

# Himbleton Herald - Issue 21 2021/22

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*Enabling inquisitive thinkers and inspired learners with kind hearts.*

## **FREE SCHOOL MEALS**

Please see a letter from the Local Authority outlining important changes to the free school meals process.

## **WORLD BOOK DAY**

The children looked wonderful dressed up as their favourite book characters on Friday! They had a great week celebrating the world of books, with a focus on poetry. Seeing the children join together across the school for buddy story time on Thursday was fabulous – we are very grateful that we are able to enjoy such times again!

## **OUR CHRISTIAN THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**

As we move into the second half of the Spring Term, our focus Christian value is 'Truthfulness'.

Humility is all about being truthful and honest.

Radhanath Swami

## **ST. RICHARD'S HOSPICE**

Next Sunday St Richard's are holding a new family Bikeathon. You can choose from 5, 10 or 15 mile routes from Norton Parish Hall. You need to register by Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> March. Please see <https://www.strichards.org/uk/event/bikeathon/>

## **AFTER SCHOOL CARE PICK UP REMINDER**

A reminder that moving forward collection from After School Care should please be at 4pm, 5pm or 6pm, unless you have made alternative arrangements with us. This enables the sessions to be structured as effectively as possible for the benefit of the children.  
Thank you.

## **CHANGE OF DAY – TAG RUGBY**

Tag Rugby Club for Years 3, 4 and 5 has now changed to a Tuesday after school, finishing at 4pm. This will continue to be run by Alex from Worcester Warriors. We do have some spaces available for this club, please see Mrs Stewart if you are interested. The cost is £3 per week.

## **MOTIONAL**

As a school we have recently purchased an online tool called Motional which we will use to support the mental health and wellbeing of the children. As a school we believe in development of the whole child and this tool allows us to understand in more detail the emotional learning of each child. Please do take a look at <https://motional.io/docs/information-for-parents/> for more information. Please also see a letter in mailbags regarding data.

## **YEAR 3/4 BOOK CLUB**

A reminder that Year 3/4 Book Club is this Friday 3-4pm. The focus text is 'The Wolf's Secret'. All members of the class are welcome to attend should they so wish. A basic understanding of the text is useful as there isn't time to read all of it in the session.

## **RACE FOR LIFE**

A reminder that Race for Life is taking place this Friday morning. Timings remain the same for each class as previously planned; we will put a reminder of these on ClassDojo.

## **PARENT CONSULTATIONS**

Please ensure that any remaining appointment request slips are back to school as soon as possible. Times will be sent out next Monday. We are pleased that your child's books will be available to share with you at this meeting.

**Please note: After school tutoring and piano sessions will resume this week for all those usually involved.**

## **WELL DONE!**

Well done to our Christian Values award winners this week: (EYFS) Augustas (KS1) Alex T (Y3/4) Oscar (Y5) Alex

Also a big well done to our Outstanding Workers: (EYFS) Imogen (KS1) Harry (Y3/4) Theon, Maddie & James (Y5) Summer T.P