



**RL Hughes Primary School - Newsletter**  
**7 February 2020**

**Half term**

School closes for half term, at the normal time, on Friday 14 February and re-opens at 8.45am on Monday 24 February.

**FoRLHs Discos**

The discos will take place as follows:

- Thursday 13 February - 5pm to 5.45pm - Infants
- Thursday 13 February - 6pm to 7pm - Juniors

**Low Bank Ground/Hinning House**

Just a reminder that the Y5 children will be visiting Low Bank Ground/Hinning House from Monday 24 February to Friday 28 February.

**Snack**

Please be aware that if your child is bringing in snack from home, children can bring in a **piece of fruit or a slice of toast/bagel**. Children have access to water throughout the day therefore an extra drink is not required.

**Swimming lessons**

The last swimming lesson for Year 4R (Mr Hosker's class) will take place on Thursday 13 February. Mrs Fisher's class (Y4L) will begin their lessons on Thursday 27 February (after half term). Please make sure your child brings their swimming kit into school every Thursday.

**FoRLH - Own clothes day**

On Friday 14 February children will be allowed to wear their own clothes for school. In return we are asking for donations of either an Easter Egg or £1.00. Thank you for your continued support.

**Headlice**

There have been numerous cases of headlice reported to us over the past few days. Please be vigilant and check your child's hair on a regular basis. Thank you.

**Friends of RL Hughes - Loose Change Challenge**

We need your change! Each classroom has an empty bottle to be filled up with coins. There is a competition across the classes to see how many they can fill this term. Prize to the class with the highest amount of money raised.

**School meal payments - School Grid**

**Meals must be paid for, in advance, on a Monday morning unless you have signed up to a direct debit.** If you get into arrears with your child's account then you will be asked to bring a packed lunch in for your child and they will not be allowed a school dinner until the account is cleared and a direct debit has been set up. If you require help setting up an account please see a member of the office staff.

**Emergency contact information**

It is important that emergency contact details for your child are kept up to date. In an emergency situation we will access your information to contact you immediately. If you are unavailable we will contact the other names you have provided. We will also use these contact numbers if your child does not arrive at school with no explanation. The LA also require this information to send out important documents eg high school applications.

**Diary Dates**

Monday	10 February	3.05 - 4.10pm 3.10 - 3.45pm 3.05 - 4.00pm  3.15pm	Y1 to Y6 Y5/Y6 Y1/Y2  Y5	Karate Homework Club Cheer/Dance Club Guitar and violin lessons Low Bank Ground/Hinning House parents meeting
Tuesday	11 February	9am	Y1	Y1 Phonics meeting Brass lessons
Wednesday	12 February	3.10 - 4.00pm 3.10 - 4.15pm	KS2 Y2-Y6	Swimming Club Dodgeball Keyboard lessons Woodwind lessons Drum and singing lessons
Thursday	13 February	9am 3.05 - 4.00pm 3.10 - 4.30pm 5.00 - 5.45pm 6.00 - 7.00pm	Y3/Y4 KS1 KS2	Swimming lessons Infant Choir Athletics Club Disco (Reception - Y2) Disco (Y3-Y6)
Friday	14 February	3.10 - 4.45pm	Y5/Y6	Athletics at Cansfield School closes for half term - non uniform day

**Proposed diary of events**

Monday 24 February	School re-opens after half term Y5 visit to Low Bank Ground/Hinning House
Friday 28 February	Y5 return from Low Bank Ground/Hinning House
Thursday 5 March	World Book Day
Tuesday 10 March	Book People Bus visiting school
Thursday 26 March	Easter bingo
Monday 30 March	Learning Review Meetings Y1,Y3,Y5
Tuesday 31 March	Learning Review Meetings Reception, Y2, Y4
Friday 3 April	School closes for Easter - non uniform day (Bottle or £1)
Thursday 16 April	National Offer Day - Reception class 2020
Tuesday 21 April	School re-opens after Easter