



# Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery

*Learning together - enjoying success - aiming high - celebrating difference – enriching community*

## Weekly Newsletter – 21<sup>st</sup> June 2017

*“Assisted by high quality care tailored to each individual’s needs, pupils and their parents are welcomed into a vibrant school which raises aspirations and expectations of what pupils can achieve”*

*OFSTED October 2012*

### Chair of Governors: Niema Bohrayba

#### **SCHOOL DINNER MONEY – REMINDER**



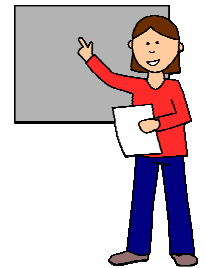
Please can we remind parents/carers that school dinner money should be paid to the school daily on the days your child requires a lunch (£2.20) or on a Monday morning for the whole week (£11.00).

Several parents are still not following our policy which can have an impact on our weekly banking procedures in school.

Please speak with the school office if you have any queries.

#### **AN AMAZING PRESENT ABOUT WHY OUR SCHOOL IS SPECIAL**

On the afternoon of Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June our Year 6 School Councillors - Ashton Harry and Lauren Byrne - went along to the final Newton Abbot School Council meeting at Coombeshead Academy. They presented a Powerpoint that they had created around the theme 'Why Our School is Special'. Mr Whiffen, who chaired the meeting and is an Assistant Head at the school, said that it was the best presentation that he had seen in the last four years of running the Council. What he felt was even more impressive was the presentation skills that they demonstrated and the confidence displayed by Lauren and Ashton. He couldn't believe that they had created the presentation themselves - planning, researching and creating it without adult help.



Mrs Levers was also incredibly impressed (and proud) of the way that they collaborated on the project, spending their own time on it as well as learning time, and treated it as a serious learning experience. Well done on their effort and achievements.

#### **MR HAMPTON AND MRS GALLING MEET A NEW MEMBER OF THE COMMUNITY**



Mr Hampton and Mrs Galling were delighted to meet with Father Nick Debney, who is the new Parish Priest for St Lukes' Church.

Mrs Galling and Mr Hampton were keen to hear about Father Nick's experiences of working with schools in his previous parish in Dartmouth. Mr Hampton gave Father Nick a tour of the school, as well as introducing staff and children along the way.

We hope that Father Nick will become a familiar face in our school over the forthcoming year.

#### **ICE POP SALE – THURSDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

The Coffee and Cake team are organising an **ice pop sale on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June at 3.15pm in the Courtyard.**

Bring your pennies for an after school treat!



## SOME IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Summer Extravaganza** - Friday 14th July

**Sports Day** - Wednesday 12th July,

**Last day of Summer Term** – Tuesday 25th July

**First day of Autumn Term for children** – Tuesday 5th September



## SUMMER EXTRAVAGANZA - FRIDAY 14TH JULY



It has become quite a tradition that the day of our big Summer activities - picnic, fete and disco - is a non-school uniform day. This will continue to be the case for this year alongside a request for contributions of prizes for our 'beach themed' tombola. Be imaginative about the link between the theme and what you feel able to provide, we're not that fussy! We're thinking buckets & spades, hats, water pistols, suncream, after-sun (!), craft materials, ice poles, fun sunglasses - but we're sure you'll come up with more! Thanks as always for your support.

## SUMMER EXTRAVAGANZA – 'ON THE BEACH'

We are pleased to announce that our theme for this year's Summer Extravaganza is 'On the Beach'. With this in mind Mrs Louise is launching an 'open craft competition' for children, working with adults if they'd like to get involved, **to create anything with anything**, with our theme in mind.

**The closing date for entries will be 13th July – the 14th July (Friday) will see us share and celebrate creations during our morning assembly.**

As usual please bring in your creations as soon as they are complete – they will go on display in the HUB in the build up to our big day.

## PARENT QUESTIONNAIRES – HAVE YOUR RETURNED YOURS?



Remember to return your parent questionnaire to be in with a chance of winning the **£50 Argos voucher.**

The draw will take place in Celebration Assembly on **Friday 14th July.**

## CELEBRATING SUCCESS



As part of our Social and Emotional Aspects of Learning the whole school are thinking about 'SEAL – changes'. 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 think about what I do and say, knowing that it affects not just me but others around me as well'**

- Mr Hampton has nominated Kelsey Anderson
- Miss Butler has nominated Kailum Brailey
- Miss Broomfield has nominated Nia Cartmill
- Mr Franklin has nominated Bobby Barr
- Miss Shopland has nominated Aimee-Nicole Lister
- Mrs Cousins has nominated Preston Donald
- Miss Cameron has nominated Caitlin Mortimore
- Mr Blurton has nominated Ella White

## AMBASSADOR AWARDS

Mrs Galling would like to nominate Leo Pressland for an award this week, for holding a really great conversation on equality with another pupil in school. Well done Leo.



## 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.

## ATTENDANCE

Please remember: If your child is not going to attend school, we would be very appreciative if you can spend a few minutes to contact the school office. If we are unable to contact you via text message or telephone, your child's absence will be recorded as **unauthorised.**

OVERALL	F1	F2	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
96.1%	92.6%	95.3%	97.4%	95.8%	96.7%	95.9%	96.8%	96.6%