

# Helping Hands Newsletter



# **Spring Update**

# **Upcoming Events**

- Sat 29th April: Helping Hands Stall at Ossettfest
- Fri 12th May: King's Coronation Event-1:30pm onwards

#### Ossettfest

Tomorrow the Helping Hands team will be holding at stall at Ossettfest, in order to raise further funds. We will be located inside the Town Hall, and will have various games and a Tombola, so please come see us if you are out and about

# King's Coronation Event

On Friday 12th May we are holding a Coronation celebration in school, from 1:30pm. This will include a children's entertainer, craft table, tombola, games, and various other stalls. We will also be selling "Wonka Bars" as part of our Golden Ticket competition (please see separate poster for details)

We would really appreciate any donations of baked goods (buns, cakes etc) on the day to help make our cake stall a success. We would also appreciate any volunteers on the day, so if this is something you'd like to help with, please drop us an email at:

hhchair@kirkleeseducation.uk

All members of the community are welcome to attend, we hope to see you there!

# **Smarties Challenge**

Thank you to everyone who took part in the Smarties challenge over the school holidays, we are delighted to announce we have now counted the money, and with your generous donations, have raised an amazing £352.52! Well done to Class 2, who were the overall winners with £118.35, they will receive a class treat of ice cream & toppings in the coming weeks.

Here is the full breakdown of amount raised per class:

Class 1: £82.58. Class 2: £118.35 Class 3: £103.33. Class 4: £43.92

Class 5: £4.34

### **Spending of Funds**

For this term, we have funded some new, outdoor games for the children to play, once the weather improves, including giant Jenga and Connect 4. We have also provided £5 per pupil towards the cost of the school trip, and will also be providing each child with a pack of Coronation seeds to plant, as a commemoration of King Charles' Coronation.

For the coming terms we also planning to fund the popular "Inflatable Day", and to provide a substantial amount towards the Pantomime trip, for the full school