Holywood News - April 2023

Welcome Back!

We hope everyone managed to get some time off from work to spend with family and to recharge the batteries.



Great to see the sun out even if it is too late for the Easter Holiday!!



Coronation Celebration



The village hall committee at Holywood are organising an afternoon tea celebration on Sunday 7th May 2023 as part of their coronation celebrations.

An information poster from the committee will be emailed home so that you can book your FREE tickets to attend.

Team Holywood are helping!

Over the past 14 years the community have supported the school with grants and funding which have allowed us to purchase quality resources and develop the playground.

This is an opportunity for us to support and lend a hand...

Cakes - homemaking needed for the afternoon teas. Can be handed into the school on the Friday or into the village hall prior to the event.

Pupils will also bake some cakes in school for the event.

Bunting - pupils will be making bunting and paperchains to decorate the hall.

Piper - James (Ex Holywood Pupil) will be playing his pipes at the event.

P4-7 PUPILS NEEDED to help serve cakes and help with the washing up at the event (Miss Dale will also be rolling her sleeves up and getting stuck in!)

Commemorative Coins - the community are gifting a coronation coin to each Holywood Pupil as a keep sake. Members of the hall committee will be coming into school on Tuesday 9th May to present the coins to the pupils. What a lovely idea!

Great to get back to working in partnership with the wider community.

Mrs Jardine will text out about baking and pupil helpers so that we can get an idea of numbers. Thanks in advance for your support!

Friday 5th May

Bike Breakfast

Our first Bike Breakfast of the year takes place on Friday 5th May.

Cyclists and walkers should be at school for 8am - a bike check will take place prior to setting off.

An information letter will be emailed out - sign up and join us.

Please note: Buggies with babies and four legged friends are welcome on the walk.

Only the babies are allowed in school afterwards!

No Scooters!

Back in school we'll have our usual square sliced sausage roll and cuppa. Cereal and toast also available.

Geology Talk - As part of our curriculum on Developing the Young Workforce one of our grand-parents is coming into school to share what it's like to be a Geologist. This is a pupil only event!

Coronation Preparations - pupils in P1-5 will be helping with the village hall committees preparations for the coronation celebration—bunting, paper chains and cakes are on the job list.

Gathering Your Views at a TALK LUNCH

As we put together our Standards and Quality Report it is important that we gather the views from as many of our stakeholders as possible.

On Friday the 12th May we are inviting parents, grandparents and community members into school for a TALK LUNCH. Drop in between 12.30 and 1.30pm.

We will provide soup and sandwiches—you provide your views and ideas!

Mrs Jardine will text out so that we can get our catering organised!

Can't make it along in your lunch break?

We'll send a self evaluation pack home for you to complete with the family and return to school.