

# Hardwick Weekly Catch Up – 9 October 2020



This week was national Walk to School Week and we hope the children managed to walk to school and collect their stickers!

Also, this week the school photographer was in to take individual photos and your child will have come home with details of how to view the photos and order via the Spencer Brown website. We hope you are pleased with the quality of the photos from our new school photographer.

Just a couple of things coming up to tell you about...

## **FOHPS AGM Friday 16 October**

**9:30am**

The school's PTA, known as the Friends of Hardwick Primary School (FoHPS), will be holding their AGM on **Friday 9 October at 9:30am, using Zoom**. All parents and carers are welcome to attend and we would love to see some new faces keen to either join the committee or volunteer their help. All the events run and the money raised by FoHPS is for the benefit of all the children. To attend the meeting, please contact the school office and we will send you the link to the meeting. We look forward to seeing you then.

## **Parent/Teacher Autumn Term Consultations**

We are planning to hold our autumn term parent/teacher consultations after half term. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, these will be held virtually on Zoom or via telephone conversation. We will confirm the exact dates and further details shortly.

## **Music Lessons with Rock Steady Music**

You may remember in February, peripatetic teachers from Rock Steady Music came to school to launch their in-school music lessons, where children can choose to learn drums, guitar, keyboards or vocals as part of a 'pop/rock group'. Due to school closure everything was delayed, but I'm pleased to say they have now restarted music lessons on a Monday afternoon. Lessons are organised so we are COVID-19 compliant and there are still spaces available. If you would like further information, please go to [www.rocksteadymusicschool.com](http://www.rocksteadymusicschool.com)

### *Dates for Diaries*

**Friday 16 October:** FoHPS AGM, 9:30am on Zoom

**Monday 26 – Friday 30 October:** Half term

**Thursday 5 November:** Whole school flu vaccinations

**Thursday 17 December:** Last day of the autumn term

**Friday 19 December - Friday 1 January:** Christmas holidays (school closed)

**Monday 4 January 2021:** Start of the spring term – pupils return to school