



Hundon Community Primary School
Newsletter
Friday 18th January 2019



Link to our website is www.hundon.suffolk.sch.uk

Head Teacher's Awards for Week Ending: 18/1/19

Acorn Class ~ Edward Basham

Willow Class ~ Luke Richardson ~ Walsh & Lacie Boothby

Oak Class ~ Ashley Marshall & Lowen Nash

Hawthorn Class ~ Lola Slater & Jess White

A little note from Mrs Fitzgerald...

Another week done... tick...gosh time is flying! It has been a pleasure to walk around the building seeing our children focused and engaged, demonstrating excellent learning behaviour in their lessons ~ well done everyone!

As mentioned last week we have lots of fantastic learning themes and opportunities planned including our Author Visit from James Campbell next week ~ if you get chance to look up him up do, I know the children are going to enjoy his visit. There are more details at the end of this newsletter too!

Hawthorn Class shared some super learning with a focus on Music in their presentation this afternoon. They certainly have been working hard!

Have a lovely weekend ☺

Warm regards, Mrs Fitzgerald

SEVERE WEATHER

Every effort will be made to keep the school open in severe weather. The school would only close if it is no longer safe for staff and pupils to travel to school and be on site.

We recognise that it is important that our school remains open so parents are able to work and pupils can continue to learn. Therefore, we will make every effort to prepare for severe weather.

Information about school closure will be posted:

- On local radio
- On the School Website
- Via the Suffolk County Council website: <http://schoolclosures.suffolk.gov.uk/>
- Via our Facebook page
- On ParentMail

NATIONAL CURRICULUM STATUTORY ASSESSMENT DATES

KEY STAGE ONE	YEAR 2 READING AND MATHS ASSESSMENTS (Y2) TEACHER ASSESSED WRITING (Y2)	ADMINISTERED IN MAY
	YEAR 1 PHONICS CHECK	ADMINISTERED Week beginning Monday 10th June
KEY STAGE TWO	YEAR 4 MULTIPLICATION TABLES CHECK (NATIONAL PILOT)	ADMINISTERED Monday 10th June to Friday 28th
	YEAR 6 KEY STAGE TWO ASSESSMENTS Monday 13 th ~ English grammar & punctuation Spelling papers 1 & 2 Tuesday 14 th ~ Reading Wednesday 15 th ~ Maths Papers 1 & 2 Thursday 16 th ~ Maths Paper 3	ADMINISTERED Week beginning 13th May

*We will schedule information sessions for parents as well as additional workshops / 'booster' sessions in the coming half-term and run up to the tests as needed.

Electronic Payments

Following requests via parent forum we are pleased to advise that payments for school trips in addition to paying for school meals can be made online from September. Please see the instructions below.

The links related to electronic payments are as follows: www.suffolk.gov.uk

School Meals

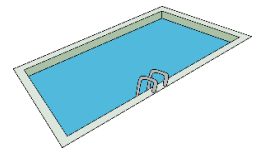
<https://secure.suffolkcc.gov.uk/customerservice/CSD/SCC/product.aspx?ProductID=EDSM01>

School Trips

https://secure.suffolkcc.gov.uk/customerservice/CSD/product.aspx?ProductID=SCC_T_SchoolList&SchoolProductName=SchoolTrips

SHALLOW WATER TRAINING AT THURLOW POOL

Lots of you will know our sister school, Thurlow, has an outdoor pool on site which pupils in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 at Hundon will have the opportunity to use during the summer term. Focus will be around water safety and confidence as well as the development of skills and most importantly, fun.



We wanted to make parents here at Hundon aware of an opportunity to undertake shallow water training. This will be on Tuesday 30th April and has a maximum of twelve places. These places are offered at cost ~ £25 per person; a place at a similar session, for example, the leisure centre in Bury St Edmunds would be £60 plus VAT per place. We are also hoping the amount of notice given, will provide individuals wishing to do the training sufficient time to make any arrangements necessary.

The training is three and half hours long and will run from 1.30pm until 5pm.

A deposit of £10 will secure your place, on a 'first come, first served' basis, payable as soon as possible, with the balance due by Friday 1st March. Please speak with Mrs Price or Mrs Mitson in the School Office who will be happy to help.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Others will follow but I know lots of you will want to get these onto the calendar as soon as possible. The team and I are currently working on a schedule of curriculum days and weeks, including some 'share' opportunities ~ we will keep you posted!

SPRING TERM 1

Wednesday 23rd January ~ Author Visit

Friday 25th January ~ Family Celebration Presentation with Oak Class

Friday 1st February ~ Family Celebration Presentation with Willow Class

Monday 4th February to Friday 8th February ~ Internet Safety Focus Week

Tuesday 5th February ~ OAK CLASS VISIT TO STANDSTED AIRPORT

Friday 8th February ~ Family Celebration Presentation with Acorn Class

Friday 15th February ~ HAWTHORN CLASS VISIT TO THE BOTANICAL GARDENS, CAMBRIDGE ~ details to follow

Friday 15th February ~ Family Celebration Presentation Only

HALF-TERM

Monday 18th February to Friday 22nd February

SPRING TERM 2

Monday 25th February ~ 'Sign Up' sheets for Parent Consultation Appointments available

Friday 1st March ~ Family Celebration Presentation Only

Monday 4th March to Friday 8th March ~ FAIR TRADE WEEK

Thursday 7th March ~ WORLD BOOK DAY

Friday 8th March ~ Family Celebration Presentation with Hawthorn Class

Monday 11th March to Friday 15th March ~ BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK

Wednesday 13th March ~ Mad Science Day

Tuesday 12th March ~ Parent Consultation Meetings ~ 1.15pm until 6pm

Friday 15th March ~ Family Celebration Presentation with Oak Class

Friday 22nd March ~ Family Celebration Presentation with Willow Class

Tuesday 26th March ~ OAK CLASS ITALIAN COOKING AFTERNOON

Friday 29th March ~ Family Celebration Presentation with Acorn Class

Friday 29th March ~ Parent Forum Session before Family Celebration Presentation at 2pm

Friday 5th April ~ Family Celebration Presentation Only

*Friday 5th April ~ **TERM ENDS***



Remaining Term Dates for the Academic Year 2018-2019

Spring Half Term

Begins 18 February 2019 ~ Ends 22 February 2019

Spring Easter Break

Begins 8 April 2019 ~ Ends 22 April 2019

Summer Term 2019

Begins 23 April 2019 ~ Ends 24 July 2019

23rd April & 24th May PD days

Summer Half Term

Begins 27 May 2019 ~ Ends 31 May 2019

James Campbell Author Visit

James Campbell is coming to our school this week ~ WEDNESDAY 23rd JANUARY, 2019.

James is an author, storyteller and a comedian.

James' books are available in all the usual bookshops and online places but he is going to bring a box of them with him so they can be sold after school. He is very happy to sign and dedicate them to your child. Hopefully this will help cement the experience of meeting a real author and inspire our children to write for themselves.

James' new book is called **The Funny Life of Pets** and is published by Bloomsbury. This is a hilarious look at the world of pets that everyone from Y2 to Y6 will love. It's particularly good for reluctant readers. This book costs £6.99.

James' four **Boyface** books are published by Hodder Children's Books. These are quirky and imaginative stories about a boy learning to find his place in a world of magical machines and unusual zebras. The titles are:

Boyface and the Quantum Chromatic Disruption Machine

Boyface and the Tartan Badger

Boyface and the Uncertain Ponies

Boyface and the Power of Three And A Bit

The Boyface books cost £5.99 each and are aimed at Y2, Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6. However, Y1 and Reception can enjoy them with a bit of help.

There is also an audio book available which is aimed squarely at Reception, Y1 and Y2. This is called **The Wimpety Wam and Other True Stories**, is a book to listen to on CD and includes The Umbrella Tree which James usually performs as part of his time with the younger children. This CD costs £4.99.

(James will be in the hall at the end of the school day)

FEBRUARY HALF TERM

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3G Pitch, The New Croft, CB9 0BW
9am-3.30pm £15.00. **Early Bird - £13.00**
8.30am-5.30pm £17.50 **Early Bird-£15.50**
Dates: 19th, 20th, 21st February

Dodgeball & Sports Camps

4-14 Year Olds - All Abilities
Westfield Primary Academy, CB9 0BW
9am-3.30pm £15.00 - **Early Bird £13.00**
8.30am-5.30pm £17.50 **Early Bird £15.50**
Dates: 18th & 22nd February

Nerf & Laser Camps

5-14 Year Olds - All Abilities
Westfield Primary Academy, CB9 0BW
9am-3.30pm £16.00 **Early Bird £14.00**
Dates: 19th & 21st February

Dance & Gymnastics Camps

4-14 Year Olds - All Abilities
Haverhill Gymnastics Club, CB9 8PR
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Dates: 18th February

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