



# Hill View Primary School

## Reach For The Stars!

### YEAR 6 UPDATE

This term in Year 6 we have been completing our Black History project linked to the book, Journey to Jo'Burg by Beverley Naidoo. We learnt about apartheid in South Africa between 1948 and 1990. The focus of this unit was to compare lives of people in the past with our lives now. The pupils were really passionate about the issues raised throughout this project and enjoyed sharing and debating their own ideas. We have already looked at the United Nations Rights of the Child this term and it was interesting to see the children refer to this in their ideas.

In art, we looked at the South African artist Esther Mahlangu who creates bold and geometric prints, usually painted onto houses. We used polystyrene tiles to create our own geometric prints and then used the tiles to print a repeating pattern. We were really pleased with the results.



Mrs Ponchard

Year 6 Lead

### ADDER & SMILE WINNERS

Well done Sasha LM—Y3 & Joey H—Y4 for earning your Adder Badge. You have learnt your maths facts thoroughly and we are proud of you.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Ronan B in Y6 has taken part in the Latin & Ballroom British National Dance Competition. He and his partner have become the youngest couple to make both finals at the age of 9 & 10 years old! This is an amazing achievement and we are very proud of Ronan and all of his hard work.

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### Coming Up...

3rd Dec—PTFA Chocolate Bingo

10th Dec—YR Storytelling night

14th Dec—YR Panto Trip

15th Dec—Chartwells Christmas lunch

17th Dec—Last day of term

### WIZARDS

Emilia H—YR

Holly N—YR

Milo C—YR

Olivia P—Y1

Harrison F—Y1

Louie S—Y1

Sofia H—Y2

Logan W—Y2

Oliver W—Y2

Mia Z—Y2

Mario SD—Y3

Toby E—Y3

Effie W—Y3

Charlie H—Y4

Amira—Y4

Ben T—Y4

Ethan W—Y5

Jacob S—Y5

Victoria PS—Y5

Lily R—Y6

Annabel L—Y6

Oscar B—Y6



## MORNING AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB PAYMENT SCHEDULES

<u>ATTENDANCE WEEK</u>	<u>FINAL PAYMENT DATE</u>
Monday 13 Dec	Friday 26 Nov
Monday 03 Jan	Friday 17 Dec
Monday 10 Jan	Friday 24 Dec

## CLASS ATTENDANCE WINNERS (96% AND OVER IS EXPECTED)

Every child's attendance has an affect on this class award. The class with the highest attendance percentage is awarded a certificate in assembly.

### Results for W/C 15.11.2021

**EYFS:** Carle & Donaldson 95.2%

**Y1/Y2:** Barnardo 99.3%

**Y3/Y4:** Attenborough 99.7%

**Y5/Y6:** Lloyd Webber 99.7%



## Attendance Matters



We have a number of children arriving late to school in the mornings. Please ensure your children arrive on time every morning as this has a huge effect on children settling into class. If they are late they often miss the beginning of a lesson and therefore miss the lesson plan or arrive upset as they are the last child in class.

### PTFA REMINDER

The box for the Christmas colouring competition is still in the main office for the children's masterpieces. Please ensure their name and year group is on the back, so we know who they belong to.

If you would like to purchase raffle tickets for their Christmas raffle, please use the link below.

<https://app.classlist.com/events/#/events/view/845281116>

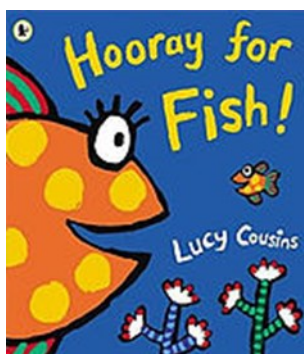
### CHARTWELLS CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Our Christmas hot lunch will be served on Wednesday 15th December. If you would like your child to receive this, please book via [www.dorset.mealselector.co.uk](http://www.dorset.mealselector.co.uk) by Sunday 5th December.

### PAPERWORK

A number of parents & carers have not sent back their E-Safety forms or Student Update forms back. Please can these be handed to the office as soon as possible. Thank you.

### Reading Focus



Paddle along with Little Fish on a mesmerizing underwater tour of friends spotty and stripy, happy and gripy, hairy and scary, even curly whirly and twisty twirly. From the creator of Maisy comes an eye-popping picture book that is sure to have little ones joining the chorus: Hooray for fish!



## OTHER NEWS



### DOGS

Please do not bring dogs onto the school site at any time. This includes carrying them. They must not also not be tied to the gates surrounding school.

### MY SCHOOL FUND

We have joined a new incentive called My School Fund. The incentive raises money for the school when you use your debit or credit card and also will give you cash back! Please go to <https://www.myschoolfund.org/#/home> for more information.

Or message them on their Facebook site.

### COVID

Please can we remind you not to send your children into school with a cough. If you have not received a negative PCR test, we will send them home and they may not return until a negative test has been received or 10 days isolation has been completed. We will NOT accept LFT results, it must be a PCR test. Please go to <https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus> for current guidance.

Please be mindful of social distancing when queuing at the school gates and when in the playground.

### OUTSIDE TOILETS—IMPORTANT

Please can we remind you that **NO** parents or carers should be entering the playground toilets at morning drop off or afternoon collection. These toilets are for use by children in school and should not be used for anyone other than Hill View children. Thank you for your co operation in this matter.

### Jigsaw

#### *Today's affirmation*

I AM *strong*  
I AM *brilliant*  
I AM *fearless*  
I AM *calm*  
I AM *worthy*