

Hadleigh Infants and Nursery School Newsletter No 8 - 4 November 2022

Holiday Dates -

Last Day of Autumn Term - Tuesday 20th December 2022. School closes at 1:30pm

Return to School - Thursday 5th January 2023

February Half Term - Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February 2023

PA News:

Thank you to everyone who has purchased firework tickets for 11th November. Wristbands will be sent home next week. Please be aware that no tickets will be available on the gate. Gates open at 5.30pm, display starts at 7pm. Hot food, Krispy Kremes, glow in the dark facepaints and glowies will be available to purchase on the night.

We would like to thank everyone for their generous donations from Monday's non-uniform day.

Save the dates:

11th November - HINS and HJS annual Fireworks Night

26th November - HINS PA Christmas Fayre 11am-2:30pm 15th December - After School Christmas Discos

Reception/Yr1/Yr2 - booking forms will be

available soon

Dates for your Diary -

7th November - 15 January 2023 - Reception applications open

- Junior School applications open

8th and 10th November - Parent/Teacher Meetings

9th November - Extra Nursery Parent/Teacher Meetings

9th and 10th November - Reception Road Safety Presentation

11th November - Remembrance Day

14th November - Odd Socks Day

- 1.30-2.30pm Year 2 Parent Junior School Tours

16th November - 9.30-10.30am Year 2 Parent Junior School Tours

18th November - Children in Need Non-Uniform Day - see

donation payment information on page 2 $\,$

21st November - World Cup Starts

- Flu Immunisations - Consent forms have been

sent by email

23rd November - PE Character Event

7th December - Bedtime Stories

12-16th December - Christmas Performances

14th December - Christmas Dinner

19th December - Christmas Parties

20th December - Pantomime

Achievers of the Week -

Explorers: Jaxon W

Stars: Harper Moons: Jayvion Rockets: Molly

Planets: Leo Astronauts: JJ Flying Saucers: Alfie

Galaxies: Henry H Asteroids: Aaliyah Satellites: Skylar

Attendance Heroes -

Planets: Ranya D Astronauts: Max C Flying Saucers: Maddison C

Galaxies: Harvey B Asteroids: Phoebe A Satellites: Isla A-D

LUNCH MENU – WEEK COMMENCING 7th NOVEMBER 2022

Monday - Pasta Neapolitan with Crusty Bread and Roasted Broccoli or Jacket Potato with Cheese/Tuna Mayo and Fruit Platter

Tuesday – Hot Dog or Veggie Hot Dog served with Lightly Seasoned Wedges and Corn on the Cob and Homemade Cookie

Wednesday - Sticky Chicken or Quorn Dippers with Herby Potatoes, Carrots and Green Beans served with Garlic Bread and Yoghurt

Thursday - Chicken and Tomato Pasta Bake or Tomato and Lentil Pasta Bake with Carrots and Fruit Crumble and Custard

Friday - Omega 3 Fish Fingers or Omelette with Chips and Baked Beans and Ice Cream Sponge

NEWS ...

It was lovely to come back to school on Monday with the children and staff all dressed up in keeping with our National Magic Day theme.

Our Open Evening last night was a huge success with at least 64 families coming to look around our school with either a Nursery or Reception place in mind for September 2023.

Parents who have children transitioning to Junior school next year please note the dates on the front page of this newsletter for visits to Hadleigh Junior School.

Applications for Reception Year and Year 3 Junior School September 2023 intake will be open between 7th November and 15th January 2023. The following link gives you all the information you need to know about the process: www.essex.gov.uk/admissions. Please ensure you apply between those times as late applications could mean your child misses out on a place at your preferred school. You must apply even if your child attends our Nursery or is in Year 2 at the Infant school and is transferring to the Junior school. We have attached an admissions brochure which explains the whole process.

Remembrance Day and Poppy Appeal - We are hoping to be joined by Don Sheppard for our Remembrance assembly on Thursday 10th November. Our Reception children have created a video to show the whole school different ways to make the poppies and wreaths we display as part of our special assembly.

The children in Reception will be selling Poppies in school for a donation from Monday. We also have Poppy Appeal pencils, rulers, rubbers and Poppy reflectors for sale - suggested donation £1.

Odd Socks Day - We are very proud to say that we will be taking part in Odd Socks Day again this year. All your child needs to do is wear odd socks to school! It's a great way to celebrate what makes us all unique in Anti-Bullying Week. Odd socks day will be held on Monday 14th November 2022. No donation is required.

Children In Need - On Friday 18th November, we will be supporting Children in Need, children are invited to come to school in non-school uniform. They can be dressed in any theme - Pudsey, spotty, yellow or whatever you feel is appropriate. All money raised will be sent to the charity to help them continue the fantastic work they do for children all over the UK.

Children in Need donations - as we are now a cashless school, donations can only be made through our payment system, School Money. If you are not already on the school money system please download the Teachers2Parents app:



teachers2parents

Next, use your mobile phone number to register, input the unique code that will be sent to you via your number and select the School Money option:





CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE INFORMATION



RECEPTION

Monday 12th December 2.30pm

Tuesday 13th December 9.15am

YEAR 1

Tuesday 13th December 2.30pm

Wednesday 14th December 9.15am

YEAR 2

Wednesday 14th December 2.30pm

Thursday 15th December 9.15am

Please note tickets for the performances will be issued nearer the time. Parents will be asked which performance they would prefer, although we will not be able to guarantee your first choice will be met. Tickets will be issued on a first come, first served basis.

EXPLORERS - Information regarding Christmas performances will follow in due course.