



## THE HIGHFIELDER

MARCH 2014

### FOOTBALL GLORY



What a fantastic season it's been for Highfield this year! As well as taking part in friendlies against Moortown and Carr Manor Primary School, we took part in a tournament at Wetherby High and a School's F.A. Tournament at St. Joseph's Primary. In both of these, we narrowly missed out on going through to the second round but did our school proud on both occasions.

Throughout this year we have also taken part in the North of Leeds Football League. There are 12 schools in this very competitive league.

Our record in this league shows how well we've done so far:

Played: 6

Won: 4

Drawn: 1

Lost: 1

This has put us in a brilliant second place in the league on 15 points with four matches to play!

Well done to a great group of players and Mr Brassil, our fantastic coach, who all work hard for each other and their school.

The next match is a home fixture against Thorner Primary School in late April. Come on Highfield!!

### WORLD BOOK DAY



At the beginning of March, we had World Book Day. It is a fun activity when children come dressed as their favourite book character.

We also had a limerick competition and we voted for a winner in our classes. The Highfielders very own Sophie Poole and Rianna Stebbings were candidates.

We saw lots of interesting costumes worn by children and staff alike.

Well done Highfield!

### DARKNESS IN SCHOOL AS EARTH HOUR ARRIVES!



Last week, on Friday at 2:30 to 3:30, Highfield had their annual Earth Hour. This time it was KS2's celebration assembly and they managed extremely well! The school orchestra played the "springtime" song; it sounded amazing! Well done everybody for being calm and sensible for this worthwhile event.

### GYMNASTIC COMPETITION



Last week on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March, Miss Thackrah's and Mrs Garbutt's KS2 gym team went on an exciting and fun competition against 29 other school in the Leeds final. They all enjoyed it very much and achieved amazing scores in all areas, beating last years, but sadly didn't get in the top 3. They know it's not about winning but is about taking part! Let's all hope that Year 3 and 4 have an amazing competition this Monday!

### PERFECT PANCAKE

Back on Shrove Tuesday James Hills, pancake record holder, managed a whopping 104 tosses!

James managed to beat an incredible record of 86 set by Sanjana Singh. Will the future year six's rise to the challenge?



### HARRY'S WEATHER



Cloudy and foggy all morning. It will remain cloudy all today. Over Easter there will be some sunny spots.

### JAYA'S JOLLY JOKES

What happens if you pour hot water down a rabbit hole?

You get Hot Cross Bunnies!

### DOMINIC'S DILEMA

Mrs Colley is buying eggs for Highfield design-an-egg-competition. There are 14 classes in Highfield and she needs an egg per class plus one for the KS1 winner, one for the KS2 winner and one for the overall winner!

She is also having an Easter party with her friends; there are 9 friends going and 15 children. How many chocolate eggs does she need to buy?

Answer for last time: I used 7 eggs.

### RIANNA'S RIDDLE

If the Easter bunny eats 2 Easter eggs and 5 chocolate hens, what does he get?

Answer for last time: It was on land.

### FIELD RULES



After the Easter Holidays we hope to be on the field all the time, so here is a reminder of all the rules:

No playing on either banking

Walk down/up the paths

No pushing on the tyres or trim trail

No tumbling on the chains in the play area – use our new tumble bars

Football only on the ball court – follow the class timetable

When using the new tumble bars choose the bar that is the right height for you and make sure no-one is stood directly behind you when tumbling

### EASTER EGG COMPETITION

This year, Highfield is once again holding its annual Egg Competition. Mrs Colley had lots of interesting ideas from the children so we very much look forward to seeing your eggs on Friday.



### SAFETY RANGERS

Next term Highfield are having the annual litter pick. The tumble bars are very popular and everyone has been trained how to use them safely.

The school looks tidy and thank you to Kai and Charlie who do a good job litter picking.

Happy Easter from Mrs Colley and The Highfielders - James Hills, Sophie Poole, Rhianna Stebbings, Jaya McCorry and Dominic White

