

## Horndon-on-the-Hill C. of E. Primary School



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### NEWSLETTER

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27th April 2018

Dear Parents,

Wow! What a week! I can't believe how quickly it has gone and I am sat in my office and it's Friday already. We've had a very busy time recognising children for their attendance in the spring term, the children should be coming home with their bronze and silver awards. We also gave special progress certificates to those children who made that extra effort last term.

Well done if you received an award, keep trying hard if you didn't manage to this term.

#### Collective Worship

This week we talked about the metaphor that is often used in the bible where Jesus is referred to as a shepherd. We also talked about how he is referred to as the gate to protect his flock, like how shepherds would sleep across the door to prevent the flock from being harmed.

<https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/17XhhOvJqay4Z1xHd9dY65ZZrbdHzlexTd8wo49amVjA/edit#slide=id.p>

We also explored the theme of Spring and how is it that a bulb, with no brain or feelings, and after being in the cold ground for six months, knows when it is time to wake up and flower.

[https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1gCL9UVZboHsYNZYe3\\_7h1P7o7rB2Ba9ibiYSVfHULJo/edit#slide=id.p](https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1gCL9UVZboHsYNZYe3_7h1P7o7rB2Ba9ibiYSVfHULJo/edit#slide=id.p)

#### Mathletes of the Week

Year R ~ Veronica Hudson

Year 1 ~ Lucia Clarke

Year 2 ~ Rayan Mirza

Year 3 ~ Amelie Hattam

Year 4 ~ Archie Fay

Year 5 ~ Ruby Fant

Year 6 ~ Sienna Cowell



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## Achievement Certificates

Year R ~ Addison Best for being respectful to all grown ups and children at school, Ciara McAleenan for knowing her phonic sounds and using them in her writing and Oliver Burnett for growing independence when writing.

Year 1 ~ Lucia Clarke for representing numbers with base 10, Zachary Wickliffe for building towers using shapes and Elizabeth Rowlatt for reading words accurately in her reading book.

Year 2 ~ Chloe Phipps for always working to her best ability in lessons and Lucas Ablitt for trying really hard to complete work independently.

Year 3 ~ Madison Lucey for excellent effort in all written work, Frankie Upton for always giving 100% to his learning and Megan Collins for an improved attitude towards her learning.

Year 4 ~ Amelie Phipps for not giving up with difficult challenges, Mia Evans for always trying her best and Freddie Rainger for an improvement with his handwriting.

Year 5 ~ Adele Opperman for persevering and trying her best in all that she does and Jack Edgill for enthusiasm and persevering in maths.

Year 6 ~ Toni Awomolo for an amazing learning attitude and being helpful to others, Zachary Wells for an amazing attitude and outstanding progress in all areas of learning and Max Wylie for excellent mentoring of other pupils, understanding and care.

ICT ~ Charlie Bettis for always trying his best in computing and Alfie Jex for brilliant spreadsheet work.

## 100% attendance

Well done to all the children that have received their bronze and silver 100% attendance awards.

### Bronze

Nell McSweeney, Goerge Reekie, Eddy Shadbolt, Tylah Towlson-Payne, Kendell Gibbons, Alice Hagley, Archie Murray, Maizie Ellis, Darcy Georgiou, Noah Mayers, Brooke Reynolds, Clark Tree, Max Ward, Amber Burt, Noah Hudson-Read, Megan Langley, Madison Lucey, Olivia Andrade, Jemimah Balogun-Hicks, Sophie Davies, Miriam Ibiayo, Alexandar Macdonald, Isabel Mansfield, Sydney Towlson-Payne, Finlay Wright, Lily De'Ath, Evie Kilsby, Finlay Doyle O'Brien, Jack Frew and Jake Saunders

### Silver

Addison Best, Mollie Ketteridge, Charlie Crompton, Noah Dorling, Seun Ibiayo, Scarlett Rowlatt, Robin Turner, Ben Wells, Thomas Wheaton, Noah Wiggins, Valentino Wilsher, Amelia Burdett, Amelie Hattam, Alex Ketteridge, Daniel Carroll, Archie Fay, Sarah Ibiayo, Terry McNally, Luke Saunders, Leo Reynolds, Josh Wells, Enzo Wilsher and Emily Speight.

## School Office

Recently, the school has been unindated with telephone calls. Would you please ensure, in the first instance, you refer to the school website, school newsletter and parent voice.

We would also like to remind parents the office opening times are from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm.

**\*\*Congratulations\*\***

Huge congratulations to Evie Kilsby for representing the school at the Essex Cross Country Finals. Despite the very hot weather, she was amazing!



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## Letters on website

Yr 2 school trip to Leeds Castle

## Headteacher's Awards

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### April

Monday 30th April - Mock SATs - year 2

### May

Wednesday 2nd May - PGL drop in @ 2:45 - 3:30 pm

**Friday 4th May - Yr 2 - Leeds Castle payment deadline**

Friday 4th May - Yrs 4, 5 & 6 (non pgl) - Stubbers balance deadline

**Tuesday 8th May - Year 2 class trip to Leeds Castle**

Friday 11th May - Year 5 Learning workshop @ 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Saturday 12th May - FOHS - May Fayre

Monday 14th May to 18th May - SATs - Year 6

Monday 21st May - SATs - Year 2

Monday 21st May - Year 6 - Residential

Tuesday 22nd May - Class drop in @ 3:15 - 4:00 pm

Friday 25th May - Stubbers Yr 4 & 5 ( Yr 6 non res)

Friday 25th May - Last day of term

### June

Monday 4th June - First day of term

Wednesday 6th June - Sports Day

Thursday 7th June - Sports Day Reserve - In House (no parents)

Friday 8th June - Year 1 Learning workshop @ 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Monday 11th June - Phonics Screening

Tuesday 12th June - Kittle Photography - Class photographs (including Nursery)

Friday 15th June - Borough Olympics

Friday 22nd June - Year 4 Learning workshop @ 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Saturday 23rd June - Feast & Fayre Opening Service Horndon Church 10am (School Choir to sing)

Friday 29th June - Year 2 Learning workshop @ 2:00 - 3:00 pm

### July

Monday 2nd July to 6th July - Transition week

Tuesday 3rd July - Awards ceremony (selected children throughout the school)

Tuesday 10th July - Class drop in @ 3:15 - 4:00 pm

Friday 13th July - Reports sent to parents

Tuesday 17th July - Production 1:30 - 3:00 pm

Tuesday 17th July - Production 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Wednesday 18th July - KS1 Leavers Service Horndon Church 9.30am (Parents invited)



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Wednesday 18th July - KS2 Leavers Service Horndon Church 1.30pm (Parents invited)

Wednesday 18th July - Leavers Lunch

Thursday 19th July - Production 1:30 - 3:00 pm

Friday 20th July - Leavers assembly

Friday 20th July - FOHS - End of Summer Term Disco

Friday 20th July - End of term



Mr T R Martinson  
Headteacher



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## SCHOOL CLUBS

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast		<b>Tennis</b> ALL 8:00-8:40		<b>Aerobics &amp; kids fitness</b> ALL 8:00-8:40	
				<b>Hi-Five</b> Yrs 4,5 & 6 8:00-8:40	
Lunch	<b>Cricket</b> KS2 12:30-1:00	<b>WOW</b> KS2 12:15-1:00	<b>HSBC Bank</b> 12:00-12:30	<b>Rounders</b> ALL 12:30-1:00	
After school	<b>Infant Choir</b> KS1 3:05-4:15	<b>Dance</b> ALL 3:05-4:30	<b>Aerobics</b> 3:05-4:30	<b>Pottery Club</b> Yrs 3 & 4 3:05-4:00	<b>Football Club</b> Girls and boys Yrs 5 & 6 3:15-4:15 (weather permitting)
	<b>Drama</b> Divergent Drama 3:05-4:15 <b>Contact</b> <i>Kate/Vicky</i> <b>0208 0045557</b>	<b>CC4G</b> Yr 6 only ICT suite 3:05-4:15		<b>Omlet Club</b> KS2 3.05-4.00	<b>Star Sports</b> All pupils 3:05-4:30 <b>Contact</b> <i>Kev</i> <b>07976 756259</b>
	<b>Junior Choir</b> KS2 3:05-4:15			<b>Ju-jitsu</b> All pupils 3:10-4:10 <b>Contact</b> <i>Scott/Nancy</i> <b>07890 962455</b> <b>07484 322521</b>	

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# FRIENDS OF HORNDON SCHOOL

Next FOHS meeting: 8/5/18, 7.30pm

- 12/5/18, May Fayre
- Film Club Summer Term Date TBA
- Bingo Summer Term Date TBA
- Boot Sale Summer Term Date TBA
- 20/7/18, End of Summer Term Disco

## FOHS POST BOX

Situated on the green gate just before main office doors to the School.

**ANY IDEAS/SUGGESTIONS FOR FUND RAISING EVENTS, PLEASE LET US KNOW.** Any questions regarding FOHS, please contact Kim Towlson 07724848069 or [cst1952@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:cst1952@hotmail.co.uk)

Alternatively, send a message to our Facebook page 'Friends of Horndon School'.



Friends of Horndon School are pleased to be selling tickets for Adventure Island again.

This year we have:

Blue Wristbands for £15

Green/Red Wristbands for £12

You can get these through the village shop- High Road, Horndon on the Hill  
Or Contact Sarah Collins 07860 868640



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## SchoolBank

You will find the Schoolbank in the Learning Zone between 12.20pm and 12.50pm on the following Wednesdays:

### 2018 Schoolbank dates

9 & 16 May

13 & 27 June

4 & 18 July

Emily, Henry & Lottie, SchoolBank team

## West Horndon Youth FC (U10's)

**We are currently looking for yr 4 and yr 5 players who are interested in football. We have been established for 3yrs now and need more players locally to help the club to maintain a future in assisting in teaching grass root football to local youths.**

**We train on a Saturday morning at West Horndon park with no fee. We also have a team that plays for a local league. Games are on a Sunday morning and there will be opportunities for the youths to join if they wish.**

**Should your child be interested in joining please contact:  
Justin Manning  
07961407031**



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# MAY FAYRE

ON SATURDAY 12TH MAY 2018 1:30 to 4:30 pm

CASH PRIZE DRAW  
TOMBOLAS  
BARBEQUE  
BEER TENT AND FLAVOURED CIDERS  
CAKES

CRAFT STALLS  
TOYS, BOOKS  
\*INFLATABLES  
COCONUT SHY & GAMES  
\*MOBILE FARM

EVERYONE WELCOME!

**Gemma's Farm**

\*WRISTBANDS  
£5 OVER 5'S  
£3.50 UNDER 5'S

at HORNDON ON THE HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL  
HILLCREST ROAD, HORNDON ON THE HILL SS17 8LR

No dogs please  
Admission - Adults 50P Children free



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# OPEN DAY

## CHURCH OF ST PETER & ST PAUL

SATURDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> APRIL

10AM UNTIL 4PM



Fundraising stalls  
Face Painting  
Refreshments  
Open Registers  
Revds. Sue & Max in attendance  
Silent Auction

Free tea and coffee



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# MAY FAYRE

**Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> May 2018**

As summer approaches so does the May Fayre. Traditionally the Fayre is our biggest fundraiser allowing us to donate larger sums of money to the school which benefits our children.

Each year the Fayre adopts a theme and this year we have chosen a Farm Theme. Gemma's travelling farm will be attending, coupled with great inflatable's, a climbing wall, a variety of stalls and a tasty BBQ will all add to your enjoyment and make for a fun afternoon out...with a chance to "Win A Mini".

Each year we rely on your generosity by donating items for our stalls and of course your time to help out on the stalls. Our non-uniform day with a twist will be held on **27th April** – flyers have now been sent home.

We will be holding a Cash Prize draw on the day of the Fayre. Raffle tickets will be sent home shortly, with more available to purchase via School Reception. Chance to win cash prizes up to £100!!

We would also welcome donations of toys, soft toys, books, toiletries, raffle prizes and cakes – such donations can be left at the school office. Cake donations greatly appreciated on the day.

Without the generosity of your time it would be impossible for FOHS to host an entertaining day with something for everyone. If you are able to spare some time to help set up the Fayre or to man a stall we would be extremely grateful. *Please complete the slip below and post in the black FOHS post box (outside school Reception on the car park gate) if you are able to help.*

Many thanks in anticipation of your support.

## FOHS

Any questions queries please contact Lisa Reynolds, [lisamooch@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:lisamooch@yahoo.co.uk) or find us on our FB Page 'Friends of Horndon School'

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### Offer of Help at May Fayre

*Please post slip in FOHS Black Post Box (on outside gate next to Reception/School Car Park)*

Name:.....

Contact number:.....

Times available to help:

*Set up from 9:30am*

*Stalls from 1:15pm onwards*

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