

# Newsletter

21<sup>st</sup> March 2025

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## RED NOSE DAY DONATIONS

At the time of publishing, we have raised £142.00 for Red Nose Day. Donations can still be made until Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March, so, if you haven't done so already, please head over to the 'School Shop' tab on Arbor to make a donation for our 'wear something to make us smile' (non-uniform day). Thank you.

## PARENT/CARER ANNUAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Our annual questionnaire gives you the chance to tell us what you think about our school. We will use the information you provide when making decisions about developments in the coming year. By sharing your views, you are helping us to continue to improve. Please click on the following link to access the questionnaire: <https://forms.office.com/e/uhH33sQ41X>.

The questionnaire is available from today until Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April. Thank you.

## JOB VACANCY! - MIDDAY SUPERVISORS WANTED!

We need two additional midday supervisors to support the children through mealtimes and lunchtime play. Can you spare 1 hour and 15 minutes each day?  
Please call at the school office for an application pack.

## BIKE BUS


Do you want to cycle to school? Then join the Haydn Road bike bus! A bike bus is a group of people who ride together - it helps to build confidence and ensures better visibility. Next ride: **FRIDAY 28th March** - 8:25am at Pirate Park car park. Hire a lime bike for free using code: NOTTFRESHER24\*. This would be a perfect opportunity to join in on our Sustrans Big Walk & Wheel challenge.

## WEEKLY % ATTENDANCE FIGURES - THIS WEEK'S WINNERS ARE: 2C & 3T

FS	85.52%	FW	92.22%	1D	95.09%	1S	96.93%	2C	97.40%
2DS	92.59%	3H	89.27%	3T	100.00%	4EG	97.70%	4W	99.26%
5C	97.70%	5H	97.30%	6G	96.67%	6CH	97.00%		

**100% ATTENDANCE WINNERS - KS1: Theo (1D) KS2: Alethea (6G)**

## MATHS CHALLENGE

Doughnut Palace	
1 doughnut	55p
4 doughnuts	£1.75

Aisha is buying doughnuts.

What is the greatest number of doughnuts Aisha can buy with £10?

## READING, READING, READING

### Children's Book Project Book Drive

A massive thank you to all the children who donated a book for the Children's Book Project. We've collected over 200! The charity works closely with women's groups, children's centres, prisons and schools to gift used books to children, forging links with settings whose communities benefit most from access to free books. In every instance, they work with providers to help plan creative and enjoyable book gifting events. A big thank you to everyone who has donated, it really will make a difference.



### World Water Day Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> March

World Water Day is an annual United Nations observance day held on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> of March that highlights the importance of fresh water. The day is used to advocate for the sustainable management of freshwater resources.

The theme this year is 'Glacier Preservation.' The aim is to highlight the critical role of glaciers in sustaining life and the water cycle. Glaciers, mountain run-off and snowmelt provide nearly two billion people with water for drinking, agriculture and energy production. There are some beautiful books that you can share with your child to discuss the importance of water.





## **MUMS FOR LUNGS**

Mums For Lungs is for all parents and carers. They are a national group who campaign for clean air for kids. Haydn is taking part in the **Sustrans Big walk and Wheel** challenge taking place between Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March and Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April to help reduce air pollution around the school.

Air pollution can have a severe impact on children's ability to learn, their academic progress, as well as their lung function and overall health. Research has shown that lowering air pollution levels in and around schools could significantly improve a child's working memory. To find out more about Mums for Lungs, please visit <https://www.mumsforlungs.org/who-are-we>.

Talie, a parent of two children at Haydn, is getting together a group of parents and carers to work with the school to help reduce air pollution and its effects on our children. Please email the school office (admin@haydn.nottingham.sch.uk) if you would like to be part of this group, so we can pass on your details.

Here are a couple of tips regarding air pollution and what you can do to reduce it:

**Walk, Cycle, Scoot - Don't Pollute!** - Ditch the car for the short trips to school and the shops. For longer journeys use public transport or a bike.

**Walk Away from The Kerb** - As a pedestrian, the closer you are to the traffic, the higher the pollution levels are. Keep as far from the road as you can, especially when waiting at crossings and try to walk down quieter streets with less traffic.

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

<b>Sustrans Big Walk &amp; Wheel Project</b>	<b>Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March - Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April</b>
Year 4 Perlethorpe River Study Trip	Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> March
Sustrans Big Walk & Wheel	Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> March - Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April
Year 4 'The Great Orchestra Experiment'	Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March
Year 2 White Post Farm Trip	Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> March
<b>Bike Bus</b>	<b>Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March</b>
Nursery Mother's Day Cafe	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> March Morning children - 10.30am All day and afternoon children - 1.00pm
3H Swimming	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> March - Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> April
Year 5 'The Tempest' Performance	Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> April - 6.00pm - families welcome Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April - 6.00pm - families welcome
Last Day of School	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April
Easter Holidays	Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> April - Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> April
Good Friday (School and Nursery Closed)	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> April
Easter Monday (School and Nursery Closed)	Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> April
Back to School	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April
Bank Holiday Monday (School and Nursery Closed)	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> May
Last Day of School	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May
Half Term Holidays	Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> May - Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> May

Back to School	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June
Year 6 Shrewsbury Residential	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> - Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> June
Year 4 'Camp Redwood' Residential	Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> - Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June
Inset Day	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> July
Summer Holidays	Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> July - Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> August
Inset Day	Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> September
Back to School	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September

**Signposting**

**Share, Swap, Swish - Reducing The Need For New Since 2022 - Free Family Clothes Swap!**  
 Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> March at Sherwood Methodist Church, 10am - 12pm. Bring along your children's clothes and books to swap for free!

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**HAYDN PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**COME AND JOIN US!**

**HAYDN PRIMARY SCHOOL NURSERY OPEN EVENING**  
Ages 3-4

**Date:** Tuesday 29th April 2025  
**Time:** 4.00pm - 5.00pm

**Nursery Session Times**  
 Morning Session: 8.45am - 11.45am.  
 Afternoon Session: 12.15pm - 3.15pm.  
 Full-time Hours: 8.45am - 3.15pm

Confirm your attendance by contacting: [admin@haydn.nottingham.sch.uk](mailto:admin@haydn.nottingham.sch.uk)

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**Half-day and full-time places available!**