

Weekly Bulletin

With kindness, respect and gratitude, together we aim high in all we do

Headteacher's message:

This week, we were visited by 'The Image Theatre Workshop'. The whole school enjoyed a full performance with some children acting and all children singing. Thanks to families who have supported FOH events which have helped us fund this whole-school workshop as well as next Friday's Coronation Ice-cream van and Bouncy Castle visit.

Adam Khan—Headteacher

Celebrating children's achievements

On Wednesday, we launched our new team celebration board. It replaced the previous 'Helsby Hill' and features a trip through Helsby including various landmarks.



Team points and 'marbles in the jar' will be counted each week to see how far each team can move through Helsby. The 1st team to the end will receive a team reward.



Children and staff thanked local artist, Sarah Boniface for creating the display which can be seen at the back of the school hall.

Breaktime Healthy Snacks Only Please!

Please ensure that if KS2 children (Years 3-6) wish to bring in a snack from home for morning break that it doesn't include chocolate, sweets or crisps. We are a nut free premises and so snacks containing nuts must not be brought into school.

Well done to our youngest runners

Extra-curricular clubs started this week and Y2 runners made a fantastic debut. They can be seen here slightly red-faced but still smiling after our 8.10am run!



Unwanted clothing collection

We are taking part in this years Bag 2 School collection of unwanted clothes, shoes, bags & accessories. If you have any clothing items you no longer want please use your bags and **bring to school on the morning of 5th May, drop off in the school hall in the morning.**

This is a perfect excuse to have a spring clear out!

It's an easy way to help raise money for school and ensure unwanted clothes don't go to landfill.



They are collecting re-usable men's, ladies' and children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, belts and accessories. (No uniforms, workwear, pillows, duvets or pieces of fabric!)

Coronation Tea-towels now available!



Coronation Tea-towels featuring a self-portrait illustration of every child are now available for purchase at £6 each or 2 for £10.

Please get in touch with FOH or your class reps if you would like to purchase one.

Well done Rufus, Logan and Melody!

Well done to Rufus (Y5), Melody (Y5) and Logan (Y6) who took part in Sunday's 2023 Mini and Junior Festival of Rugby representing Helsby RUFC.

Here we can see Rufus proudly showing his medal and certificate.

Please send in any out-of-school achievements your children have had for us to share and celebrate.



Coronation celebration next Friday

On Friday 5th May, we will be holding a Coronation celebration for the children in school. We will have a 'street-party style' lunch outdoors in the playground (weather permitting). Children can bring their own packed lunch (school lunches should have been pre-ordered last week).

Children are welcome to wear red, white and blue (non-uniform). Please ensure clothing is suitable for use on the bouncy castle.



Y2 Football Stars

Further to last week's Year 5 & 6 football team success, our Year 2 football had the opportunity to play in the Frodsham and Villages Tournament at Helsby High School. They had 6 wins, a draw and just 1 loss meaning 3rd place for all their efforts, Fantastic!



A big thank you to our sport ambassador leaders (Jack M and Emilia P) who have helped coach these young athletes.

Contact details:

Please contact the school office to notify or request absence at: admin@hillside.cheshire.sch.uk

or call 01928 722 991

Website links: [School website](#) [Absence request](#)

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Diary Dates 2023: (New in red)

May 5th Whole School Coronation Celebrations

May 8th Bank Holiday—School Closed

May 8th Helsby Hillside Music Concert 2pm Methodist Church

May 24th Family support drop-in—tea/coffee/biscuits 9-10am

May 26th FOH Break the Rules Day

May 26th Half Term (Back Tuesday 6th June)

June 30th Summer Fair

July 3rd Sports Day (Timings TBC)

July 21st End of Summer Term at 2pm (back 06/09/23)

Please see above link for whole school/class diaries

Friends of Hillside:

This Easter marked a whole year since Hillside's first draw! In that time, our 64 supporters have RAISED OVER £2000 for our school and our 52 winners have collected a further £1500! Join today.

[Click here for school lottery!](#)



PTA can be contacted on friendsofhillsidefundraising@outlook.com

Coronation Concert—Monday 8th May 2pm



CELEBRATING THE CORONATION
MONDAY 8 MAY 2023
A NO HO HELSBY EVENT

Music and Singing

Methodist Church

1pm	Helsby Concert Band
2pm	Hillside Primary School
3pm	One Voice Choir
4pm	Horn's Mill Primary School
5pm	Alvanley and Manley Primary School

Upper Station Car Park

12.30pm	Samba Mundo
1.30pm/3.30pm	Mersey Morris Men
4.30pm	Uke 'n' Strum



Helsby Hillside Musicians will be performing as part of Helsby's Coronation celebrations on Monday 8th May at 2pm at the Methodist Church. Please call in to lend your support.