

Hatfield Heath Primary School Weekly Bulletin

23rd November 2018

Message from Mrs Gelston

Thank you to the parents who were able to come along to the Anti-Bullying workshop last Friday. The feedback about the workshop was positive with parents expressing how valuable they found having the opportunity to talk together and share ideas. As time goes by, we will hold more workshops related to school development for parents to attend.

As promised, here is the total raised last week for Children in Need – we raised an incredible £426. Well done to the children and Mrs Jackman for raising such a fantastic amount of money.



History Comes Alive for Years 3, 4 and 5

Last week, children in Years 3, 4 and 5 all got to bring History alive with events/ visits.

Year 3 (Anning Class) had a 'Stone Age' day, coming to school dressed up and taking part in weaving, crocheting and pottery activities all day.



Year 4 (Archimedes Class) spent the day in Colchester at the castle. The class spent the day exploring the museum to support their knowledge of the Romans and even got to visit the vaults underneath the temple. During their day they built model houses (Celtic and Roman) and were complimented on their wonderful teamwork and extensive knowledge of this time in History. Well done Year 4!



Year 5 (Galileo Class) had an 'Anglo-Saxon' day, also coming into school dressed up and taking part in studying artefacts (and not guessing that one was actually an earwax scoop!!), making brooches and attacking each other in their clans!



National Road Safety Week

This year the theme for National Road Safety Week has been 'Bikesmart'. The purpose of this week has been for schools to teach children how to stay safe when cycling but also for other road users to look at



how they also keep cyclist safe.

Alongside this week's newsletter you will receive two information leaflets from Brake, the charity that supports National Road Safety Week. Hopefully you will find them useful.

Badminton Festival



On the 16th November 8 children from Year 6 went to Mark Hall to play badminton. The children played games of singles and doubles against other schools within Harlow. Miss Harris and Mrs Dawson were incredibly impressed at how the children's skill developed throughout the morning and we even got some very tense rallies going! The two teams did brilliantly and won many of their matches. Well done to Matilda, Dan, Max and Jess who came second in their group and to Daisy, Sam, Bradley and Willow who came first in their group and progressed to the semi-finals.

Breakfast Club Letter

Please check that you have received the letter regarding views and needs for a school Breakfast Club. The reply slip at the bottom will need to be returned by Wednesday 28th November. Thank you.

Dates for the Diary

Date	Event
Wednesday 28 th November	Christmas Art Competition entries in school The Book People Book Bus Visit
Friday 30 th November	PFA Christmas Fair (After School)
Monday 3 rd December	Hasbro Gaming Competition entries back
Tuesday 11 th December – 2.00pm	Year 1 & 2 Christmas Play for Parents
Wednesday 12 th December – 6.00pm	Year 1 & 2 Christmas Play for Parents
Thursday 13 th December – 9.45am/ 2.30pm	Reception Christmas Singalong for Parents
Friday 14 th December	Non-Uniform Winter Jumper Day
Tuesday 18 th December	Reception, Year 1 and 2 Classes at the Pantomime
Wednesday 19 th December	PFA Quiz Night
Friday 21 st December	Last Day of Term
Monday 7 th January 2019	INSET Day – Pupils not in school
Tuesday 8 th January 2019	Pupils return to school