



# Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery

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

## Weekly Newsletter – 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2020

*'.....children making good and often rapid progress.....'*

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### Chair of Governors: Niema Bohrayba

#### **CAR PARKING ON SANDRINGHAM ROAD AND QUEENSWAY**



Parking on local roads before and after school is a challenge with limited space available. Could we please appeal to everyone's sense of community and safety and ask that, whatever the circumstances, you **avoid parking on the yellow hatched areas close to the school gates, parking in front of residents driveways, or within the coned off area alongside the Co-op.** Even if on stopping for a short while parking in these areas can make crossing the road or walking along paths treacherous for children and adults.

We want everyone to arrive in school safely each day - please play your part and help to keep all of our community safe on their walk to school by parking considerately.

#### **PHOTO CONSENT - THANK-YOU!**

You will be aware that we have been working with all families since before Christmas to secure your perspectives and permissions with regard to the sharing of your children's name and image. The aim of this is to ensure that we are meeting expectations in law, with as little impact as possible upon how we celebrate and share your children's successes and role in school.

We are pleased to say that our efforts are now complete and you will once again be seeing children's names on newsletters as well as photos in school and online, where appropriate permissions are held. We are grateful for the time and effort that you have put into considering the permission you want to give. Our first step will see us once again publishing the names of children nominated for praise assembly on our newsletter! Take a look at this one for more information on this week's nominations!

#### **BAD WEATHER ARRANGEMENTS**

With a cold snap this week reminding us that we are well and truly into winter now it seems an appropriate time to remind everyone of how you would be notified in the event of a school closure due to bad weather. With School Gateway now in place we would expect you to be advised of any change in normal arrangements via text message and via the school's website [www.haytorview.devon.sch.uk](http://www.haytorview.devon.sch.uk).

Whilst there is no bad weather anticipated at the moment, should this situation change we would be aiming to contact you via the website or by text by 7.45am on the morning of any decision being made. Should we be in for a typical Devon winter we can be hopeful that such extreme circumstances will be avoided!

#### **PARENTS CONTACTING SCHOOL - CHANGES IN COLLECTION ARRANGEMENTS**

We appreciate that sometimes your plans can change, which means you need to make changes in the collection arrangements for your child. On such occasions, we would wish to have as much notice as possible of changes, in order that we can update the daily class log sheet in the office. If you are able to inform the office of any changes in the morning, it will best enable us to effectively support the end of day handover for your child.



There is a **2.30pm deadline** for contacting the office of any changes to collection arrangements, in order that we can put our internal processes in place and guarantee that your child receives the message.

**We are not able to action any changes after 2.30pm, other than in the case of an emergency.**

We expect these changes to be rare, where we are concerned as to ongoing changes of arrangements, Mrs Galling or Mr Hampton will pick these conversations up direct with parents.

## **GREEN TOKEN FUNDING - ASDA**

We are very pleased to announce that Asda have accepted our request for the development of our Forest School area to be a nominated project in their 'Green Token competition' from January – March 2020!

What does that mean? It means you need to spread the word and getting all of your friends, family and others to make sure that they drop their Green Token into the Haytor View box every time that they go shopping at Asda, Newton Abbot. With the prospect of some great funding coming our way if we can be first or second when the tokens are totalled, we really need your help!

Community Life

You choose

Use your green token in store to vote for one of the three local good causes.



## **SCHOOL UNIFORM TOO SMALL? DONATE IT TO US!**

So often children grow out of school shirts, skirts, jumpers and cardigans before they are worn out. If you have any school uniform that is in good condition and no longer being worn, please bring it into us and leave it at the reception desk. We will happily make sure that it is used again, and at the same time raise funds for the school. On a similar note, if there is uniform that you need don't hesitate to check out our rail in the HUB - we only offer clothes in good condition so it's always worth a look before spending more than you need!

## **CELEBRATING SUCCESS**

As part of our Social and Emotional Aspects of Learning the whole school are thinking about 'SEAL – Going for Goals'. 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 can share my opinions and listen to those of others respectfully even when they are different to my own'**



- Mr Hampton has nominated Tyler
- Miss Butler has nominated Kyla and Lily
- Mrs Penn has nominated Thomas and Jaygo
- Mrs Hall has nominated Madison
- Mr Franklin has nominated Freya
- Mr Whitty has nominated Aaron
- Mrs Cousins has nominated Lilly
- Mr Hankin has nominated Mia
- Miss Cameron has nominated Kyron

## **AMBASSADOR AWARDS**

We are always happy to receive nominations for ambassador awards from parents. If somebody impresses you in a way that you are keen to see celebrated, please let the office know. We are now in a position to celebrate children more directly on the newsletter, in the majority of cases being able to use their name. When sharing a nomination the office team will ask if you are happy to have your name published as we share your story. Easy!



Kallum would like to nominate Natalie for an Ambassador Award. Sadly Kallum had his bike stolen recently, discovering this before coming to school. He wants to say thank-you to Natalie for 'guiding him through' his early morning and making him feel better through the words that she used.

Miss Shopland would like to nominate Jayden for an ambassador award for considering his own and others' safety and comfort in a very sensible way. Jayden was researching volcanoes online when he noticed a link to a page about guns that he thought would be not appropriate for school. Jayden immediately made an adult aware of this so that this page could be added to the schools own list of filtered sites, which sits alongside the Devon/ South West Grid for Learning list, keeping children in schools safe online. Well done Jayden!

## **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 – WELL DONE TO YEAR 3/4 B1 AND YEAR 5**

OVERALL	Found B1 SB	Found B2 SJP	Year 1 RH	Year 2 IF	Year 3/4 B1 JW	Year 3/4 B2 MC	Year 5 AS	Year 6 GH
96%	93.5%	87.1%	97.2%	97%	100%	98.6%	100%	90.7%