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# One family branching out together

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# Newsletter 2

Dear Parents & Carers,

As we live in an ever-changing climate, please remember to send your child to school wearing suitable clothing for whatever the weather may bring, including a coat or lightweight raincoat.

As the weather cools, why not ensure that your child has a hot meal daily by looking out for the new dinner menus that our Cook, Mrs Lelean, has cooked up, coming home shortly. Please complete and return your child's menus promptly, so that their meal choices can be ready for Monday, 4th November when we return to school after the half-term break.

#### **Academisation Short Delay**

Our planned conversion with Pathfinder has been slightly delayed due to workload capacity within NYCC. This means that our conversion date is now planned for November 1st.

# **Muslim Visitor Returns**

On Wednesday, 25th September the children in Class 2 and Class 3 welcomed Mr Kotwal to our school to deliver an interesting workshop giving a valuable insight into what it truly means to be a Muslim in Britain today. This experience not only deepened our understanding of the rich culture and profound religious beliefs associated with Islam, but also enriched our knowledge with a wealth of fascinating facts. The children had the opportunity of trying on traditional Muslim attire, showcasing the diversity of clothing styles across different cultures. Mr Kotwal also brought a selection of artefacts with him and explained their value and meaning within the Muslim faith. A highlight of Mr Kotwal's visit was when he provided us with a comprehensive virtual tour of the interior of a mosque, highlighting the significance of various architectural elements and explaining the meticulous preparations Muslims make before engaging in prayer. This glimpse into the sacred space further deepened our understanding and appreciation for Muslim practices. At the end of the sessions the children were given picture worksheets to colour in highlighting the key areas of Mr Kotwal's visit.







#### Colour Run

It was a fantastic day on Friday for the first annual PTA Colour Run. The sun shone and despite the wind everyone had a fantastic time. So far the event has raised **£472.00** and the sponsor money is still to be collated. If you could please send in any sponsor money in cash to the admin office as soon as possible, by the 21<sup>st</sup> October at the very latest. Thank you to the PTA!!



#### **PTA Halloween Disco**

The exSCREAMly popular Halloween disco will be returning on Friday  $25^{th}$  October from 6.00pm to 7.30pm in the Community Hall. There will be a prize for the best dressed boy and girl. Tickets are £4.50 and can be purchased on ParentPay. The price includes a hotdog and a welcome drink. Hot and cold drinks and sweets will be on sale as well as a lucky dip and the chance to make some spooky crafts.

#### **Chapel Haddlesey Play Park Community Fundraiser**

As you will remember, at the end of the last academic year we planned to host an Afternoon Tea to help raise funds for the Chapel Haddlesey Community Play Park. Due to the unseasonable weather, we postponed the





event until the Autumn term. As the weather has changed dramatically, we surveyed those already signed up offering Pie and Peas as an alternative. The votes were in favour of Pie and Peas.

We would like to invite all our families to join us on Tuesday  $5^{th}$  November at 3.30pm for Pie and Peas cooked by Mrs Smith and

refreshments. Our Forest School leaders will be lighting fire pits to make s'mores. Children will need to be accompanied by an adult to attend (unless in OOSC).

Adult Pie and Peas - £4.00 Child Pie and Peas - £2.00

Meat Pie or Vegetable pie – please let the school office know if you require a vegetarian pie.

If you were already signed up for the afternoon tea your booking will carry over (you will shortly receive a text confirmation that you are signed up). If you would like a refund, please contact the office. If you are not already signed up and would like to participate, please pay for the Afternoon Tea payment item on ParentPay.

This is a great way to kick off your Bonfire Night!!

Please ensure you have booked your place by Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October so that the food order can be placed prior to the half-term holiday.

#### **Important Uniform Reminder**

The governing body has a statutory duty placed upon it to ensure that school policies promote good behaviour and discipline amongst the pupil body. We believe that a smart school uniform worn by all children will promote a sense of purpose and discipline which is the foundation for both personal and academic development. Moreover, it contributes to a sense of community and belonging, central to our ethos, as all our children identify with each other and the school. Could we please ask families to ensure they are following our uniform policy which can be found on the school website:-

Uniform Policy Summer 2022 | Chapel Haddlesey CE Primary School (chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk)

Our uniform requirements are:-

- Navy blue or white, plain or embroidered\*, polo shirt (For pupils in Nursery and Reception, a white polo shirt or shirt is not recommended due to the nature of the messy activities in school. It is suggested that pupils in this year group only wear the navy blue)
- Navy blue plain or embroidered\* crew-neck or V-neck jumper, sweatshirt or cardigan.
- White short or long-sleeved school shirt or blouse.
- In warmer weather, a light or dark blue gingham check dress, shorts, skirt or a tank top style jumper.
- Grey, black or white socks, grey or black tights.
- Plain black school shoes or plain black trainers, sensible school-style sandals in summer, with no heel. We do not have school pumps. Black school boots are acceptable in winter; parents may wish to send indoor shoes if the child would find it uncomfortable to sit on the floor in these, if bulky or wet.
- A pair of wellingtons, named and with a peg, for access on the field in wet weather.

\*Where reference is made to 'embroidered', it refers to an item of uniform that has been embroidered with the school logo badge. The school logo badge is the property of the school and should not be copied, without express permission of the school.





# **Flu Vaccinations**

Vaccination UK is attending our school for flu vaccinations on Thursday 21st November 2024. For your child to receive their Nasal spray flu vaccination in school, please complete a **YES** consent form using the link below. Vaccination UK Immunisation (schoolvaccination.uk) If your child **cannot** have the Nasal spray, the injectable flu vaccine is available, and

you will be able to choose that method on the consent form. If you **DO NOT** wish for your child to have a flu vaccination, please complete a **NO** consent via the same link.

# Applying for a high school place and for a place in Reception – September 2025

The window for applying for a place at a North Yorkshire high school for your Year 6 child is open between Thursday 12th September and Thursday 31st October 2024. Please follow this link for further information: Starting secondary school | North Yorkshire Council

For Reception places in September 2025, you can make your application for a place for your child at a North Yorkshire primary school, between Saturday 12th October 2024 and Wednesday 15th January 2025. Please follow the link below for additional information:

Starting primary school and junior school | North Yorkshire Council

Please note that we will be holding another Open Morning on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November, 9.30am – 11.00am, for any future Nursery children or families interested in a Reception place in our Class 1. Please contact the office to book an appointment.

#### Bag2School



Thank you to those families that brought in bags of clothing to support our Bag2School collection. There has been a recent drop in the price per kilogram that the company pay, but the collection this time still raised £12.40 for having a clear out!

#### **Easy Fundraising**

Chapel Haddlesey Primary School PTA have registered with #easyfundraising, which means over 7,000 brands will now donate to us for FREE every time you use #easyfundraising to shop with them. These donations will help SO MUCH, so please sign up to support us - it's completely FREE and doesn't take long. https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/chapel-haddlesey-primary-school-

pta/?utm source=facebook&utm medium=social&utm campaign=pmc&utm content=gs-fb1

# Asda Cashpot

A reminder that there is still time to sign up to add money to Cashpot for Schools. It is very easy to sign up and earn money for our school. You don't even have to spend any money in Asda, simply by signing up you can add £1 to the Cashpot. You could also ask other family members to sign up too.

- Simply download the Asda Rewards app and opt-in to Cashpot for Schools. (It does not affect your own personal rewards pot)
- Choose our Primary School.
- If you shop in store, remember to scan your Asda Rewards app at the checkout. If you shop online, simply log in to Asda.com using the same details as your Asda Rewards account.
- The Cashpot is currently at £71.46!!
- There is a limited time to sign up as the scheme only runs until 29<sup>th</sup> November.



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### Car Park Reminder

Could we also ask that the **reserved space for Miss Hannah (first space beside the disabled parking bays)** is kept free on the days on the reserved board **(Monday, Tuesday and Thursday)** it is more important than before as school now has a 3.30pm finish, which is when Miss Hannah is arriving to use the Church Community Hall.

# Pastoral Support

### Good attendance is linked to success in all aspects of life!

# Whole school attendance target is: 97% This fortnight whole school attendance was 96.48%

Class	Percentage
Class 1	97.38%
Class 2	96.96%
Class 3	94.78%

There were 50 children in the 100% club for this fortnight.

Yours sincerely,

Miss K Northway

Head of School

**Diary Dates** 

Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> October 2024	Harvest Festival at Haddlesey Church 11.00am
Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup> October 2024	Coffee Morning in Haddlesey Church Community Hall 10.00am
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> October 2024	Celebration Worship 9.00am – Harvest Festival
	Break up for half-term 3.30pm
	• PTA Halloween Disco 6.00pm -7.30pm in Community Hall
Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup> October 2024	• Deadline to apply for Year 6 Parents to apply for a high school place
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> November 2024	School re-opens
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> November 2024	Pie and Peas - Fundraising Event 3.30pm
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> November 2024	Parent Consultation Evening 3.40-6.00pm
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> November 2024	Parent Consultation Evening 3.40-6.00pm





Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> November 2024	Flu Vaccinations for Reception to Year 6
Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November 2024	Christmas Fair 10.30am - 1.30pm in Community Hall
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> November 2024	Nursery/Reception Open Morning 9.30am – 11.00am
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> December 2024	PTA Christmas Wreath Making 7.30pm in Community Hall
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> December 2024	Nativity 9.30am
	Nativity 2.00pm
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> December 2024	Nativity 9.30am
	Nativity 2.00pm
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December 2024	Celebration Worship 9.00am
	• Break up for half-term 3.30pm
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	Training Day – School closed
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	School re-opens
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	Deadline to apply for Reception 2025 school place
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	Phototronics taking individual and class photos
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	Young Voices Choir – Sheffield Arena
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2025	Celebration Worship 9.00am
	• Break up for half-term 3.30pm
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> February 2025	School re-opens
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April 2025	Celebration Worship 9.00am
	• Break up for half-term 3.30pm
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> April 2025	Bank Holiday – School closed
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2025	School re-opens
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2025	Bank Holiday – School closed
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2025	Celebration Worship 9.00am
	• Break up for half-term 3.30pm
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> June 2025	Sports Day 1.30pm
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2025	Reserve Sports Day 1.30pm
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> July 2025	Leavers' Assembly 1.30pm

Term dates for upcoming academic years

Please see our website for the term dates for 2024/2025 and 2025/2026. School Term and Holiday Dates | Chapel Haddlesey CE Primary School (chapelhaddleseyschool.org.uk)



# Community news/events

HARVEST FESTIVAL in Haddlesey Church on Sunday 13th October at 11.00 am .

It will be child friendly as it is our Family Worship Sunday. You don't need to take anything but there will be a collection for WATERAID our charity this year.

There will be refreshments afterwards.

COFFEE MORNING in Haddlesey Church Hall on Saturday 19th October 10.00am -12.00 noon

Cakes, Raffle, Quizzes plus a table for the children with activities. Please try to support the upkeep of the hall.

