



Hindhayes Newsletter No 20

Friday 14th February 2014

Dear Parents

I would like to thank the parents who came to our safer internet evening on Tuesday. It was disappointing that more parents didn't come given the dangers that are publicised regularly in the media, however the feedback was positive and I am sure those who attended found it useful. On Wednesday we held a safer internet day in school where the children did a number of activities and devised their own rules for keeping safe on the internet. We were one of the 650 organisations that took part from all over the country and are proud to have our website logo on the UK Safer Internet website.

Today the children all enjoyed the skipping workshops so if you are at a loose end over half term just get them skipping! We will be sorting out part of the school grounds designated as a skipping area to continue to encourage children.

The curriculum plans for the second half of term are in the parent's section of the website so please take a look. The work will be supported by visits/visitors so information will be coming home nearer the time. The dates are below:

- 5th March visit from the Rural Life Museum for Year 1 children
- 14th March Reception children to visit Bristol Zoo
- 1st April Year 2 to visit Farleigh Hungerford Castle

You will have received information about Book Week and we will be supporting Sport's Relief on Friday 21ST March. Open evenings will be held on Monday 31st March and Tuesday 1st April.

I hope you all have a good holiday.

Diane Sleeman
Headteacher

Weekly Targets

Each week one child from each class brings home a medal awarded for weekly targets, this week's target was 'Always has good manners and says please and thank you', the children bringing the medal home are:

Oak class:	Demi-Lee
Cherry class:	Lucas
Beech class:	Grace
Birch class:	Marcus
Chestnut class:	Brandon
Sycamore class:	Hannah
Hazel class:	Jessie
Hawthorn class:	Sophia

The week after half term's target is ' Always helpful towards others'.

The winning house this week is: **Blackdown**
The class with last week's highest attendance is: **Hazel**



PTFA—Bag2School

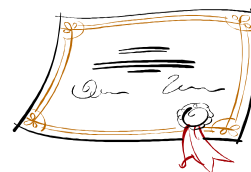
The Bag2school collection day is Thursday 27th March. Please can all parents bring their bags to the PTFA shed which is at the back entrance to the school, there will be a PTFA representative present to show you where to go.



Work of the week

Work of the week is displayed on the 'work of the week board' in the entrance foyer, this shows the super work children have produced throughout the week. At present these children have their work on display. You are welcome to see this work after school:

Oak class:	Barnaby & Charlie
Cherry class:	Finlay & Tamariki
Beech class:	Neeve & Amelia
Birch class:	Madison & Aranveer
Chestnut class:	Jasmine & Chloe
Sycamore class:	Kira & Aiden
Hazel class:	Caitlin & Ben
Hawthorn class:	Sophie & Beth



Dates for your Diary*

Friday 14th February	Finish for half term
Monday 24th February	Return to school
Thursday 27th February	Bag2school collection day
Friday 28th February	Sycamore class assembly
Monday 3rd March	Year 2 INSPIRE sessions
Monday 3rd March	Book Week
Wednesday 5th March	Visit from Rural life museum - Year 1
Thursday 6th March	World book day
Friday 7th March	Birch class assembly
Friday 7th March	Reception family time - Red
Thursday 13th March	Last Chestnut bokwa session
Friday 14th March	Chestnut class assembly
Thursday 20th March	Class photographs
Thursday 20th March	Birch bokwa first session
Friday 21st March	Hawthorn class assembly
Friday 21st March	Sports relief day
Friday 21st March	Reception family time - Blue
Monday 24th March	Year 1 - last swimming session
Friday 28th March	Beech class assembly
Friday 28th March	Reception family time - Green
Monday 31st March	Parents evening
Tuesday 1st April	Year 2 trip to Farleigh Hungerford Castle
Tuesday 1st April	Parents evening
Friday 4th April	Cherry class assembly
Friday 4th April	Reception family time - Yellow
Friday 4th April	PTFA Easter cake sale @ 2.30pm
Friday 4th April	Finish for Easter holidays
Monday 21st April	Bank holiday
Tuesday 22nd April	Return to school
Thursday 21st April	Birch last bokwa session
Thursday 1st May	Beech first bokwa session
Monday 5th May	Bank holiday
Thursday 22nd May	Beech last bokwa session
Friday 23rd May	Finish for half term
Monday 2nd June	Back to school

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL THESE DATES MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE