Tang Hall Primary School

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Weekly **Newsletter**

Rock Star Aspiration Day

Tang Hall Primary School

Pathfinder Multi Academy Trust

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Dear Parents/Carers,

YEAR 1 – YEAR 6

We are delighted to share details of our 'Rock STAR Aspirations Day' on Monday 28th April.

During the morning, we have a very special guest... Jeff Rich, world famous drummer from Status Quo will be hosting a Drumming Masterclass!

To help us fund the day, we are asking for voluntary donations via Parent Pay of £3. Anyone who gives a donation will automatically be entered into our prize draw to win a signed drum head or a signed pair of Jeff Rich drumsticks!

If you are a massive Quo fan and would like to attend the morning, there is a small admission charge of £2 per person, again this is to help us to fund the day. Please contact the office if you are interested.

We are all looking forward to a fantastic day on Monday!

Lorraine Atkinson
Headteacher

Proud to Achieve Together

Class	
Goldcrests	**Hunter G-G** - For settling into new sessions brilliantly.
Wrens	**Maya and Naya E** - For settling into their new class so brilliantly.
Robins	**Joey S** - For always focussing in lessons and taking care with his work.
Woodpeckers	**Jay Jay C-H** - For showing brilliant aspiration with his learning this week.
Swallows	**Adam E** - For having a terrific first week and trying his best in all his lessons.
Owls	**Noah C** - For an amazing settled start back to the new term. Showing a real determination to be the best he can be!
Nightingales	**Harrison T** - For impressing me with his attitude and effort when in class, well done!
Kingfishers	**Enola P** - For always showing respect and using her social responsibility to help around school.

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Attendance

Our School Target is 97%

Class	Number of days missed	Percentage %
Wrens	15.5	84.50
Robins	8.5	92.41
Woodpeckers	4	96.55
Swallows	2	98.18
Owls	10	91.53
Nightingales	12.5	89.22
Kingfishers	3	97.58

Mobile Phones In School

The children in Year 5 and Year 6 who need to bring a mobile phone into school must turn off their phone **before they enter the school grounds at the start of the day**. Then, at the end of the day, they should not be turned back on **until they have left the school grounds**.

All mobile phones **must be handed in to the class teacher at the beginning of every day** for safety and safeguarding reasons.

Also, please ensure that **no money or items of value are brought into school** as we cannot guarantee that they won't go missing or be misplaced which can cause significant upset and disruption to the school day. Many thanks in advance for your support.

Safeguarding Update—Laura Harper, School Liaison Officer, North Yorkshire Police

Use of Electrical Scooters—Guidance from North Yorkshire Police

Electrical scooters should not be used by children to either transport themselves to and from school or when they are out in the local community. The guidance given by North Yorkshire Police regarding the use of electrical scooters is:

"Electrical scooters (also known as e-scooters) come under the category of 'powered transporters'. E-scooters are classed as motor vehicles under the Road Traffic Act 1988. This means the rules that apply to motor vehicles, also apply to e-scooters including the need to have a licence and insurance. It's not currently possible to get insurance for privately owned e-scooters. This means it's illegal to use them on the road or in public spaces, such as parks, street pavements, and shopping centres. If you use a privately-owned e-scooter in public, you risk the vehicle being seized under S.165 Road Traffic Act 1988 for having no insurance."

For further guidance, please click on the following link:

E-scooters - North Yorkshire Police

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Summer Term Nursery Funding

Nursery parents will have received an email with a link to a declaration form that needs completing to ensure that we can continue to claim funding for your child's nursery place.

Please remember to renew /apply for your code as soon as possible.

If you currently don't receive funding and would like to check your entitlement please see below.

Headlice

We have had some reports of headlice throughout school. Please see the NHS Guidance below—

Treat head lice as soon as you spot them. You can treat head lice without seeing a GP.
Check everyone you live with, or have close contact with, and start treating anyone who has head lice on the same day.

There's no need to keep your child off school if they have head lice. You do not need to wash your laundry on a hot wash.Lice and nits can be removed by wet combing.

You can buy a special fine-toothed comb (detection comb) online or from pharmacies to remove head lice and nits.

There may be instructions on the pack, but usually you:

- wash hair with ordinary shampoo
- apply lots of conditioner (any conditioner will do)
- comb the whole head of hair, using the detection comb, from the roots to the ends
  It usually takes about 10 minutes to comb short hair, and 20 to 30 minutes for long, frizzy or curly hair. When you've finished combing the hair, comb through all the hair again for a second time.

Do wet combing on days 1, 5, 9 and 13 to catch any newly hatched head lice. Check again that everyone's hair is free of lice on day 17.

Lunch Menu

A Little Bit About Us...

Hutchison CATERING

Hutchison Catering is an independent, family-run business delivering a refreshingly different range of catering services driven by our ethos of personal relationships and honest professionalism – we are not just another supplier.

Seasonal Menus

We are committed to providing nutritious food that children love and are proud to fuel their growth, learning & development. We work in partnership with our schools to produce tailored seasonal menus to suit pupils preferences.

Special Diets

We have a robust special diet procedure in place which allows us to safely cater for pupils with special dietary requirements. Each child will be provided with an individual menu in line with that provided to the rest of the school. Ask school office for a form.

Having Fun!

Bringing the classroom into the dining room, our Food Explorers concept will keep the children entertained and educated through out key points in the year. Events are planned throughout the academic year providing interactivity with new flavour discoveries, healthy eating and worldwide food facts. Our Nutritionist is also available to visit school and deliver assemblies and workshops on healthy eating & farm to fork topics.

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Week 1
21/4,12/5, 2/6, 23/6, 1/9, 22/9,/ 13/10

Monday
Margherita Pizza Served with
Homemade Potato Wedges or
Homemade Sweet Potato Curry (VE) served with Rice & Sweetcorn
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Strawberry Whip (V)

Tuesday
BBQ Chicken Wrap or
Vegetarian Enchiladas (V) served with Rice & Peas
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Shortbread (VE) with Fresh Fruit

Wednesday
Roast Chicken or
Quorn Fillet (V) With
Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding, Carrots & Gravy
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Chocolate Beetroot Brownie

Thursday
Beef Lasagne or
Tomato & Basil Pasta (VE) served with
Homemade Bread & Sweetcorn
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Blueberry Muffin V)

Friday
Fish Fingers or
Quorn Nuggets (VE) with Chips, Peas
Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings
Ice Cream with Mandarins

Week 2
28/4, 19/5, 9/6, 30/6, 21/7, 8/9, 29/9, 20/10

Monday
Margherita Pizza with Potato Wedges (V) or
Quorn Chow Mein (V) with Sweetcorn
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Rice Krispie Cake with Fresh Fruit(V)

Tuesday
Chicken Korma curry or
Macaroni Cheese (V) with Green Beans
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Lamington Cake– Chocolate & Coconut Topped Sponge (V)

Wednesday
Pork Sausage or
Quorn Sausage with Mashed Potatoes ,
Carrots & Gravy
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Flapjack (VE)

Thursday
Italian Chicken Pasta or
Vegetarian Pasta Bolognaise (VE) With Broccoli
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Chocolate Muffin(V)

Friday
Oven Baked Fish or
Cheese & Tomato Panini
with Chips, Beans or Peas
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Ice Cream with Fresh Fruit (V)

Week 3
5/5, 26/5, 16/6, 7/7, 15/9

Monday
Margherita Pizza or
Quorn Burger serve with Homemade Potato Wedges , Sweetcorn
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Chocolate Crunch Cookies (VE)

Tuesday
Pork Meatballs in Tomato Sauce
or Macaroni Cheese
With Garlic Bread , Broccoli
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Oaty Biscuit (VE)

Wednesday
Roast Chicken or
Quorn Fillet With Roast Potatoes,
Carrots & Gravy
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Strawberry Bun with Fresh Fruit (V)

Thursday
Homemade Chicken Tikka Curry
or Cheese & Tomato
Tortilla Stack with Rice & Sweetcorn
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Iced School Sponge Cake (V)

Friday
Oven Baked Fish Fingers or
Cheese & Bean Pinwheel with Chips Baked Beans or Peas
Jacket Potatoes with a choice of Fillings
Ice Cream with Mango (V)

OUR SCHOOLS ARE RECRUITING

Support Staff Vacancies

For details and to apply, visit our website or scan the QR code

Cleaning Assistant

Archbishop Holgate's School

Currently £12.20 per hour
Term Time or Full Year, Monday-Friday
Working hours negotiable, between: 6.45-8.45am and 3.00-8.00pm
Salary paid monthly over 12 equal payments

Required as soon as possible

Teacher of Music (0.2 FTE)

Archbishop Holgate's School

Mainscale/UPS
Permanent, Part Time (0.2FTE)
Required from September 2025

Exam Invigilator

Malton School

£12.45 per hour. Casual Contract.

Pathfinder Multi Academy Trust is an equal opportunities employer, committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. Enhanced DBS check required.

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Upcoming Events and Important Dates

For Term Dates please also see our school website

Date	Time	Event	Year Group
EASTER BREAK (Monday 7th April—Friday 18th April)			
Monday 28th April	AM	Rock Star Aspiration Day	Year 1—6
Wednesday 30th April	9.00am-12.00pm	Pathfinder MAT Maths Competition	Y4 Team
Monday 5th May	All day	Bank Holiday—School Closed	Whole school
Tuesday 6th May	9:00am—11:45am	Jorvik Viking Museum Trip	Year 4
Monday 12th May	9.00am	Start of KS2 SATs week	Year 6
Friday 23rd May	End of day	School breaks up for half term	Whole school
HALF TERM BREAK (Monday 26th May—Friday 30th May)			
Monday 2nd June	Start of day	School returns after half-term break	Whole school
Wednesday 25th June	1.00-3.00pm	KS1 Sports Day	Year 1-2
Friday 27th June	All day	KS2 Sports Day	Year 3-6
Wed 2nd—Fri 4th July	All day	Year 5 Residential Visit	Year 5
Friday 11th July	All day	Dojo Reward Day	Whole school
Friday 18th July	End of day	School breaks up for Summer	Whole school