

Hornby St Margaret's C E Primary School

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Newsletter 20th June 2025

Dear Parents,

You are all invited to attend an meeting on **Thursday 26th June** at **6:00pm** to find out what is happening in school next year. There will be an opportunity to ask questions and share any concerns. I look forward to meeting with you all. Many thanks, Nicole

We have had visitors in KS1 this week, with the Lancaster Soroptimist's presenting our KS1 children with a story sack around the story of The way home for wolf' The children really enjoyed listening to the story and using the props to bring the story to life. On Wednesday afternoon, Olivia from Where the Wildings came to do some gardening with the children, they noticed the strawberries looked ripe enough to eat, needless to say, they went down a treat! We also welcomed our new September starters for their first taster session, it was lovely to meet them and welcome them into our school, we are looking forward to seeing them again on Tuesday next week.

Year 5&6 have been to Lancaster University this week, participating in some team challenges. They all said they enjoyed playing 'blind' football and the staff were impressed at how quiet they were, as they just had to rely on 'hearing' the ball full of bells. I think some of them even took part in a karaoke session during their wet lunch break! They all had a great day and the students from the university were very impressed by their teamworking and behaviour.

In class, we have been looking at rules and why God created the ten commandments. We all had some fun learning a new song and actions to remember the ten commandments before making links to the British values and how relevant they are to us today.

In DT, we have been investigating different mechanisms and have been thinking about our designs for a poster to promote recycling to the younger children in school. I'm looking forward to seeing what they come up with and whether they can make their posters eye-catching and interactive.

Yesterday, some children were representing the school at rounders. They had some really good matches and were improving their hitting and catching skills as they went along. They came second in their group games and progressed to the knockout round where they came second overall. Well done.

You can keep up to date with all that we do by visiting our Facebook page at: www.facebook.com/ hornbystmargarets

Huge THANKYOU!

We would like to give a huge thank you to the parents who supported our school on Wednesday and met with the SIAMS inspector. We really appreciate you giving up your time. The report should be with us in 15 days.



Whole school photo

The photo order forms have been sent home with the children today, please check in their bags! The cut off date for orders is <u>Monday 30th June</u>. If you have any problems ordering, please see Hannah in the office.

Outside Achievements

It is great to hear what the children have been up to outside of school, this week Livia has achieved her first three Pony Club badges and Syd achieved Player of the Tournament when representing Carnforth Rangers.



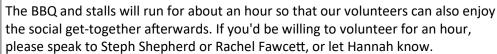
Well done!

Summer Weather – as the weather warms up, children are encouraged to bring sun hats / caps and apply sun cream, particularly when they have PE. Please can we remind all parents to make sure that your child's clothing, particularly school jumpers and cardigans are labelled with your child's name. At this time of year, we end up with a pile at the end of lunchtime, so it's great to know whose is whose!



BBQ and Summer Party

Please join us for a BBQ, games, and some stalls (including a raffle, teddy tombola, sweets in a jar, and name the cake) immediately after Sports Day on **Monday 30 June.**





If you have any cuddly toys that you no longer want, please donate them for the teddy tombola. A bag will be left in Reception to drop them off.

CONGRATULATIONS	The following children have been celebrated for their achievements this week in assembly.	Reception & KS1	KS2	Lunchtime award
		Daniel	Jonathan	Skyla
		For trying really hard with his phonics and sentences this week	For his superb acting skills whilst demonstrating the story of 'The Fall'	For being a delight a
				lunchtime! Setting a good ex-
				ample to others, being polite
				and waiting nicely in the din-
				ner queue.



Our value this term is **Hope**

Eira—For giving plenty of hope to the new reception children by showing them fun learning activities and helping them to settle into the classroom.

Mark: for having a great deal of hope that he can achieve and complete his English letter to the best of his ability.

Christian Value: Hope

We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure. (Hebrews)

Talk together about:

'To help my hope to grow, I will...' Ask your family to help you

Plant a seed and watch it grow

Do a 'signs of hope' walk: as you walk around your area, look for things that are growing. What do you think they will look like when they are fully grown?



School Money

As we are in the last term of this academic year, please can you ensure your Schoolmoney accounts are paid up to date, if you have any problems, please see Hannah in the office.



This Weeks Winners are Castle

What's on this week			
Tuesday 24th June	September starters induction morning 9am—1pm KS2 wear PE kit Multisport ASC 3:30pm—4:30pm		
Wednesday 25th June	KS1 wear PE kit		
Thursday 26th June	KS2 Cluster rounders competition KS2 wear PE kit Lunchtime Club—Garden Gang 6pm—Meeting for parents		
Friday 27th June	KS1 wear PE kit Freeze pops after school—50p		
Advance warning			
Monday 30th June	Sports Day 1.30pm Summer BBQ & Summer party following Sports Day		
Monday 14th July	Year 6 Cluster Day at Arkholme.		
Tuesday 15th July	Year 6 Leavers service 1.00pm at St Margaret's (Y6 parents refreshments after the service)		
Thursday 17th July	school closes 3:30pm—end of Academic year		



BBQ AND STALLS WILL RUN FOR APPROX 1 HOUR SO OUR VOLUNTEERS CAN ENJOY THE EVENT TOO.

IF YOU ARE ABLE TO VOLUNTEER, PLEASE SPEAK TO STEPH SHEPHERD OR RACHEL FAWCETT.

Belonging, Believing, Succeeding Together

'I have come that you may have life, and have it to the full.'
(John 10:10)









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