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Newsletter 28/02/2025

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Dear Families,

Next week is a wonderfully busy week, so this week's newsletter will focus on what is in store for all pupils in the coming days. There really is quite a range planned – from developing a sense of joy as we begin learning about the season of Lent, to fostering a love of reading and encouraging children's confidence in speaking, to instilling a sense of community with whole school PE events...

Shrove Tuesday On **Tuesday 4th March**, we will be holding our annual pancake races in school – we are expecting it to be a flippin' marvellous day! Please can all children **wear their trainers to school** for the day. Watch out on the website for photos of the fun and games!

World Book Day is next week, on **Thursday 6th March**, and this year, we are having a non-fiction theme. We will be celebrating all things information, non-fiction and fabulously factual! Pupils will be enjoying book related activities all day, and this year, they have the opportunity to choose from different members of staff to read to them!



We are encouraging children to come dressed for the day as something that interests them, someone inspiring, or just something that has caught the eye in an information book; I've heard some great ideas so far - a few doctors, a biologist, a rock star, a teacher, an Olympian, police officers and even a geologist! This morning I discovered that Queen Elizabeth II is making an appearance! We would love to see the books that have inspired the outfits we see! Children have even asked if their parents can share a link to an online book they have read, which is a great idea!

If you have any questions, or want to share anything, please email: a.bellwalker@htceschools.co.uk

Football Friday To finish the week, **Friday 7th of March** is the 'Biggest Ever Football Session' sponsored by England Football. Throughout the afternoon, children will be enjoying a range of activities, organised with the help of our Sports Ambassadors. We can't wait to see some of the skills on show by the end of the afternoon! Can all pupils **come to school on Friday dressed in their outdoor PE kit** so they can fully enjoy the experience.

Diary Dates Please check the school [website](#) for diary dates and information about upcoming events in school.

Regards

Sue Sanderson

Executive Headteacher







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I am more than happy to meet with any parents who have concerns about their child. I will listen to your worries (big or small!) and can offer support and advice. Please do drop me an email or call the office and we can arrange a chat. I look forward to meeting with you! send@htceschools.co.uk



Safeguarding

Federation Safeguarding Team

 The Federation of Holy Trinity Church of England Schools	
Safeguarding is Everyone's Responsibility	
<p>As a visitor or contractor to our school, you have a responsibility to report any concerns you may have about a child. If you are concerned about the safety or wellbeing of a child in school, you must report this to the Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) or the Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead (DDSL).</p>	
	
<p>Mrs S Sanderson Executive Headteacher Designated Safeguarding Lead</p>	<p>Mrs A Bell-Walker Deputy Headteacher Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead</p>
<p>headteacher@htceschools.co.uk 01765 602858</p>	<p>a.bellwalker@htceschools.co.uk 01765 602858</p>
<p><i>If you would like to speak to somebody immediately, please ask a member of the office staff to contact the DSL and / or DDSL. Direct contact can be made using the information above.</i></p>	
<p>If you are concerned about the safety or wellbeing of a child outside of school you must report this to North Yorkshire Safeguarding Board. If you are concerned that they are at immediate risk of harm, you should report this to the Police (999). You can also contact the NSPCC to report concerns or ask for advice.</p>	
	<p>www.safeguardinchildren.co.uk/ 01609 780 780</p>
<p>NSPCC EVERY CHILDHOOD IS WORTH FIGHTING FOR</p>	<p>help@nspcc.org.uk 0800 800 5000</p>
<p>The Federation's Safeguarding policy is available on the Policies page of the school website: www.htceschools.co.uk</p>	

Child Protection Policy If you would like a paper copy of the Federation Child Protection Policy

Office

Vacancies Please visit our website for more information about the current vacancies we have in school. Details on how to apply are in the application pack on the website.

Easyfundraising Please remember that we are registered with easyfundraising, which means you can raise FREE donations for us every time you shop online. Over 8,000 retailers will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to yourself! These donations really mount up and make a BIG difference to us, so we'd really appreciate it if you could take a moment to sign up and support us. It's completely FREE and only takes a moment. You can find our easyfundraising page at

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/htjice>

or use the QR code below.




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SATURDAY 29TH MARCH 10.00AM TO 3.00PM. ALL PROCEEDS SPLIT BETWEEN MACMILLAN BREAST CANCER SUPPORT AND CHURCH FUND