



Hemington News

7th October 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you are all well. We have had such a busy week with lots of exciting events going on in school. It was wonderful to see the children at St. Nicholas' Church, Lockington to celebrate Harvest Festival. They were absolutely fantastic and really did themselves, their families and the school proud. Considering that this is probably the first time that the children were in the church for a few years and that it was the Reception children's first outing with the school, they represented the school so well! Reverend Andrew will collect the donated food bank products from school and deliver them to the Castle Donington food bank at St. Edward's Church. Many thanks to everyone who donated.

Our fabulous football team played in their first tournament of the year at Charnwood College on Tuesday after school. They played a total of eight matches against teams from Loughborough, Long Whatton, Kegworth and Shepshed and gave each team a really challenging game each time. We are immensely proud of their achievements—well done!

We are very sorry to say goodbye to Miss Brace (TA) and Mrs Wilson (Admin Assistant) this week. Miss Brace is moving to a bigger school to finish her apprenticeship and Mrs Wilson has returned to working in the health sector. We wish them all the best for the future.

Our Christmas production this year will be held at Lockington Village Hall on Thursday 8th December at 2pm. Tickets will go on sale in November—adult tickets £5 each.

This week, our attendance figure is 90%. Year 1 currently have the top attendance of all year groups at 92.6%.

Just a reminder that parents' evening will be held on Tuesday 11th October and each family should have received their timeslot by now. If you haven't yet, please contact the school office. Please remember that each time slot allows ten minutes (per child) to speak with the class teacher.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Eimear Davis—Headteacher

HEMINGTON PTFA INVITES YOU TO THE
HALLOWEEN DISCO
FRIDAY 28TH OCTOBER @ LOCKINGTON VILLAGE HALL
DROP OFF 5PM - COLLECTION 7PM
SIBLINGS WELCOME (IF YOU DARE!)
TICKETS £7
PLEASE ORDER BY FRIDAY 7TH OCTOBER
TO ORDER TICKETS, SCAN THE QR CODE OR VISIT HEMINGTONPTFA.ORG/DISCO
TICKET PRICE INCLUDES:
GAMES PIZZA DRINK
FANCY DRESS COMPETITION PRIZES
secretary@hemingtonpta.org

Don't forget to get your Hemington Primary School PTFA Halloween Disco tickets!

Disco to be held at Lockington Village Hall on Friday 28th October from 5pm—7pm.

Football Tournament



Well done to Hemington Primary School Football



Team who did fantastically well in the Charnwood College small schools football tournament on Tuesday this week. We are extremely proud of them and they represented the school so well. Well done everyone!

Cross Country Running

Every Wednesday, children in Classes 2 & 3 are invited to train for the Cross Country League which will be held at Charnwood College Grass Pitches on **Thursday 13th October**.

Letters have been sent to families about arrangements for the event. Please fill in the permission slip and return to the office as soon as possible.



Please label all your child's uniform clearly.

HEMINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL EXPECTATIONS

You may have heard your children speak about our school expectations or noticed that they have received a certificate for RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY or READINESS. We are very proud of all the children at Hemington for trying their best and ensuring that they are at all times;

Respectful of themselves and others

Responsible for their learning and behaviour

Ready to engage in learning and to do their best.



Accelerated Reader



Please ensure that your child reads daily. When they finish their book, they complete an online quiz using their Accelerated Reader account.

TERM DATES 2022-2023

Autumn Term

Parents' Evening: Tuesday 11th October

Half term break: Monday 17 to Friday 21 October 2022

Pantomime Trip: Monday 5th December

School Christmas Performance: Thursday 8th Dec

Schools close: Friday 16 December 2022

Spring Term

New Year Bank Holiday: Monday 2 January 2023

INSET Day: Tuesday 3 January 2023

School opens for children: Wed 4 January 2023

Half term break: Mon 20 to Fri 24 February 2023

Schools close: Friday 31 March 2023

Summer Term

Schools open: Monday 17 April 2023

May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 1 May 2023

Half term break: Mon 29 May to Fri 2 June 2023

Schools close for pupils: Wednesday 12 July 2023

Staff INSET days

Wednesday 24 and Thursday 25 August

Tuesday 3 January 2023

Thursday 13 July 2023

Healthy Eating at School

REMINDER



Children will be asked to **ONLY** take fruit or a healthy snack for their breaktime. Packed lunches should contain healthier options with only one treat for pudding.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL LUNCHES/SNACKS ARE NUT FREE.

We also ask parents to send water in their child's drink bottle.

After School Clubs Autumn Term 2

Monday - Little Cooks Club (until 4.30 - all year groups welcome. Bookings now open. Limited spaces available.)

Tuesday - Create and Make Club (until 4.30 - all year groups welcome. Bookings now open. Limited spaces available.)

Tuesday - Football Club (until 4.30 - open to Years 3, 4, 5 and 6)

Wednesday - Lego Club (until 4.15 - open to all year groups)

Thursday - Multi-Sports (until 4.15 - open to all year groups)

School Dinner Menu

From Monday 10th October, we will be choosing from the Week 2 menu.

Week 1					
2022: 22nd Aug, 12th Sept, 3rd Oct, 24th Oct, 14th Nov, 5th Dec, 26th Dec 2023: 16th Jan, 6th Feb, 27th Feb, 20th Mar, 10th Apr, 1st May, 22nd May, 12th Jun, 3rd Jul, 24th Jul					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Option 1	Margherita Pizza	Cottage Pie	Roast Lamb of Pork & Apple Sauce	Sticky Chicken	Fish Fingers or Salmon Fish Fingers
Option 2	Vegetable Supreme Pizza (V)	Spiced Bean Tagine (V, VG)	Quorn Picansee	Cheese Fian (V)	Quorn Dippers (V, VG)
CARBS	Pasta in Tomato Sauce Vegetable Rice	Boiled Potatoes Jewelled Cous Cous	Mashed Potato & Carrot ½ Jacket	Herb Jacket Wedges Fluffy Rice	Chips Mashed Potatoes
VEGETABLES	Applelaw Carrots	Green Beans Sweetcorn	Roasted Medley of Seasonal Vegetables Green Beans	Cabbage Broccoli	Baked Beans Peas
SALAD BAR	Mixed Salad Selection				
BREADS	Assorted Breads				
FRUIT	Fresh Fruit Platter/Yoghurt				
DESSERTS	Strawberry Whip	Pear & Chocolate Sponge	Manchester Slice	Apple Betty Layer	Vanilla Ice Cream
Week 2					
2022: 29th Aug, 19th Sep, 10th Oct, 31st Oct, 21st Nov, 12th Dec 2023: 2nd Jan, 23rd Jan, 13th Feb, 6th Mar, 27th Mar, 17th Apr, 8th May, 29th May, 19th Jun, 10th Jul, 31st Jul					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Option 1	Margherita Pizza	Farm Assured Pork Sausages in Gravy	Roast Chicken Stuffing & Gravy	BBQ Chicken Wrap	Battered Fish
Option 2	Chinese Vegetable Stir Fry (V, VG)	Homily pie (V)	Vegetarian Bolognese (V, VG)	Quorn & Vegetable Pasta (V, VG)	Vegetable Fingers (V, VG)
CARBS	Fluffy Rice Herb Jacket Wedges	Mashed Potatoes	Parsley Potatoes Pate	Garlic Bread Potatoes in Skins	Chips ½ Jacket Potato
VEGETABLES	Medley of Seasonal Vegetables Carrots	Sweetcorn Peas	Green Beans Roasted Medley of Seasonal Vegetables	Carrots Broccoli	Baked Beans Peas
SALAD BAR	Mixed Salad Selection				
BREADS	Assorted Breads				
FRUIT	Fresh Fruit Platter/Yoghurt				
DESSERTS	Banana Cake	Carrot Cake Muffin	Chocolate Mousse	Orange Jolly with Mandarins	Strawberry Ice Cream
Week 3					
2022: 5th Sep, 26th Sep, 17th Oct, 7th Nov, 28th Nov, 19th Dec 2023: 9th Jan, 30th Jan, 20th Feb, 13th Mar, 3rd Apr, 24th Apr, 15th May, 5th Jun, 26th Jun, 17th Jul					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Option 1	Organic Meatballs in Tomato Sauce	Turkey Lasagne	Roast Chicken & Apricot Stuffing	Garlic Mushroom & Sweetcorn Pizza	Fish Fingers or Salmon Fish Fingers
Option 2	Vegetable Jambalaya (V, VG)	Vegetable Lasagne (V)	Vegetable Cottage Pie (V, VG)	Sweetcorn Pizza (V)	Vegetable Nuggets (V, VG)
CARBS	Pasta Fluffy Rice	Garlic Bread Parsley Potatoes	Roast Potatoes Sweets & Potato Mash	Jewelled Cous Cous ½ Jacket Potato	Chips Fluffy Rice
VEGETABLES	Green Beans Cabbage	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Carrots Cauliflower	Medley of Vegetables Green Beans	Baked Beans Peas
SALAD BAR	Mixed Salad Selection				
BREADS	Assorted Breads				
FRUIT	Fresh Fruit Platter/Yoghurt				
DESSERTS	Apple Sponge & Custard	Cornflake Tart	Peach Melba Traybake	Seasonal Fruit Crumble & Custard	Chocolate Ice Cream