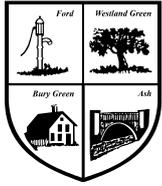


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'Believing and Achieving'

Friday 6th October 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

Well done to all our children for their lovely Harvest Presentations yesterday. Thank you to all those many, many parents who were able to join us and for supporting the children with their donation envelopes. I am sure that this will be a great addition to our growing Ugandan funds. Miss Dash, from Herts & Essex High School, is coming to talk to the children about her trip to Kigezi Primary School in the summer and share lots of photos with us on Tuesday 21st November at 10.30.am. Parents are most welcome to join us and hear all about our link school in Uganda.

Thank you also to those parents who came along to review Support Plans this week. I hope all parents have received a date and time slot for the Parent Consultation Evenings coming up next week. If you have not yet, please contact Mrs Erswell in the office. It is hoped that some of the Governing Body will be on hand during these evenings, so please do talk to them! Refreshments will be available in the KS2 Corridor, so please do help yourself.

Willow Class had a fantastic day going back to World War 2 at Braintree Museum this Wednesday. They really looked the part and were absolutely buzzing when they came back! Their Workshop Assembly should be highly entertaining!

Thank you to Emma Ranade and Gill Kirkpatrick for kindly volunteering to take the yellow Lost Property Bin under their wing - a bit of a challenge, ladies!

Thank you also to Max Ruddy's family for volunteering to make our Sand Play boxes, which means that we can soon put our super training to good use.
It is so great when a plan comes together! Thank you!

Parent Council

We have had some kind volunteers for Parent Councillors thus far -Mrs Purton for Ash, Mrs Evans for Beech, Sam Day for Lime but still looking for Maple and Willow Representatives, please. It would be good to have something concrete before half term and then maybe have a Coffee Morning to launch it first week back. Any Offers?

Adult Learning Course

Herts Adult Learning Services (HAFLS) are advertising their latest courses, which are often free, on their website hafls@hertfordshire.gov.uk, so do take a look or access their green prospectus outside my office, if you are interested.

Class Attendance Award

This week's joint top attenders are in Beech and Willow Classes with a superb 100%. Across the school, attendance was at 97.2%.

Going for Gold

The most Triplegold status were achieved in Willow Class, well done! Special mention goes to Alexis who achieved Super Gold status - congratulations!

Special Table

Next week's Special Tablers are Lilia, Keira, and Delilah, enjoy the top table experience!

Friday Film Club

The new Film season will begin on Friday 3rd November and permission slips and subscription letter will be coming out next week in book-bags, so please look out for them.

Coming Up Next...

Mon 9th : Y6 Maths Club

Tues 10th : Thorley SpLD Base Meeting - am
DSPL3 Executive Meeting - Mrs Stockley pm
Parent Consultation Evening (1) 5.30-8.30pm

Wed 11th : Anxiety Awareness Training - am
Staff First Aid training (1) 3.30-5.30pm

Thurs 12th : Maple Class Trip to the Victorian Special at Colne Valley
Year 3 - Tri-Golf Festival
Parent Consultation Evening (2) 4-6.30pm

Week 2

Mon 16th : SEN Adviser visit, Katy Cole, with Mrs Stockley
Y6 Maths Club

Tues 17th : Governor Day - Writing focus
Catalyst Forest Network Meeting at Millennium Wood - 4pm

Wed 18th : SCEMA (STAGE) Network P4C morning for Y5/6 pupils across the network- am.
FRIENDS meeting - 8pm Nags Head, Little Hadham

Thurs 19th : Mrs Stockley & Mrs Lammin - Nurture Award Launch
Effort Awards Assembly 2.15pm All welcome.

Fri 20th : INSET Day offsite- Catalyst Teaching Alliance - **no children in school**
HALF TERM - children return Monday 30th October.

Thought for the week...

'No matter what the situation is, remind yourself - I have a choice!'

Some news in advance

Rather than hear through the jungle drums, I would just like to let parents know personally that this academic year will be my last at Little Hadham, as I will be retiring in the summer. This decision was very difficult to make, as I hope you all know how special Little Hadham is to me. However, having taught for nearly 44 years, I think I may now have earned my 'Gap Years'. Please be assured that I will be supporting the Governors in finding the right successor and will keep you posted, as the year unfolds.

Thank you for your ongoing support and hope it lasts for a bit longer!

Yours sincerely

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