

Triangle Primary School

Weekly Newsletter

31st March 2023

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PTFA Decorate an Egg

Well done to everyone who entered the decorate an egg competition organised by the PTFA this week. There were some stunning and creative entries using the theme of the King's Coronation as inspiration. Judging was a tough ask, but eventually, after much debate and deliberation, the following children's entries were chosen. You can see some (but not all) of the prize winners in the photo.

Class R	Lullah, Delilah
Class 1	Rory, Ava
Class 2	Robyn, Renae
Class 3	Hunter, Nia
Class 4	Jessica, Hector
Class 5	Micah, Ella
Class 6	Libby G, Molly

Congratulations to all of the winning entries.



Easter Service

Thursday saw the whole school make the journey to St Peter's Church in Sowerby for our Easter Service. Classes 3 and 4 took the lead with readings and songs and did a great job.

I was especially impressed with how well the readers spoke out and the small group/individuals sang so beautifully. It brought a lump to my throat! Pictured are a group of boys doing just that. It was also marvellous to hear Alannah play her flute so beautifully in church.



Class 5 Visit CI Adventures

On Tuesday Class 5 spent an afternoon at CI Adventures in Halifax for an afternoon of adventurous PE activities. Here's what a couple of them had to say about it.

'The caving was great fun, even though it hurt your knees a bit. It was fantastic when all my group managed to do the climbing wall.'

Rory

'The zip wire was nerve racking to get up to because it was high and there was a steep drop. My favourite part was the caving because it was good fun and took me out of my comfort zone.'

Annabelle D



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Hector Holds His Own at the Nationals

For the first time ever in my 20 years at this school, we had a representative at the NATIONAL final of the school cross country event. Wow!

Not only did Hector make it through, but he also performed really well on the hilly, muddy course to finish in the top third of the field. A tremendous achievement Hector – well done.



School Meals Price Increase

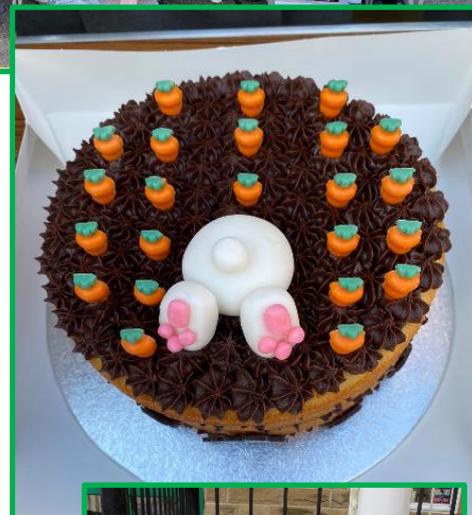
I do not need to tell anyone about the impact of inflation on almost every aspect of our lives at the moment. Unfortunately, school meals are no exception to this. From April, our school meal providers are increasing the amount they charge per meal to £2.55. After Easter, any junior child who is not entitled to free school meals and who has a school dinner will be charged this amount. This will be payable as normal using the cashless system. All infants still have a school dinner paid for by the Government. If your child is in the infants or the juniors, and you think that you may be entitled to free school meals, please contact the school office. This not only ensures that your child receives a nutritious meal, but it also triggers extra funding that we can use to support them in school.



Rotakids Supporting Yorkshire Air Ambulance

The week started with our Rotakids putting on their first organised event. Their chosen charity was Yorkshire Air Ambulance and the group (with more than a little help and support from home) did a brilliant job with their bake sale.

There was an impressive array of cakes, drinks and goodies on their stall, which proved very popular with everyone at home time. Their final total was £150 for their worthy cause. I am sure that this will be well received. Pictured are the Rotakids who helped on the stall with Gordon from Sowerby Bridge Rotary Club.



PTFA Egg Hunt

Well the damp conditions didn't stop the hardy PTFA from organising the egg hunt for all our children today. Each child hunted for clues that helped them to find an Easter associated word to earn an egg.

A big Easter thank you must go to all of the adults who gave up their own time to make this happen today. It is always nice that our PTFA can add these little extra touches to school life. Pictured are a couple of Class R hunters on the trail of their eggs.



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New - School Lottery

We have launched a Lottery with 'Your School Lottery' to help raise money for school funds to pay for those 'extra' treats for our children. To start supporting, visit: [yourschoollottery.co.uk](https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk) and search for: Triangle Primary or click the link below.

https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/triangle-vc-c-of-e-primary-school%3Futm_campaign=no-tickets-share-panel%26utm_source=cause-admin%26utm_medium=social%26utm_content=Hyperlink

It's simple—choose 6 numbers between 0-9 and if they match the weekly lottery draw, you win great prizes. One of our players will win a cash prize every week, maybe even the £25k jackpot! Tickets cost just £1 per week and the proceeds are donated to Triangle School. Every Saturday at 8pm the numbers are drawn and posted online. Winners are notified by email and winnings paid into the account of your choice. The easiest way to join our lottery is online at [YourSchoolLottery.co.uk](https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk) by direct debit or debit card. The first Saturday our school will take part is 22nd April.



And this Terms Special Award Winners Are.....

School Values:	Iris CR,	Holly C3,	Holly F C5
Progress:	Isaac C1,	Qifu C3,	Libby G C6
Effort:	Delilah CR,	Oscar C4,	Herbie C6
Enthusiasm:	Amelia C1,	Ted C4,	Jack C5
Above & Beyond:	Millicent C2,	Sophia C3,	Joseph C6

The awards are all new trophies for this term, with a couple of new categories. The winners are welcome to keep them at home over the easter break and beyond, but they will need to come back to school in good time for the summer term winners to receive them.



Events for the week commencing 17th April 2023:

Monday:	Class 6 Derwent Hill Residential Meeting 6.15pm
Thursday:	Year 5/Year 6 Pennine Football League Class 3 Hebden Hey Meeting 5pm
Saturday:	1 st School Lottery draw!!

May I take this opportunity to wish you all a very enjoyable Easter break.
I look forward to seeing everybody on Monday 17th April.



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