









### **Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery**

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

### Weekly Newsletter – 30th March 2022

'....commitment to ensuring that all pupils are afforded the best opportunity to achieve is at the centre of every decision.....' OFSTED July 2017

**Chair of Governors: Robert Doets** 

### **SCHOOL COMMUNITY UPDATES**

It has certainly felt spring-like in school over the past week with some glorious weather. With the school field now being used for play and P.E. on good weather days, it feels like summer is on the way!

Thanks to everyone who supported the Mothers' Day raffle last week whether as planners, organisers or ticket buyers. The draw was held in blazing sunshine and it really felt like the start of a new chapter of being able to come together again.



What's more - £178 was raised! Next up is the Bake Off with cakes arriving in school next Thursday 7th April! We hope you have some fun with this.

#### GET ON YOUR BIKE! FREE FAMILY ACTIVITY DAY - THURSDAY 14TH APRIL

Head for the Community Centre for lots of cycling related activities during the Easter Break. An Activity Day on Thursday 14th April could see you making your own smoothie on a blender bicycle, trying out radio production and getting crafty right through to getting tips and trails for family bike rides and testing out a bike trailer or bike! You can also get your bike repaired for free (subject to availability of parts). Bring your own bike along if you have

- 10am 2pm Buckland Community Centre
- Free Lunch

one.

- Free bike repairs
- No need to book, just turn up!

#### COUNCILLOR JANET BRADFORD VISITS SCHOOL

Haytor View hosted a visit from the Newton Abbot Councillor on Wednesday, she spent time with Mrs Galling and Miss Shopland asking questions about provision for children with SEND, to develop her awareness. The Councillor explained that she was part of a group of people reviewing SEND provision within the local authority, she then had a tour of the school. She commented on positive environment of the school and the school's vision for all children. We look forward to seeing more of her!



We have two visitors with us on Wednesday 30th March too – Helen Eversett and Amanda Burrows from Devon County Council will be spending the day getting to know our school and supporting us in bringing you and your children the best provision. You may see them on the courtyard - do make them feel welcome!

#### **HAYTOR VIEW BAKE OFF 2022**

Haytor View Bake Off is back for 2022! This is an excuse to get together with your children and have some fun in the kitchen!

Remember bakes and cakes need to be with us on Thursday 7th April for 'judging' and



#### then to be sold in our end of day cake sale. Have some yummy fun! KEEP SAFE WHEN ARRIVING AND LEAVING SCHOOL

The school gates open at 8.30am ahead of doors to classes opening giving access to the courtyard. Please take care of yourselves and your children if you arrive ahead of gates opening. At the start and end of the day the car park and driveway are in active use. We would encourage you to not allow your children to ride scooters in the car park and driveway area during this time. We also encourage you to keep your children close to you when arriving and leaving the school site, as this will keep your children safe.



#### SCHOOL MEAL PRICE INCREASE FROM 25TH APRIL 2022

Following our recent letter sent home to parents via email (also available to view on the School Gateway app), just a reminder that school meal prices will increase from £2.40 per day to £2.45 per day (£12.25 per week) from  $25^{th}$  April 2022.



#### FREE FOOTBALL ADMISSION

Buckland Athletic is a football club right in the heart of the Newton Abbot community. As well as our first team that plays in the Western League Premier Division, we run many youth teams and have a very successful women's section. We are offering Haytor View families the opportunity to experience a Western Premier League match for free at a home match of their choice. Vouchers are available in school giving free admission for a family of up to four. Upcoming matches include;

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> April v Street - Kick off at 3pm
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April v Tavistock - Kick off at 3pm
Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April v Bitton - Kick off at 7-30pm

For more details visit <a href="https://bucklandathletic.co.uk">https://bucklandathletic.co.uk</a>



# MRS GALLING SPENDS TIME WITH SOME KEY STAGE 1 PHONICS SUPERSTARS!

Mrs Galling enjoyed a great afternoon last Monday, she joined some Key Stage One children who were working with Miss Cameron on their phonics learning. There was so much to celebrate, firstly their enthusiasm for their learning, secondary their focus in sounding out new words, thirdly being brave and 'having a go.'



Thank you to Logan, Lewi, Eris, Cyrus and Maisie for giving Mrs Galling a phonics experience to remember!

# HAVE YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES CHANGED? ARE YOU ENTITLED TO FREE SCHOOL MEAL SUPPORT?

We are continuing to have families who have just discovered that they are entitled to free school meals and we have been able to assist them in accessing this support. Are you wondering whether recent changes mean that you may now be entitled to free school meals? Please contact us on 01626 203040 if you want support to explore whether you are eligible.



#### CELEBRATING SUCCESS – 'EVERY CHILD HAS COMFORT WITH WHO THEY ARE'

This week we are encouraging children to celebrate the way in which they engage with the school's Core Offer, particularly how they are connecting with those around them as part of our focus on 'good to be me'. Children will be spending time thinking about **Good to be Me and Healthy Me**. Children will also be exploring **Respectful Attitudes:** I demonstrate an understanding of mutual respect, I treat people with respect and know that this will influence how people treat and view me. This week teachers will be paying special consideration to those children who demonstrate the following:

## 'I show really good understanding of how to keep myself safe, including what to do if I feel unsafe'

- Mrs Galling has nominated: Kayden Grant
- Mrs Penn has nominated: Ruben Cooper and Levi Bush
- Miss Hall has nominated: Rio Davis
- Mr Franklin has nominated: Guy Pascoe
- Miss Cameron has nominated: Tamera McPeake
- Mrs Brown has nominated: Ruby Luxton
- Mrs Cousins has nominated: Tilly Barr
- Miss Manley has nominated: Darcie-Jane Davis



#### **ATTENDANCE**

Please find below the attendance information for each class last week, great effort. Well done!



OVERALL	Found B1	Found B2	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	SB	SJP	RH	IF	SB	MC	JM	GH
94.3%	90.1%	93%	93.1%	96.3%	99.3%	97.9%	93.3%	90.1%