - £4.00 per hour per child
 - Breakfast Club (from 7:30) - £2.50 per child
- **Nursery Fees** – with effect from Tuesday, 18th April the cost of Nursery fees over and above the Early Years Entitlement will rise to £4.00 per hour per child.
- **Weekly Class Trophies** – winners for the week ending Friday, 10th March, 2017:
 - Spelling Trophy – Year 1
 - Mental Maths Trophy – Year 1
 - Attendance Trophy – Year Reception
 - Homework Trophy – Year 5
 - Singing Trophy – Y3

Forthcoming Family Activities in the Community

- Saturday, 8th April – Coastal Walk at Anderby Creek with warden David Miller commencing at 10:00 am – visit www.lincstrust.org.uk for more information.
- Tuesday, 11th April – Eco Centre, Skegness is doing an activity session for under 11's and a grown up from 10:30 to 2:30 – contact enquiries@ecoskegness.org.uk for more details.
- Sunday, 30th April – Rigsby Wood Open Day from 10:00 am visit www.lincstrust.org.uk for more information.

Forthcoming Diary Dates

Friday, 24 th March	Red Nose Day – children can wear a 'nose' or similar accessory to school
Friday, 31 st March	Year 6 Children –v- Year 6 Parents annual netball 'match'. Are you up for the challenge? If so, please join us on the netball court at 1:55 pm for 40 minutes netballing 'fun'!
Tuesday, 18 th April	School re-opens for the Summer Term at 08:35 Instrumental tuition resumes and the £50 fee needs to be paid on or before 18 th April – thank you
Friday, 21 st April	Year 6/Year 5 swimming resumes - £24.00 for the half term/£48 for the Summer Term.
<i>Week beginning Monday, 8th May</i>	<i>Year 6 SAT's National Test week (further details to follow)</i>
Friday, 30 th June	Summer Fayre commencing at 3:00 – 4:30 pm
Tuesday, 11 th July	Sports Day