

Harwich Community Primary

School and Nursery

Newsletter - Friday 13th Sept '24
WOW - WHAT A WEEK!



The children have really settled well to their new teachers and classes. They are working well and showing exactly how good they can be.

OUR RECEPTION CHILDREN & PARENTS

A warm welcome to you all. Your children have been doing a grand job of doing their best to settle to big school! They are happy and I am looking forward to getting to know them and building good positive relationships with you all too.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

PTA Car Boot Sale - **Sunday 29th September**

Hello Yellow Day - **Thursday 10th October**

Parents Evening - **Tuesday 15th October 2pm onwards (10 minute appointments)**

Halloween Disco - **Wednesday 23rd October**

Breast Cancer Awareness - Pink Day - **Thursday 24th October**

Pantomime Sponsored Fun Run - **Thursday 7th November (Reserve Date Friday 8th November)**

Year 3 Class Assembly - **Friday 22nd November at 9:10AM**

Non-Uniform Day for Christmas fayre - **Friday 29th November**

Whole School Pantomime - **Tuesday 3rd December (Reception to Year 6)**

Nursery Nativity - **Wednesday 4th December at 10:30AM**

Whole School Christmas Movie Night - **Thursday 5th December at 4:30PM**

Reception Nativity - **Friday 6th December at 10AM**

KS1 Christmas Play - **Tuesday 10th December PM & Wednesday 11th December AM**

Year 6 WWII Afternoon - **Wednesday 11th December PM**

PTA Christmas Fayre & Christmas Jumper Day - **Thursday 12th December**

KS2 Christmas at The Movies - **Monday 16th December Year 3 & 4 Parents Tuesday 17th December Year 5 & 6 Parents - both at 2:15PM**

Christmas Dinner Day - **Wednesday 18th December**

MEET THE TEACHER SESSIONS

It was so good to see so many of you at our 'Meet the Teacher' Meetings. Thanks for your support and we hope you get lots from them.

CLOAKROOMS - KS1

Please can I remind parents of KS1 children to drop off your children at the door to the cloakroom.

IF YOUR CHILD IS ILL

If your child is too ill to attend school, please can you call the school office and leave a message with child's name, class teacher and the reason for their absence. Please do not leave a message on DOJOS as these can often be missed.

LUNCH TIME MENU

We will be on **week 1** of our lunch menus. You can head over to our school website and find our menus there. They have not changed since the Summer menus whilst we work on autumn / winter choices.

CLASS DOJOS

When you have a query or would like to raise something with us please make the class teacher your first port of call and then if things do not improve and you are not satisfied then you can escalate this to myself.

Also can I remind you to only message between 8am and 5pm each week day.

STARS OF THE WEEK

Let's see who the stars of the week are in our second week back!

Reception - whole class

Year 1- Jahmelia

Year 2 -Phoebe

Year 3- Tate



Year 4 - Daisie

Year 5 - Luca

Year 6- Willow

Swimming stars- Faya and Kaiden

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

Reception - 96.4%

Year 1 - 97.1%

Year 2 - 91.2%

Year 3- 96.6%

Year 4 - 97.9%

Year 5 - 94.5%

Year 6 - 95.3%

This week's winners are Year 4 - well done! What a great start!

OUR SCHOOL RULES AND VISION

Our school rules are simple and are a common thread in all that we do here at Harwich Community Primary School. They are: -

Be Kind

Be Safe

Be Responsible

We also pride ourselves on our vision being 'Working Together to Achieve our Best'.

KINDNESS AWARD

This was a huge success last year and this week's kindness awards go to Kendall and Letesha



NAME IT OR LOSE IT!

Please can we urge you all to label everything. It is much easier to find items when they have been lost, run

away or been eaten by the lost property monster.

Why not try our **STICKINS** labels using this link below or use a sharpie pen on the clothing labels.

[Clothes Name Labels. Stick On School Name Labels, Name Tags: Stikins®](#)

Have a really good weekend and we will see you all on Monday.
Mrs Anderson



CAR BOOT SALE NEWS

I am pleased to announce that we will be holding a car boot sale on Sunday 29th September 2024.

Gates will open for sellers at 8:30am and then buyers from 9:00am will be welcome. Sellers will be charged £5 per car and buyers 50p to get in.



YEAR 6 PARENTS

As you may be aware, the new secondary school admission round opened on Thursday, 12 September 2024, for parents of current Year 6 children to apply for a secondary school (Year 7) place for September 2025. The statutory national closing date for applications is 31 October 2024.

Applications can be made online via www.essex.gov.uk/admissions.

MESSAGE FROM ME...

Please can I ask all parents to not leave school ground at drop off until Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 have left the playground. Many thanks