



HPS Friday Bulletin

Friday 29 January 2016, forthcoming events for the week commencing 1 February 2016

Monday	1.2.16		
Tuesday	2.2.16		
Wednesday	3.2.16	3.30pm-4.30pm	Judo Club in the Chapel
Thursday	4.2.16	3.30pm-4.30pm	Art Club with Mrs Edwards
Friday	5.2.16	All day	Pupil progress meetings – all of our teachers will discuss the progress of every one of our students with Mr Green

Calendar Confusion

We all try really hard to make sure the school calendar is updated as regularly as possible, but this week I have discovered that there was a mistake with the dates of the Easter holidays. The holiday was somehow extended by a few days. I am sorry for this and have fixed the problem in the calendar. To be absolutely clear, we break up for Easter at the **end of school on Thursday 24 March** and the children **return to school on Tuesday 12 April**. Monday 11 April is an INSET day put aside for staff training.

Also on a calendar note, the children return to school after half term for the start of term 4 on **MONDAY 22 February**. There was some confusion about whether this was an INSET day; it is not.

The Wildlife Area

The PTA has very kindly donated £500 towards the cost of the next stage of renovating the small wildlife area at school. Mrs Edwards, along with considerable help from the PTA and volunteers, has already cleared the area and successfully managed to de-weed the site. We are planning to re-instate the pond and turn the area into a 'wildlife learning zone'. We'll post some pictures of the project on the Facebook page once it gets up and running.

Hot School Meals

Please be aware that when ordering hot school meals for the week commencing 21 March, you only need to order and pay for 4 days. We are not here on Friday as it is a Bank Holiday and the start of the Easter holidays.

In2 Hockey

Thank you to all Year 5 and 6 pupils who have returned their slips for the In2 Hockey Festival, planned for 26 February. If anyone else would like to participate please can you deliver your slips to school by Monday 1 February? Thank you.

Broughton Castle – Oak Class

Mrs Edwards would like to remind all pupils in Oak Class to return their permission slips for their planned trip to Broughton Castle on 11 February, together with any contributions, to school by Monday 1st February please.

HPS Achievements this week			
20 Effort Marks	50 Effort Marks	100 Effort Marks	House Points
		Benjy Atherton Emily Hunt	Buchan House - 130 Simon House - 189 Lively House - 205 Hawking House - 232
Work of the Week Sean Compton (Orchard Class) – for his progress in maths and for being able to work out the answer when adding 2 to a number, Leo Pearman (Oak Class) – for understanding that maps skills are really important when we want to find places in an atlas, Archie Holmes and Cameron Green (Willow Class) – for being able to work out a solution to their computer problem on Wednesday, and Archie Hillman and Harriet Rogers (Rowan Class) – for the effort they have put into learning their spellings this week			

With very best wishes,

Matt Green
Headteacher