



# Hill View Primary School

## Reach For The Stars.

Newsletter No. 38 19/07/19

### HEADTEACHERS UPDATE

Dear Parents and Carers,

As our academic year draws to a close, we have much to celebrate and many happy memories.

As the new Headteacher of our school, it has been a great help working closely with both the leadership team and staff over the last few months to ensure that Hill View continues to move from strength to strength. I would also like to thank the many parents who have come to see me. To have a good understanding of our parent body is very important to enable the school to meet the needs and aspirations of our families and children.

Most importantly, our children have enjoyed another fantastic year. They have continued to strive to be the best they can be and have shown resilience and determination when faced with new challenges. The many visitors to the school have commented on the children's confidence and ability to talk about what they are learning and what they need to do next to improve. I am extremely proud of them all.

I would like to wish you all the very best for the summer vacation and look forward to welcoming you all back, refreshed, for what will be an exciting, new academic year.

Victoria Buckland  
Headteacher

### HILL VIEW'S GOT TALENT

As always, it was an absolute pleasure to share in the outstanding talent as part of our auditions for this year's competition. There was such a great variety of different acts and we would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who participated.

There are three winning acts, this year, from across the school:

EYFS/KS1 – Alfie Deakin – Pugh, Mia Winstanley, Isla Coleman

Lower KS2 – Riley Moody

Upper KS2 – Hayden Robbins

All the winners will participate in our end of year whole school assembly.

Once again, congratulations to all the children who took part.

Mr Mather—Head of Y3

### GRANDPARENTS TEA PARTY

Thank you to all of the Grandparents, other family members and friends that came to the YR Grand Tea Party, we have received lots of lovely emails and letters from Grandparents expressing how much they enjoyed it. Thank you to all of the staff that enabled this to happen.

## Coming Up...

**Friday 19th July**

PTFA Summer Disco's

**Tuesday 23rd July**

Last day of Term

**Wednesday 24th July—30th August**

Summer Holidays

**Monday 2nd September**

Inset Day

**Tuesday 3rd September**

First day back at school Y1,Y2,Y3,Y4,Y5 & Y6

Reception home visits

**Wednesday 4th September**

Reception home visits

**Thursday 5th September**

Reception home visits

**Friday 6th September**

First Day for YR 8.50-12.00

**Monday 16th September**

School Photos

**Tuesday 17th September**

School Photos

## Attendance

Week ending 12/07/2019

94.9%

**Best Reception Class:**

Donaldson 99.2%

**Best Year 1/2 Class:**

Parks 99.2%

**Best Year 3/4 Class:**

Hawking 100%

**Best Year 5/6 Class:**

Glennie 98.7%

## MORNING AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB PAYMENT SCHEDULES

<u>ATTENDANCE WEEK</u>	<u>FINAL PAYMENT DATE</u>
Monday 2 September	Friday 16 August
Monday 9 September	Friday 23 August
Monday 16 September	Friday 30 August
Monday 29 September	Friday 6 September

## SCHOOL TRIPS & ACTIVITIES

A letter has gone out to all parents informing them of how school activities and trips will be paid for in the next academic year. Following parent feedback, it has been decided that all trips and activities will be paid for as and when they happen. If not enough funds come in, then the activity will be cancelled.

## TRANSITION FROM Y2 TO Y3

As a reminder for the children moving from Y2 to Y3, the Universal Free School Meal finishes at the end of the year 2. From the beginning of Y3 you will need to provide your child with a packed lunch. If you wish to continue with hot meals, these can be booked via Chartwells in the same way and need to be paid for directly. Any child who receives Pupil Premium funding is still entitled to hot meals and these will need to be booked via Chartwells.

Also, please remember that the school end time changes when moving from Y2 to Y3. Collection time for KS2 is 3.20pm.

## FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Did you know that if your joint income is below £16,190.00 per year you may be entitled to Free School Meals. In addition to this, you could also be eligible for a uniform grant. Please contact the office for more details.

## LIBRARY BOOKS & READ, WRITE INC BOOKS

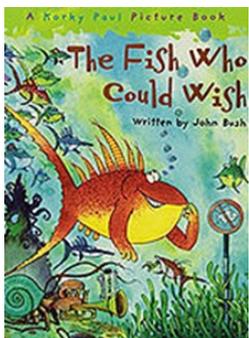
**ALL** school library books need to be returned to school by Tuesday 23rd July.



Read Write Inc. Paper Book Returns

We are in the process of collecting all of the Read Write Inc. paper books (home readers.) If you have any of these books at home, in whatever colours, please return them to school via your child's class teacher.

## **Reading Focus**



### The Fish Who Could Wish – John Bush

Deep in the ocean lives a fish whose wishes come true! He wishes for all sorts of crazy things - a castle, a car, and even fine clothes to wear. But he is a rather foolish fish and one day he wishes to be just like all the other fish . . . perhaps this will be the one wish he wishes he never wished!



# Wizards



## Week Ending

**12/07/2019**

Thomas Roff—YR

Anna Ajimuda—YR

Sasha Lavis-Moorcraft—YR

Monet Class

Elizabeth Coney—Y1

Y1

Summer Turton—Y2

Ella Mitchell—Y2

Finley Loder—Y2

Leon Litchfield—Y3

Madison Allen—Y3

Lola Grace Marston—Y3

Emily Spink—Y4

Dijbril Diallo—Y4

Sebastian Hurley—Y4

Emily Li—Y5

Olivia Rawling—Y5

Georgia Varney—Y5

Millie Martin Williams—Y5

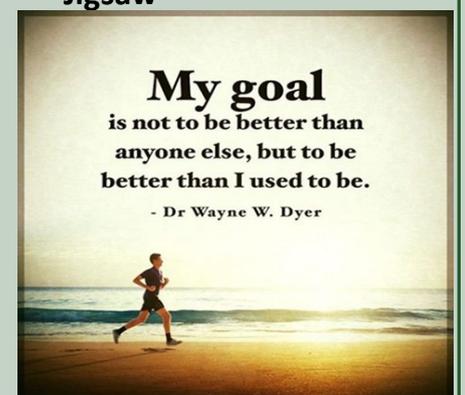
Oliver Loder—Y6

Ellie Hall—Y6

Owen Jackson—Y6



## Jigsaw



The Reading Agency and Libraries Present

# SPACE CHASE

Summer Reading Challenge 2019

[spacechase.org.uk](http://spacechase.org.uk)

Our local library staff have been telling the children how to take part in **Space Chase**, the Summer Reading Challenge 2019.



All they have to do is read six library books and visit the library regularly over the summer, collecting special incentives along the way.

Please encourage your children to visit the library and sign up to see the difference the Summer Reading Challenge makes to their reading skills and confidence.

We will be celebrating all children who take part at the beginning of the new school year.



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