



Dear Parents / Carers

Firstly, I would like to thank you all for your support during Term 1. It has been an eight week term filled with a great deal. Thanks for your attendance at the parent evenings, as your involvement in your child's learning is so important.

Children break up on Thursday 25th October at 3.10pm/3.15pm and return on Monday 5th November. Clocks go back this Sunday morning, so at least with the holiday we have chance to get used to this! Enjoy your half-term break.

INSPIRATIONAL STEVE CUNNINGHAM VISITS HUNTINGTOWER

Steve Cunningham was inspirational to us because, even though he was blind, Steve had ambitions and dreams of what he wanted to do like; fly a plane, drive a racing car for charity and drive a speed boat on the English Channel!! His dream was to be a footballer, for Aston Villa, and captain the England football team, and he achieved it! So if you have your own ambition you will achieve it like Steve.

Written by Years 5/6



Find out more about him at www.blindvision.tv

CANCELLATION - HOT SCHOOL LUNCHES

In regards to school meal cancellations, the deadline for cancelling on the day meal due to illness is 8.30am, and the number to call is 01522 246424. Advance cancellations ie for school trips, appointments etc. should be phoned through to the same number at least 24 hours in advance.

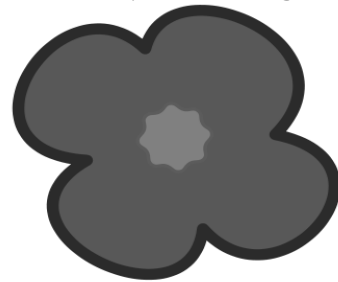
ABSENTEES PHOTOGRAPHS

Thursday 15th November

If your child was absent for the previous photo session (Wednesday 26th September), they will have the opportunity to have their photo taken on Thursday 15th November.

REMEMBRANCE DAY - POPPIES

When we return after the half-term break poppies will be on sale in school to raise money for The Royal British Legion. The Legion is the UK's leading Service charity who provide practical care, advice and support to serving members of the Armed Forces, veterans of all ages and their families. Perhaps your child can bring in some money in exchange for a poppy.



Lest We Forget.

BOOK FAIR

Thank you to all of the staff who helped out with the PTFA at the book fair last week. Their support is invaluable in looking after your children and manning the Fair. Thanks to your generosity we have raised £550.00. From this, school has been able to select 40% of books, providing better and more books for your children.

SECONDARY SCHOOL PLACES - SEPT.2013

YEAR 6 PARENTS/CARERS

Please be reminded that the deadline for applying for a secondary school place is 31st October 2012.

School Admissions have currently received around two thirds of the applications they are expecting, so there are still a large number to come in.

FABULOUS FOOTBALL MATCH read all about it!

On a foggy wet evening, Huntingtower Years 5/6 football club took part in a Football festival at Barrowby.

With anticipation of what to expect the players were excited and I a little apprehensive.

Once the games got going and we drew our first match 0 - 0, we then got into our rhythm, winning the next 3 matches, 3 - 0, 3 - 0 and 2 - 0 finishing the last match with another 0 - 0 draw.

So after 5 games, we won 3 and drew 2, scored 8 goals and conceded none, an excellent achievement by all the children who took part. Let's all look forward to more success in the near future.

The following players took part Joshua Ward, Piotrek Kudla, Patrik Plander, Harry Edwards, Jakub Novak, Fyn Chappell, Pearce Towler, Sammy Creasey, Ryan Holboj - Well done to you all. Also a big Thank-You to parents/carers who gave their support throughout the festival.

CHRISTMAS ACTIVITIES

Date - December	Event
Friday 7 th 3.30pm	Winter Fayre
Monday 10 th Dec pm	Christmas Presentation Dress Rehearsal
Tuesday 11 th pm	Christmas Presentation
Wednesday 12 th eve	Christmas Presentation
Wednesday 19 th	Christmas Lunch KS2
Wednesday 19 th pm	Christmas Party KS2
Thursday 20 th	Christmas Lunch KS1/FS
Thursday 20 th pm	Christmas Party KS1/FS
Friday 21 st	Carol Service
<i>The above dates and times are subject to confirmation.</i>	

Diary Dates

Break up for half term

INSET for staff

Return to school

Ragtex Textile Recycling Collection

Absentees Photographs

INSET for staff

Thursday 25th October

Friday 26th October

Monday 5th November

Tuesday 13th November

Thursday 15th November

Friday 23rd November

Honest

Care

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Respect



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