



HORNBLOWER

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Autumn Term

12th November 2021

PE, Sporting Fixtures & Clubs

Tuesday
Art Club
starts on 16/11

Wednesday
Music Club
starts on 24/11

Prayer Corner

Dear God,

Thank you for the many happy memories we have.

We are sorry that some people have sad memories at this time of year as they remember those who have died for our country.

May we wear our poppies with love and compassion, and may we remember and be thankful.

Amen.

**This term's
school
attendance**

90.31%

Message from Mr Pynn

What's been GROWING on this week?

Across both schools we have taken time to pay our respects at this time of Remembrance. We are extremely proud of the way all pupils have approached this.

Pupil Absence Reminder

Pupil attendance in school continues to be really important. Your child should continue to attend school unless they develop symptoms of COVID-19 or are unwell. If they do develop symptoms, please keep your child at home and book a PCR test for them. The 3 main symptoms of COVID-19 remain a fever (temperature 37.8OC or higher), a new continuous cough, or a change to/loss of taste or smell. However, other commonly reported symptoms of the Delta variant include headache, sore throat, tiredness, and cold-like symptoms, so please be aware of these as well and stay at home and seek testing if you are in any doubt.

Anti-Bullying - Odd Socks Day - Monday 15th November

Next week is Anti-Bullying Week and **Monday 15th November** being Odd Socks Day. Pupils are invited to come to school wearing odd socks. We're wearing odd socks for Anti-Bullying Week. Will you?



Children in Need - 'Together we can change Young Lives'

This year, the big day for BBC Children in Need will be **Friday 19th November!** We invite children to come to school in non-uniform and to make a minimum donation of £1 to the appeal fund. In the morning, Mr Jackson from Ryedale School will be visiting for a Tri-Golf session with Worsley Class. Children will, therefore, need to wear something suitable for sports activities.

Every donation will make a huge difference to children and young people in the UK. As last year, we won't be accepting cash donations in school. Instead, please make your donation via ParentPay by [clicking here](#). Thank you!

Open Morning

We will be holding our annual Open Morning on **Monday 15th November** for prospective parents to visit and talk to us about what our school can offer. If you or anyone you know has a child who is due to start in Reception in 2022 or 2023 why not come along, and please help us spread the word.

Warm Clothes

Please can you ensure that your child/ren is sent to school with **a named coat, hat and gloves**. The weather is getting colder now, and we do like to be outside as much as possible during the day.



Art Club Update

Thank you to everyone who responded to this week's letter regarding Art Club. All places have now been taken and we look forward to seeing pupil's artwork after club starts on **Tuesday 16th November**. An item has now been set up in ParentPay so please remember to pay £3 per child per week before next Tuesday. Thank you for your support!

Music Club Update

We plan to resume Music Club on **Wednesday 24th November**. We are grateful to Rose from NYMTC who has been running this club since September. Recent sessions included body percussion, learning a new song and listening to the dynamics, tempo changes and rhythm in different pieces of music. Music Club will run for 4 weeks with the last session on Wednesday 15th December, and will cost £3 per child, per week to be paid in advance, via ParentPay.

If your child/ren would like to join in the Music Club fun in the run up to Christmas and you have not already done so, please click on the [permission form](#) to secure a place.

Christmas Shopping with Easyfundraising

Please help to support the school by using Easyfundraising when you do your online Christmas shopping. Each time you buy something online via Easyfundraising you will raise free funds for us at no cost to yourself. Register by [clicking here](#). Thank you!

School Place Applications – September 2022

Applications for Reception places starting in September 2022 are now open. Please [click here](#) to view. The deadline is **15th January 2022**.

Howard Class Storytime

We are all pretty familiar with the story about the Three Little Pigs and the Big Bad Wolf but this week we have been listening to the Three Little Pigs and the Big Bad Book! This take on the traditional tale is a celebration of reading, storytelling and being kind to others. You can find a link to the story here: [Storytime With Stacey | Three Little Pigs and The Big Bad Book by Lucy Rowland | Nottingham City Libraries - Bing video](#)

Our focus words from the story for the week have been: guests, patiently and complete.

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Symptoms in Children (NHS)

As coughs and colds become more commonplace can we please remind you of the need for testing if pupils have symptoms, however mild, in order to limit the spread of Covid-19. Please [click here](#) to see the guidance from the NHS around Coronavirus symptoms in children and when a PCR test (one sent to a lab) is required. Please [click here](#) for the locations of PCR testing centres.

Twitter

Don't forget you can now follow both schools on Twitter @HovinghamPri and @HildaAmpleforth.

Autumn Term 2021 and Spring Term 2022 - Forthcoming Dates

Monday 15 th November	Open Morning for New Starters 9:30am-12 Midday
Monday 15 th November	Odd Socks Day - Supporting Anti-Bullying Week
Friday 19 th November	KS2 Tri-Golf with Liam Jackson from Ryedale School
Friday 19 th November	Children in Need - Non-uniform day - £1 donation via ParentPay
Monday 22 nd November	Islam Assembly (more details to follow)
Wednesday 24 th November	Music Club restarts
Friday 26 th November	Y3/4 Dodgeball at Ryedale School
Sunday 28 th November	All Age Worship Service at All Saints' Church, Hovingham 3:00pm
Thursday 2 nd December	Flu Vaccination - All pupils (R-Y6)
Thursday 9 th December	Christmas Performance (more details to follow)
Friday 10 th December	Y5/6 Christmas Aerobics at Ryedale School
Tuesday 14 th December	Whole School Panto Trip, Scarborough Spa (more details to follow)
Friday 17th December	School Closes for the End of Term
Friday 24 th December	Christingle Service at All Saints' Church, Hovingham 4:00pm
Tuesday 4 th January	Staff Training
Wednesday 5th January	School Re-opens
Saturday 15 th January	Deadline for Primary School Applications – September 2022

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