



**Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery**  
*Learning together - enjoying success - aiming high - celebrating difference – enriching community*

## Weekly Newsletter – 1<sup>st</sup> November 2017

*'...pupils behave well, work hard in lessons and listen carefully to their teachers and each other...'*

*OFSTED July 2017*

**Chair of Governors: Niema Bohrayba**

### **KEY STAGE 2 LIBRARIANS APPOINTED**



Mrs Hodgson and Mrs Galling have had their first meeting with the newly appointed Librarians. Jack, Anna, Casey, Sabina, Cody, McKenzie, Ayesha and Harvey-Jack were all keen to get 'stuck in' and tackle the growing pile of books which need organising in our school library.

Over the forthcoming months the children will be working with Mrs Hodgson and Mrs Galling, to shape the development of the library.

Badges have been ordered and once they arrive our new Librarians will be presented with their badges in assembly.

### **WRITING COMPETITION SUCCESS!**

Last year children from Mr Hankin's class entered the Young Writers' Crazy Creatures Competition - with over 40,000 entries this year it's a popular event with the prospect of winners having their stories published in a book that will go on sale in January 2018.



Incredibly this year we have achieved unprecedented levels of success with many of our children, some now in Year 7 and others in Year 6, having been selected to have their stories published. Parents of the children involved will be receiving letters and an opportunity to buy the book and really celebrate their children becoming published authors! We look forward to getting our own copies of your children's work in published format - if you are interested in getting your hands on a copy please speak with Mr Hankin or the admin team who will be pleased to help you source one. Congratulations to everyone involved!

### **CHRISTMAS DATES - GET THEM IN YOUR DIARY!**

**Christmas Activity Afternoon and Evening Disco** - Friday 1st December

**Foundation Stage Christmas Performance** - Thursday 7th December - AM

**Key Stage 1 Christmas Performance** - Tuesday 5th December - PM ; Wednesday 6th December - AM

**Key Stage 2 Christmas Performance** - Thursday 7th December – PM ; Monday 11th December – evening ; Tuesday 12th December - AM

**'Wear a Christmas Jumper' Day** - Friday 8th December

**Christmas Extravaganza** - Saturday 9th December

Open Afternoon - 1.00-3.00pm

Xmas Fayre - 3.00-5.00pm

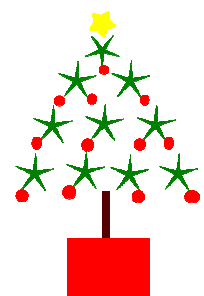
Singing Around the Tree - 5.00-6.00pm

**Christmas Visit to St. Luke's Church, Milber** - Tuesday 12th December – PM

**Christmas Lantern Parade** - Newton Abbot - Wednesday 13th December – evening

**Christmas Dinner** – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December

**Final Celebration Assembly of Autumn Term** - End of Term - Friday 15th December - 9.00am



## EXCITING BABY NEWS!

Some of you may have noticed that Mrs Cousins has a growing bump! Mrs Cousins has asked us to let you know that she is delighted to announce the eagerly anticipated arrival of 'baby Cousins' late in the spring term, both Mrs Cousins and her husband are pleased to be selecting paint colours for the nursery in their new home!



We will let you know the arrangements for covering the maternity leave of Mrs Cousins nearer the time, as these will be developed over the first half of the spring term.

In the meantime, I am sure that you will be keen to congratulate Mrs Cousins on her exciting news!



## DRESSING UP AT LUNCHTIMES

Following our request for any spare dressing up clothes to support children having fun at lunchtimes we have received fantastic donations from the families of Katie Dymond and Layla Owen - many thanks to you all. If you know that you have unwanted or unused dressing up costumes at home please pass them on to Mrs Louise, our lunchtime team will make great use of them.

## CELEBRATING SUCCESS

As part of our Social and Emotional Aspects of Learning the whole school are thinking about 'SEAL – Getting on falling out'. Our **Community Celebration** on **Friday at 9.00am** in the school hall will shine the spotlight on the following celebration of our **Core Offer**:



### 'I make an active contribution to the classroom community'

- Mrs Galling has nominated Nia Cartmill
- Mr Hampton has nominated William Gidley
- Miss Butler has nominated Lewis Bradley & Harriet Edmonds
- Mrs Penn has nominated Nevaeh Teague & Louie Satterley-Bowden
- Mr Franklin has nominated Thomas Bell
- Miss Shopland has nominated Caleb Sims
- Mrs Cousins has nominated Jayden Harry
- Mr Worth has nominated Ruby Cane
- Miss Cameron has nominated Chloe Packer
- Mr Blurton has nominated Sophia Cole

## AMBASSADOR AWARDS

Mrs Galling would like to nominate Michaela from Year 5 for the manner in which she approached Mrs Galling in seeking the whereabouts of Mrs Louise, she clearly explained why she required Mrs Louise. Thank you.



Mrs Galling would like to nominate Sydney, Cody, Chloe-May, Joshua-Paul and Jamie for the way in which they support Charlie in being reunited with his scooter. Thank you!

Ryan Cude has been nominated by Mrs Galling for supporting Year 2 in Friday's Celebration Assembly, this supported Mrs Galling in being able to concentrate on her task of leading the assembly. Thanks Ryan!

Lacie Orchard-Barker has also been nominated by Mrs Galling for thoughtfully approaching Mrs Galling to ask if she was needed to support a Foundation Stage child in Friday's assembly.

Sophia Wright's mum has nominated Sophia for an award this week, as when Sophia's mum forgot to bring into school her packed lunch, Sophia chose to have a school dinner, even though she does not usually have a school dinner.

Michaela Wright's mum has nominated Michaela for an award this week, for doing really well at going into class on her own in the mornings.

Tiffany Trott would like to nominate Evelyn Kendall for an award as Evelyn helped with the playleaders obstacle course.

## SAFEGUARDING – EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY

Concerned about a child? If you have serious concerns about a child or young person, or if you need help parenting your child you can call 0345 155 1071 or email [mashsecure@devon.gcsx.gov.uk](mailto:mashsecure@devon.gcsx.gov.uk). Out of hours please call 0845 6000 388. If it is an emergency dial 999.

## KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Halloween and Guy Fawkes Disco – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

Flu immunisation Clinic (Reception & Years 1-4 only) – Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November

School Photographer for individual photos – Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November



## ATTENDANCE

OVERALL	F1	F2	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
94.5%	87.7%	88.7%	93.5%	99.4%	93.8%	96%	98.7%	93.8%