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Newsletter

Dear Parents/Carers,

Our week at Hempstalls began with our Jungle Book performance. Thank you to the staff and Y4 children and Dennison who took part. Children were then inspired to write creatively in their classrooms.

A big shout out to cubs this week for all their mini bus trips to the Brampton this week. Also well down to Y4 for their road safety walks around school. Thank you to the parents who supported us with this.

A huge well done to our football team who won the Newcastle League this week! We are so proud!

Red Nose Day was celebrated in school yesterday - the children looked fabulous with their hair style and PJs. Thank you to all the donations.

Following on from our pupil progress discussions in school this week we look forward to speaking to you in more detail about how your children are doing in school.

Next week we launch into Easter with Easter performances, Easter egg hunts and bonnet parades.

Thank you for a great week Team Hempstalls!

Miss A Bell
Headteacher

15th March 2024

Term Dates



Friday 22nd March - Finish for Easter

Monday 8th April - Return to School



Attendance and Punctuality

Be at school every day and on time!
Every minute of

Champion Moments



Parent Consultations

Next week is parent consultation week - we encourage all parents to arrange an appointment with your child's class teacher. Appointments are bookable via Arbor but please pay careful attention to the description. There are both face-to-face and telephone appointments depending on the time you choose.



Parenting Smart



We all want the best for our children, but parenting can be really tough sometimes. We've all been there.

Place2Be's Parenting Smart is a site for parents and carers of 4-11 year olds, offering practical advice on supporting your child and managing behaviour.

All of our content is created by Place2Be's parenting experts. It's based on evidence and their experiences working with children, young people and their families.

Designed with busy parents in mind, the site has short videos and articles on topics from meltdowns to bullying, from sleeping difficulties to encouraging self-confidence.



Learn more at parentingsmart.org.uk



Wellbeing corner



Important Message

As of Monday 11th March, the main office/ pedestrian gate will remain closed until 8:30am. Children accessing the free breakfast club will enter via the KS1 playground and will be met by a member of staff at 8:15am by the castle. For health & safety reasons, an adult must remain with your child until handed over at the gate. Entrance to breakfast club will open at 8:15am and close at 8:20am - if your child arrives after the gate has closed, you must wait until the main gates open at 8:30am.

We will review this half termly. Thanks for your co-operation.



Please be respectful to our local neighbours when parking around the school area please do not block driveways. No dogs allowed on school grounds.

Allergy information available on request

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Main	Tomato Pasta Bake (v)	Meat Feast Pizza	Roast of the Day with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Bolognese with Pasta	Fish and Chips
Vegetarian	Vegetarian Sausage and Bean Hotpot (v)	Veggie Pizza (v)	Mediterranean Gnocchi Bake (v)	Vegetable Risotto (v)	Cheese and Tomato Pinwheel with Chips (v)
3rd Options	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Salmon Mayo or Coleslaw
Deli					
Deli Option with Ham, Tuna Mayo, Egg Mayo or Cheese					
Vegetables					
Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables
Dessert (Fresh fruit and yoghurt available daily as an alternative to the dessert of the day.)					
Cake with Custard	Oat Fruit Slice	Fruit Crumble with Custard	Cinnamon Fruit Pudding	Chocolate Mousse	

Fresh seasonal salad and bread available daily.

CHAMPION AWARD

RB	Nancy	3P	Oscar
RM	Lucas	4B	Benjamin
1C	Aaron	4K	Isaac
1E	Aurora	5T	Dexter
2C	Edward	5P	Atrisa
2M	Jacob	6M	Jacob
3Mc	Elissa	6P	Pippa



Good To Be Green & Attendance

Congratulations to all the Good to Be Green and 100% attendance winners this week

Good To be Green

Reception & KS1

RM Austin, 1C Theo & Vincent, 1E Muhammad

KS2

3MC Huxley/Jensen, 3P Amelia, 4B Emily/Sophie/Emilia, 5P Carter, 6M Louise

100% Attendance

Reception & KS1 - Sami KS2 - Irene

Class Attendance

5T



Jackson Award

For demonstrating the school values of Respect, Resilience, Prepared, Curious, Kindness

1C - Jensen	2C - Myley	3Mc - Anya	4B - Emily	5P - Archie	6M - Alana
1E - Muhammad	2M - Isla	3P - Alfie	4K - Reggie/Lucas	5T - William	6P - Dennison

WATER BOTTLES

Only water please in your child's water bottle

ZUMBA GOLD®



Hempstalls Primary School
Mondays & Tuesdays
7pm
Class fee £5

A dance/fitness Zumba programme for those who prefer a lower impact

workout. No booking required just turn up at the door and join in with a super friendly group of ladies.

For more information, contact Jennie on 07921820823

WE'RE LOOKING FOR
LEGO DONATIONS



FOR OUR AFTER SCHOOL CLUB



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Community Junction

Easter Egg Appeal

**HELP US TO SUPPORT LOCAL FAMILIES THIS
EASTER**

**PLEASE DROP OFF ANY EASTER EGGS OR
EASTER GIFTS TO -**

**Community Junction
22-24 Andrew Place
ST5-1DL**

No later than Wednesday 20th March 2024

Contact -

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Registered charity number - 1204344

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