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25th April 2024

PARENTS' NEWSLETTER

Dear Parent/Carer

UPCOMING DIARY DATES

Tuesday 30th April – PTA Bag2School Collection [CLICK HERE](#)

Tuesday 30th April – Year 5 Festival of Sport at South Hunsley School [CLICK HERE](#)

Monday 6th May – School Closed for May Bank Holiday

Friday 10th May – PTA Family Games Night, 6.30 pm [CLICK HERE](#) **SALES END 26TH APRIL AT 4.00 PM**



Colour Run Update

Thank you to those of you who have already returned your consent form for the Colour Run and have started to gather sponsors. Last year we raised a great amount and were able to put this towards new books for every class in school. This year we are hoping to raise enough money to fund lots of exciting things for OPAL, including a giant sandpit. We would like to reward the classes that raise the most money (one in Reception/Key Stage One and one in Key Stage 2) with a fun Sports Party run by [Fit for Fun](#). This will be in school time and the children will be able to choose some of the activities they do. There will also be Praise and Awards Stickers for every child who raises money and hopefully some runners up prizes for the other classes that don't win the Sports Party.

Absences



In order that the school may follow national guidelines, we offer you clear guidance on how you should proceed when your children are either absent or late.

– **ALL ABSENCES** from school require:

1. A telephone call to the school before 9.15 am on the morning of each day's absence. By calling every day, we can be sure of your child's whereabouts and that they are safe. Please dial 01482 631300 then press 1 to leave your message.
2. Upon your child's return, written and signed confirmation, explaining the absence, preferably using the school 'Absence Note'. This is available on the school website or from the School Office.

– If your child is going to be **LATE**, please call the School Office, if possible, to advise and to book a school lunch (if needed).



Improving School Communications with the ScholarPack Parents App

Thank you to everyone who have downloaded and registered on the ScholarPack app already. For those who have not yet registered, please do so using the link-up code sent to Contacts 1 and 2. If you have any queries, please email office@swanlandschool.co.uk.

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Sports Days 2024

Please see the date and times for your child's Sports Day below on the 'Summer Term 2024 Diary'. Parents are welcome to arrive 10 minutes before the time stated and should bring a chair/blanket to sit on. You will be able to take your child home afterwards. Any questions, please contact your child's Class Teacher.



PTA Sports Day Refreshments – Volunteers Needed Please!

The PTA try to provide a refreshment stall at each Sports Day event, but they need volunteers to help run the stall, please. If you can help on any of the following afternoons: **Friday 17th May, Monday 20th May, Tuesday 4th June or Tuesday 18th June**, please email ptaswanlandschool@gmail.com. Thank you!



PTA Summer Fete – Friday 12th July 2024

The PTA have been busy in the background working on the details for the 2024 Summer Fete: this will take place on Friday 12th July straight after school until 5.30 pm. We hope to have some traditional school fete games as well as the Year 6 children organising their fete games. We also hope to have bouncy castles (more than one if we get enough helpers!), hot dogs, tuck shop, a bric-a-brac stall and chocolate tombola.

All of this will be dependent on volunteers though, so we will shortly be sending out sign-up sheets for volunteers. If you can donate 30 minutes of your time, this will make the event a success! The more volunteers we have the more activities we can run!

In addition to this, we are inviting vendors to hold stalls, we have a Children's Toy stall and Face Painting already but if you know of anyone who would like a stall please ask them to email ptaswanlandschool@gmail.com. Stalls are £20.00.



East Riding Cross Country

We are happy to announce Lottie achieved 3rd place and a Bronze medal in the Girl's Y5/6 race at the East Riding Regional Cross Country Final held at Ionians Brantingham Park. Well done Lottie!



East Riding Athletics

Congratulations to the indoor athletics team who won the East Riding Athletics event. They are now the East Riding and South Hunsley champions! Well done everyone!



Arts for our Families

- Arty Bods – 9th March–11th May 2024

Join Humber Street Gallery for Arty Bods, our new and exciting set of Saturday morning art workshops designed for kids aged 5–11 years old. [Click Here.](#)

ParentPay – Current Online Payments

- Year 6 Bikeability Training – **before Monday 29th April 2024**
- Year 6 Residential to Cober Hill, Final Payment – **before Tuesday 30th April 2024**
- Year 2 Visit to Far Ings Education Centre – **before Friday 10th May 2024**

Please note, deadlines for events will no longer be extended. Thank you.



Flyers on the School Website

Community flyers added to the school website this week can be found by [clicking on this link](#) then looking under Summer Term 2023–24, First Half Summer Term Flyers. *Disclaimer: Swanland Primary School does not endorse the following flyers; we are simply sharing the information*

CURRENT VACANCIES

If you, or anyone you know, is/are interested in the following vacancies, please see further details on our website at: [our school website](#) or on the [ERYC Recruitment Website](#)



SITE MANAGER – Full-Time or Part-Time (Job Share)

Deadline for receipt of Applications – Monday 29th April 2024 at 3.30 pm

MIDDAY SUPERVISOR – Thursdays and Fridays or 5 days a week

Deadline for receipt of Applications – Friday 17th May 2024 at 3.30 pm

Dates for your



FORTHCOMING DIARY DATES

Summer Term 2024 Diary (→ [New Diary Item](#))

Monday 13th–Friday 17th May – Year 6 SATS week [CLICK HERE](#)

Wednesday 15th–Friday 17th May – Year 5 Robinwood Residential Visit [CLICK HERE](#)

Friday 17th May – Years 3 & 4 Sports Afternoon (1.30 pm)

Monday 20th May – Years 1 & 2 Sports Afternoon (1.30 pm)

Tuesday 21st May – Year 2 Visit to Far Ings Education Centre [CLICK HERE](#)

Thursday 23rd May – Sponsored Colour Run! (PM) [CLICK HERE](#)

Thursday 23rd May – School Closes for May Half-Term Holidays (3.20 pm)

Monday 3rd June – School Re-opens after May Half-Term Holidays (8.45–8.50 am)

Monday 3rd–Friday 14th June – Year 6 Bikeability Training [CLICK HERE](#)

Tuesday 4th June – Reception Sports Afternoon (2.00 pm)

Thursday 13th June – Year 2 Swantins Seaside Day (*details to follow*)

Tuesday 18th June – Years 5 & 6 Sports Afternoon (1.30 pm)

Wednesday 19th–Thursday 20th June – Year 4 Swimming Lessons (*details to follow*)

Wednesday 26th–Thursday 27th June – Year 4 Swimming Lessons (*details to follow*)

Thursday 27th June – Year 6 Induction Day at South Hunsley School

Thursday 27th June – Year 2 Visit to Welton Waters (*details to follow*)

Friday 28th June – Year 6 Festival of Arts & Sports at South Hunsley School (*details to follow*)

Tuesday 2nd–Friday 5th July – Year 6 Cober Hill Residential Visit [CLICK HERE](#)

Wednesday 3rd–Thursday 4th July – Year 4 Swimming Lessons (*details to follow*)

Tuesday 9th July – PTA Bag2School Collection (*details to follow*)

Tuesday 9th–Monday 15th July – Book Fair (*details to follow*)

Wednesday 10th–Thursday 11th July – Year 4 Swimming Lessons *(details to follow)*

Wednesday 10th July – Year 2 Performance ‘Mini Beasts’ (10.30 am) *(details to follow)*

Thursday 11th July – Year 2 Performance ‘Mini Beasts’ (10.30 am) *(details to follow)*

Friday 12th July – PTA Summer Fete *(details to follow)*

Monday 15th July – KS1 (Years 1 & 2) Transition Day *(details to follow)*

Wednesday 17th–Thursday 18th July – Year 4 Swimming Lessons *(details to follow)*

Friday 19th July – School Closes for Summer Holidays (3.20 pm)

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



Hannah Stephenson

Head Teacher