



# Hill View Primary School

## Reach For The Stars.

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### HEAD TEACHER UPDATE

We have had an extremely busy week here at Hill View. I have had the opportunity to spend time in the Reception classes this week and have learnt all about their Integrated Curriculum project 'Ice Ice Baby'. The children were enjoying exploring life in an igloo, taking part in independent challenges such as tally charts for favourite fruits and making ice lollies using a range of materials.



Also, Associate School Leaders from REACH South visited us last week and were extremely impressed with how confident the children were and how enthusiastically they talked about their learning and recognised how positive the relationships were between the teachers and children. They wanted to thank both staff and children for the warm welcome and for making their visit so enjoyable.

As always the children have been demonstrating the values of the school, for example in assembly the children listen respectfully to one another when they have opportunities for partner talk and are confident to share their ideas with us. In the playground they take care of one another, treating each other with respect and the Peer Mediators are always on hand to support children who are in need of a friend.

As you can see it's been a great week again at Hill View!

Miss Victoria Buckland  
Headteacher

### YEAR 6 SATs PARENTS MEETING 6PM WEDNESDAY 23 JANUARY

We look forward to welcoming the parents of our Year 6 children to our meeting **tonight at 6pm**. Entrance in to school will be via the side gate and in Murray class. This is a fantastic opportunity to ask questions and learn ways to help support your child prepare for these tests. We will also have a limited amount of maths reasoning, grammar, punctuation and spelling and reading comprehension revision books available to purchase at a reduced price of £6.00 for three books, instead of £4.99 each in the shops.

We hope to see you there!

### YEAR 6 VISIT TO THE UNIVERSITY OF READING MUSEUM

Year 6 had spent an interesting day at Reading University yesterday, including a visit to the URE Museum of Greek Archaeology. The children enjoyed handling artefacts from both Ancient Egypt and Ancient Greece and learned about the uses of the different pots. The highlight for most however, was learning about mummification and the opportunity to mummify a sardine!



## Coming Up...

### Wednesday 23rd January

Y1 Great Fire of London Museum

1.15 - 1.45pm Van Gogh

1.50 - 2.20pm Monet

2.25 - 2.55pm Lowry

Y6 SATs Parents Meeting 6pm Y3  
Classroom

### Friday 25th January

INSET Day—school closed

Tues 29th & Thurs 31st January

9.15am Y2 Hansel and Gretel  
Performances

### Wednesday 30th January

PTFA Pantomime in school time

### 4 - 6th & 6 - 8th February

Y5 Residential Visit to Leeson House

### Monday 4th February

PTFA Meeting 7pm Y3 classroom

### Tuesday 5th February

9.00am Coffee Morning

School Nurse Drop In

### 18th—22nd February

Half Term

## Attendance

Week ending 19/01/19

96.7%

Best Reception Class:

Rosen: 99.33%

Best Year 1/2 Class:

Parks: 98.52%

Best Year 3/4 Class:

Simmonds: 99.67%

Best Year 5/6 Class:

Sharman 99.33%

## THE YEAR R QUAD REJUVENATION PROGRAMME

We are currently in the process of rejuvenating the outside play area for our Year R children, which is known in school as 'The Quad'. We would be grateful to receive donations of any pre-loved play equipment and toys, that are no longer used, to furnish this new area. Smaller items, e.g. pretend tools/tool boxes, large toy trucks and diggers can be handed in directly to the school office. If you have larger items you may wish to donate, e.g. Play kitchens, large construction toys etc., please liaise with a member of the Reception Team and if we are able to take them, we can arrange for Mr Kelly to be available to receive and install them.

## WISEPAY APP

WisePay, our online payment system for clubs, trips and enrichment activities, have launched a new mobile phone App. Further details and instructions how to download the App are attached to this newsletter.

## ABSENCES

We are committed to the safeguarding of your children. One of the many procedures in place to ensure their safeguarding is to keep accurate class registers, which become vital in the event of a fire or school evacuation. In order for us to hold accurate registers for each class, we ask parents to contact school by telephone as soon as possible in the unfortunate event that their child is unwell, or unable to come to school. We have a dedicated absence line which is available 24 hours a day where parents can leave a message giving a brief explanation as to the nature of the absence/illness. We also require an absence note to be handed to the class teacher the day the child returns to school. Thank you for supporting this school procedure.

## MORNING AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB PAYMENT SCHEDULES

If you currently attend Morning or After School Club please kindly arrange payments via WisePay as per our booking agreement. Thank you.

### ATTENDANCE WEEK

Monday 11 February

Monday 25 February

### FINAL PAYMENT DATE

Friday 25 January

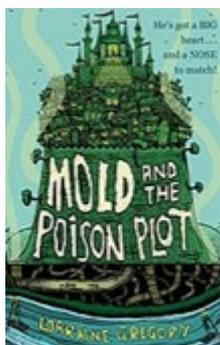
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**HV SPORTS AWARDS** We are currently reviewing how we present our HV Sports Awards and subsequently no awards were given last Friday. We hope to re-launch the awards very soon.



## Reading Focus

Mold And The Poison Plot – Lorraine Gregory



He's got a big heart . . . and a nose to match!  
Mold's a bit of a freak. His nose is as big as his body is puny and his mother abandoned him in a bin when he was a mere baby. Who else but the old healer, Aggy, would have taken him in and raised him as her own? But when Aggy is accused of poisoning the King, Mold sets out to clear her name.



## Wizards



### Week Ending

**11/01/19**

Ruby Crutcher - Year 6

### Week Ending

**18/01/19**

Max Freeborn - Year R

Tianna Pavelin - Year R

Nettie-Mae Fulmar- Year R

Jake Weatherley - Year 1

Maisie Shaw - Year 1

Lewis Carter - Year 1

Henry Creed - Year 2

Tyler Birkett - Year 2

Jessica Wise - Year 2

Jay Harrod - Year 3

Logan Courtney - Year 3

Dylan Hogan - Year 3

Luke Wallace - Year 4

Oliver Gell - Year 4

James Whittaker - Year 4

Lucas Melo-Trewby - Year 5

Alisha Smith - Year 5

Nilay Gunduz - Year 5

Olivia Hawksley - Year 5

Kain Dix - Year 6

Evie Parker - Year 6



## Jigsaw



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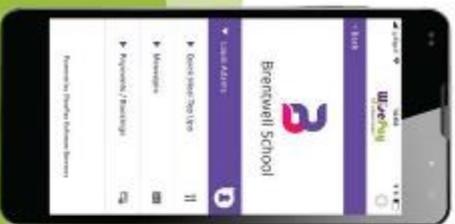
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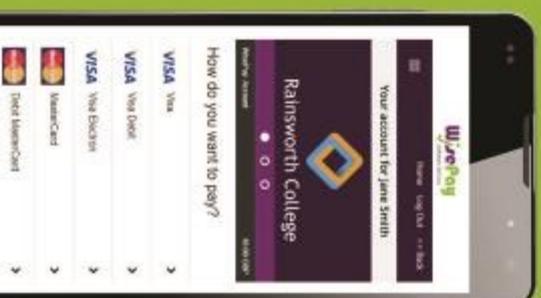
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SOUTH

This voucher entitles the holder of it and up to 3  
guests complimentary admission to our  
forthcoming league game.

## **POOLE TOWN FC v KINGS LANGLEY**

**DATE: SATURDAY 2nd February 2019**

**3PM KICK OFF**

The Black Gold Stadium, (off) School Lane, Oakdale, Poole, BH15 3JR

We politely request that you please pass this on for someone else to use if you  
are already a Poole Town regular—Thank you.

This voucher entitles the holder + 3 guests entry to the match detailed above  
only. It has no cash value and cannot be substituted for attendance at any  
other match at Black Gold Stadium.

Poole town FC reserves the right to refuse admission.

Name of qualifying school:.....

Number of people admitted with this voucher