



# Hill View Primary School

## Reach For The Stars

### Year 5 Update

This half term, Year 5's topic is 'Out of This World.' We have been learning about our solar system and the relationship between the Earth, the moon and the sun.

In Science this week, we have been creating sundials. We took them onto the playground to investigate how they can be used to tell the time. Luckily, it was sunny and we could see the shadow that was cast on the face. We have taken them out at different times of the day (when the sun is out) throughout the week so that we can explore the difference in the shadow. We learnt how these changes are caused by the rotation of the Earth and not the sun moving across the sky.



**Mrs A Ponchaud**  
**Year 5 Lead**

**Newsletter No.30 w/c 15/05/23**

### Hot School Meals

Don't forget to order your child's hot school meal by midnight on Monday's for the following week.

Forerunner— website

[www.hotmealsonwheels.com](http://www.hotmealsonwheels.com)

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### Up Coming Events

w/c 22<sup>nd</sup> May

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May** – Y4 Attenborough Class Trip to Synagogue

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May**– Y3 Parent Outcome 14:30

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May**– Y2 RSE Parent Talk 16:00

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May**– Y1 Parent Outcome 14:40

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### Important dates

**KS1 SATs**— May / June 2023

**Y4 Multiplication Checks** – June 2023

**EYFS & KS1 Sports Day** – Wed 28<sup>th</sup> June

**KS2 Sports Day** – Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> June

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### Pupil Absence

If your child is going to be absent from school please contact the school office:

**Tel:** 01202 514109

**E-mail:** [office@hillview.bournemouth.sch.uk](mailto:office@hillview.bournemouth.sch.uk)

If leaving a message or sending an email please give the following information:-

Child's name, Class/Year Group

Reason for Absence—e.g. high temperature, sore throat, sickness etc. and if you are taking them to the GP then please give this information too.

**Thank you**

PTFA Update



**Summer Fayre helpers request** – We’re still VERY short of helpers!! If you’re able to help (even for 1 hour) please can you comment below, send us a message, return the slip from the letter that came home, or email us at [hillview.ptfa@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:hillview.ptfa@hotmail.co.uk).

- Time slots available:
- A - set up 3:30 - 5 pm
  - B - 5 - 6 pm
  - C - 6 - 7pm
  - D - 7 - 7:30 pm
  - E - Tidy up 7:30 - 8:30 pm

Grab your raffle tickets here:  
<https://app.classlist.com/parent/#/events/view/993520665>



**Ice cream Fridays** are returning as soon as the weather is kinder to us☀☀☀.....watch this space



### Weekend and School Holiday Cycling Courses

Three Bikeability levels:  
Level 1 & Level 2 (9-16 years old)  
Level 3 (11+ up to further & higher education)





For children who live or go to school in Bournemouth, Christchurch or Poole. Sessions take place at King's Park Cycle Centre or Bournemouth Velodrome with our fully qualified instructors.

[road.safety@bcpcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:road.safety@bcpcouncil.gov.uk)  
Dates and booking details:  
[bcpcouncil.gov.uk/bikeability](http://bcpcouncil.gov.uk/bikeability)

PTFA Upcoming Events 2023

### HILL VIEW PRIMARY SCHOOL PTFA

#### 2023 DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

JUNE - JULY 2023

9 & 16 JUNE	<b>Non Uniform Days</b> Two separate non uniform days in exchange for donations to the Summer Fayre! More info to follow...
16 JUNE	<b>SUMMER FAYRE</b> More info to follow
03 JULY	<b>YR 1 Magic Show</b> Krazy Kev will be performing his magic show for year 1, 3:30- 4:15 more info to follow
03 JULY	<b>YR 3 D.I.S.C.O</b> Krazy Kev will be hosting year 3's school disco, 4:30- 5:30 more info to follow
05 JULY	<b>YR 2 Magic Show</b> Krazy Kev will be performing his magic show for year 2, 3:30- 4:15 more info to follow
05 JULY	<b>YR 4 D.I.S.C.O</b> Krazy Kev will be hosting year 4's school disco, 4:30- 5:30 more info to follow
14 JULY	<b>YR 5 &amp; 6 D.I.S.C.O</b> Krazy Kev will be hosting year 5 & 6's school disco 5:30-6:30, more info to follow
18 JULY	<b>YR 6 Leavers Lunch</b> Leavers lunch supplied by Wonderfries

Check out the Hill View PTFA Facebook page for more into

Please visit our Facebook Page and Class List App for further details

Thank you  
PTFA

School Nursing Team



Dorset HealthCare University  
NHS Foundation Trust

### ParentLine 5-19

Confidential text messaging advice service for parents and carers of children aged 5-19.

Message us for confidential advice on

## 07312 263131

to chat with a member of the School Nursing team

 ChatHealth

## Prime Bottles/Drinks

We have seen an increase in the amount of children bringing in "Prime" bottles across all year groups. These are being used as a "status symbol" amongst children which is causing some upset and disruption. Please can we remind everyone that children should have plain water only in their bottles for school. Prime energy drinks and other energy drinks are not recommended for children aged under 18 due to the high caffeine content and other ingredients that are not suitable for children's developing organs. Prime energy contains a whopping 200mg of caffeine, compared to 86.4mg in a can of Monster Energy.

If any child brings in a Prime Bottle (regardless of the contents), they will be taken away and they will be given a plastic cup to use during the day. The Prime bottle will be handed back to the adult collecting them at the end of the day.

## Named Personal Items

Please remember to name children's personal items – water bottles, jumpers, cardigans, lunch boxes etc. so that any mislaid items can be quickly returned to their owners.

## Arriving Late to school

If your child arrives late into school, please come to the office with them to sign in with the reason for being late. Please do not allow them to sign in by themselves.

## Artsmark

Hill View Primary has achieved the Silver Artsmark award!! A journey that we have been on for several years and that was delayed due to covid.

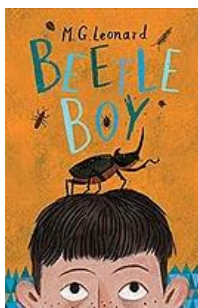
The assessors commented on how well we have done to provide a high-quality education with a range of rich experiences for all children! Next Goal: Artsmark GOLD Award! Watch this space...



**Artsmark  
Silver Award**  
Awarded by Arts  
Council England

## Reading Focus

### Beetle Boy – MG Leonard



Darkus is miserable. His dad has disappeared, and now he is living next door to the most disgusting neighbours ever. A giant beetle called Baxter comes to his rescue. But can the two solve the mystery of his dad's disappearance, especially when links emerge to cruel Lucretia Cutter and her penchant for beetle jewellery? A coffee-mug mountain, home to a million insects, could provide the answer - if Darkus and Baxter are brave enough to find it.



## WIZARDS For 19 May 2023



YR – Thea C  
YR – Myah S  
YR – Mia M  
Y1 – Nina R  
Y1 – Joshua M  
Y1 – Sabila S  
Y2 – Caden C  
Y2 – Brooke N  
Y3 – Aurora PS  
Y3 – Evie L  
Y3 – Leland P  
Y4 – Talula H  
Y5 – Kimmy DJ  
Y5 – Joseph H  
Y6 – Hollie K  
Y6 – Suriana K



## **Badges and Awards**



Y3 - Harry SH – ADDER Badge  
Y6 – Freya S – SMILE Badge



## **Well done!**



The key to  
**being happy**  
is knowing you have the power  
to choose what to accept  
and what to let go.

Dodinsky