



# Hornby St Margaret's C E Primary School

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## Newsletter 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024

We have had a busy week at School! On Monday and Tuesday, the Bikeability Team came to join the Upper Juniors for some cycling training. It was great to see all the children getting involved and achieving an award. On Thursday we had World Book Day, which brought lots of excitement into School, we had a Whole School Book Quiz in the Hall, followed by some Favourite book activities and today the Juniors are out at Lancaster University learning all about democracy.

*Have a look at our Facebook page for photos of our week!*



### Cycling to School

It has been great to see some of you cycling to School this week, but please can I ask that if you cycle to School, that you bring a bike lock with you as unfortunately, the bike rack is out of sight of the office and I would hate for your bikes to go 'missing'

### School Choir

Miss Mc will be setting up a School Choir Club on Monday lunchtimes starting after Easter on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April, they will be singing a mixture of popular songs old and new. Singing has many benefits and helps improve memory, emotional well-being, self-esteem and provides a good workout for the heart and lungs. Singing is especially fun for children, helping them connect while developing important social skills.



Let Hannah in the office know if your child would like to join in!

### Achievements outside of School

We have so many talented children here at Hornby 😊  
Congratulations to Livia who brought in her rosette for super horse riding, Nytalía brought in her medal for winning her first ever Gymnastic competition, Adam brought in his piano award and Ronnie and Florrie brought in swimming distance awards. Well done everyone!

*Don't forget to bring your outside achievements into School on a Friday morning for us to celebrate with you*

### Lower Juniors

Huge thanks to parents for their support and hard work in helping the children at home with their cold write. It has an amazing impact on the children's work,

### Parent Questionnaire

An email has been sent out this morning with the link to the Parent Questionnaire, please could you spare 2 minutes to complete it, your feedback is very important to us. Thankyou.

### Vision Screening in Lancashire Schools

Vision screening for all children in the Reception class will be taking place on: **Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March**  
If you have a child in the Reception class and have not received an email about vision screening, please contact the school.



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## PTA Update


A huge thank you everyone who came along on Wednesday evening to the latest PTA meeting; the minutes will follow shortly.



Mrs Davison has shared with the Garden Gang her priorities for the school grounds, which includes clearing the pond, maintenance, and development of the quiet corner, all with outdoor education in mind. The PTA committee has agreed that the funds raised for Easter Rock Hunt will go towards improving the school's outdoor space.

**Easter Rock Hunt - 23<sup>rd</sup> March** - You can now buy your map from Hannah at Reception for £1.50, please remember one map means one prize, so if you are a multiple child family its worth bearing this in mind. Last year saw near 80 children partake in the hunt and we hope for similar (if not more numbers this year). This is our key fundraising event of the year, so please come support and bring as many friends and family as you would like. Additional fun will be hosted in school from 2pm including our inflatable obstacle course, face painting, chicken challenge, guess the weight of the cake and AMAZING raffle! If you feel you can offer some support in the lead up or on the day, we'd welcome some helping hands. A list of tasks will be placed in the School Foyer from Monday next week, please do have a look to see if anything appeals to you.

**Multi-Day on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> of March** is on the theme of 'bring a bottle'. Be creative and have some fun! We love wine, beer, bubbles, liquor etc but other bottles greatly received may be bubble-bath, perfume, olive oil. These will be prizes offered on a bottle tombola, part of an independent event where we will have a stall to support schools fundraising.

	<b>Infants</b>	<b>Lower Juniors</b>	<b>Upper Juniors</b>
	<b>Darcey</b> For thoughtful ideas and being very sensible.	<b>Teddy</b> Excellent use of adverbs, adjectives, and fronted adverbials to do with time.	<b>Adam</b> For his positive attitude in all subjects.

<b>What's on this week...</b>	
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> March	Juniors – come in PE kit Junior Film ASC
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Vision Screening – Reception class Yoga and Mindfulness day KS2 Cluster Football - Arkholme
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> March	Infants – come in PE kit
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> March	Juniors – PE kit Swimming for Years 3,4 & 5
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Mufti Day for bottle donations Infants – come in PE kit
<b>Advance warning...</b>	
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 1 – Lent Day @ Leck
Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Easter Rock Hunt
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	Junior trip - Geography trip to Brockhole
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	School Closes for Easter hols 3.30pm
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April	School Reopens Choir Club starts



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Hornby St Margaret's Primary School  
Presents:

Everyone welcome!

# Rock Easter Egg Hunt

Buy a map from either Hornby Village Stores  
or School Reception to use on  
**SATURDAY 23rd MARCH**

MAPS  
£1.50

Complete the hunt, then join us in school to  
receive your prize and enjoy an afternoon of  
Easter Fun! **2 - 4pm**

Including:

- **Inflatable Obstacle Course**
- Face Painting
- Raffle
- Refreshments and cake stall
- Crafts, games and more!

£2 for unlimited bounces

Rocks will be hidden ready to find from noon on the 23rd March.

**SPORT** Lancaster

# FUN WITH FLOATS

£6 OR FREE UNDER AGE 4

**SUNDAY 31 MARCH - SUNDAY 14 APRIL**  
VARIOUS DATES AND TIMES

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sportenquiries@lancaster.ac.uk  
lancaster.ac.uk/sport

2024 LUNE VALLEY SWIMMING POOL

## SPONSORED SWIM 2024

128 YEARS OF SWIMMING IN THE OLYMPICS

We are pleased to announce the return of our annual Sponsored Swim in March 2024!

All of the staff at LVSP and children of our swimming lessons, Hornby Hammerheads, Rookie Lifeguards and Splashball group will be attempting to swim an amazing 128 miles, whilst raising funds for the swimming pool.

This year the Olympics is being held in Paris, which marks 128 years of swimming being in the modern Olympics and we are proud to teach children and adults everyday this life skill and sport!

If you would like to donate to our cause, please visit our website or Facebook page to see how you can get involved!

And don't forget to take a look at our amazing display the next time you visit the pool!

### 11TH - 17TH OF MARCH 2024

ALL PROCEEDS RAISED GO BACK IN TO OUR SWIMMING LESSONS AND ACTIVITY SESSIONS

Scan the QR code to donate to our Just Giving Page or visit our website for more information.



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# Easter Holiday Tennis + MULTI SPORT HOLIDAY CAMP



Any Ability Welcome.  
Ages 4-14  
All Equipment Provided.  
Sibling Discount  
Available.

## St Michael's Tennis Club

Monday + Thursday +  
1st, 4th, 8th, 11th  
April

## Hambleton Tennis Club

Monday's - 1st and 8th  
April

## Garstang Tennis Club

Tuesday, Wednesday, Fridays  
- 2nd, 3rd, 5th, 9th, 10th, 12th  
April

## Lancaster Tennis Club

Thursday - 4th + 11th  
April

## EARLY BIRD

PRICE!!!

Sign up

before the

5th March -

£14 per day

(usually £20)

(9-3pm)

Email:

[cartmelltennis@gmail.com](mailto:cartmelltennis@gmail.com)

Phone: 07523866116

Sign up on this link:-



<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/CartmellTennisCoaching/Coaching/Camps>

PRICES below After - 5th March - Hurry!!

£10 Morning - 9-12pm

£20 Full Day - 9-3pm

Early Drop off Available

Lessons available at:

Garstang Tennis Club  
Lancaster Tennis Club  
Lancaster University  
Hambleton Tennis Club  
Walmer Tennis Club (Bury)  
Goosnargh Tennis Club  
St Michael's Tennis Club  
Woodplumpton Tennis Club  
Barton Tennis Club  
Norcross Tennis Club  
Lunesdale Tennis Club  
Sedbergh Tennis Club  
Highfield Tennis Club



All  
equipment  
provided!

FREE TRIAL SESSION AVAILABLE!!

Any Ages 3+ and Ability  
Welcome



1-1 Lessons:- £30 per hour

Group lessons:- £47 for 6 weeks

Birthday Parties:- £3.50 per child

Racket Re-Stringing:- From £14

Ball Machine Hire:- £10 per hour

PT Sessions now available

\*Special Offer\* £25 per hour

For more information please visit our website:

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To book:

07523866116 or [cartmelltennis@gmail.com](mailto:cartmelltennis@gmail.com)

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## EASTER CAMPS 2024

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**FUN PACKED DAYS OF SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS, ACTIVITIES, AND GAMES**

**SPARKING IMAGINATIVE LEARNING!**

## MAD SCIENCE CAMPS 2024 INFORMATION

### EASTER CAMPS

**WEEK 1: 2<sup>nd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> April**  
The King's School, Chester, CH4 7QL  
Liverpool Aquatics Centre, L15 4LE  
AKS Prep School, Lytham, FY8 1DT

**WEEK 2: 8<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> April**  
Alderley Edge School for Girls, SK9 7QE  
Fulwood and Cadley Primary School, PR2 3QT  
Lancaster University Chaplaincy, LA1 4YW

**DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR PACKED LUNCH!**

**FULLY INSURED HIGHLY TRAINED DBS CHECKED PRESENTERS**

**TAX FREE CHILDCARE & CHILDCARE VOUCHERS ACCEPTED!**

**ALL VENUES**  
8.30am - 5pm each day  
Suitable for all primary school children  
£180 for 4 days | £225 for 5 days  
(until 17<sup>th</sup> March)

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