



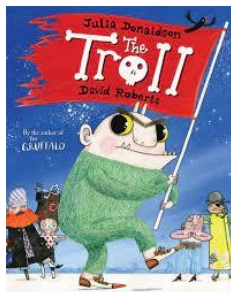
# Hill View Primary School

## Reach For The Stars

Newsletter No. 11 w/c 20/11/23

### Year 2 Update

What a busy term we have had already! At the beginning of term, the children found an exciting box, full of cooking utensils, which we found out belonged to the Troll from the Julia Donaldson book 'The Troll'.



Since receiving this box of tools, we then became scientists and got to work straight away learning about the properties of these materials by grouping them and asking ourselves what materials would work best for the Troll's new bridge.



In DT, we have been learning about what it means to have a balanced diet and investigating where different food comes from. We have designed our very own recipe for the Troll's new cookbook which we will be making and tasting next week!

We are super excited!

Miss Vahidi

Year 2 lead

### Coming Up

#### w/c 27<sup>th</sup> November:

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup>** – EYFS Hearing Checks

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup>** – EYFS Hearing Checks

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup>** – Y2 making Fruit Salads

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup>** – Parent Christmas Decoration Making 2:15pm (see next page for details)

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup>** – Y4 Attenborough Class Swimming

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup>** – **Non-uniform day (whole school)** in exchange for:

Years R & 1: Fill the cup (supplied to you) with wrapped sweets and decorate bright and colourful for our 'Sweets' tombola.

Years 2 & 3: Chocolate for our 'Chocolate' tombola.

Years 4, 5 & 6: Bottles of wine or £1 for our 'Wine or not' tombola (parents can also drop at the office if you prefer)

### Reminders

#### Christmas Lunch

Christmas lunch will be served on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December. **Please order via the Forerunner website in the usual way by Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November.**

#### YR Nativity

YR Nativity costumes must be brought into school (named) by **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November**. The performances to parents are on **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December 9-10am**. Please complete the form sent home in your child's bag to get your tickets.

#### Hot School Meals

Don't forget to order your child's hot school meals by midnight on Mondays for the following week ahead.

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



## Hill View Choir

Our Hill View Pavilion Choir - made up of children from years 5 and 6, have been working since the beginning of September on carols for the annual Bournemouth Schools Carol Festival in the Pavilion Theatre. This week has been performance week. After many rehearsals, our choir was very excited to be performing on stage with over 200 children from primary schools from around the town. Our choir were absolutely magnificent, representing our school with fantastic singing and exemplary behaviour at all times. Well done!

**Mrs Price**  
**Music teacher**



## Recycling news

We are pleased to announce that as part of the local Win on Waste scheme ([Latest News \(winonwaste.org\)](http://Latest News (winonwaste.org))) we can recycle some extra items at school, in the following bins now provided in our playground.

I'm sure you'll agree that the more we can save from going to landfill, the better. What's more, charities will benefit from your recycling efforts.

## Pens

All kids of pens (with/without lids) can be accepted

## Dental items

Oral care incl. toothbrushes, electric toothbrush heads, toothpaste tubes & dental floss containers.

As promised, these bins can now be found in the playground, at the parent exit and are clearly labelled.

Please could we ask that **only** these items are put in the specified bins.

If in doubt, please do ask one of the SLT staff members on the gate. Please not that these bins can only be accessed during school drop off/pick up times.

## Clothing Recycling Bin

This continues to be available to use in the small back playground but is currently only accessible after school between the hours of 3.45pm and 5.45 pm. If you would like to add clothing/shoes to the bin at other times, you are welcome to drop these off at the front office, who will be happy to arrange for it to be taken round for you.

Thank you for your support.

**Madame Bonds**

## Autumn 2

### Home Learning Reminders

### Year R (w/c 27.11.23)

Christmas Cooking:

You could make a yummy Christmas treat to fill you up on a winter's day. Perhaps some mince pies, a Christmas cake or Christmas pudding.

Take some photos and upload to Tapestry.

We are also happy to taste some! 😊

### Year 1

*Hill View  
Sandwich Bar*



Design and make a healthy sandwich for a family member. Add photos and write a recipe/instructions.

**Due Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December**

### Year 2

*The Troll*

Record findings from a home treasure hunt.

- Write a poem about the troll
- Create a recipe for the troll's cookery book
- Make an advert for the troll's new cookery book

**Due w/c 4<sup>th</sup> December**



### Year 3

*The Iron Giant*

Create a map of magnetic materials around your house.

**Due Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December**



### Year 4

*The Land of Fire & Ice*

Design and make a model of a physical feature of Iceland e.g. A volcano, mountain, glacier or a river.

**Due Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December**



### Year 5

*The Dark Ages*

Produce a visual aid or an artefact linked to the Anglo-Saxons

**Due Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December**



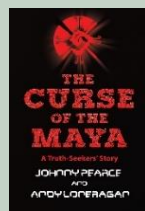
### Year 6

*The Curse of the Maya*

Research Maya food and either;

- Produce a fact file
- Design a menu for a Maya restaurant

**Due: Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December**



# Christmas 2023

## Christmas Decoration Making – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December at 2:15pm

For parents that have more than one child in school, we will be able to escort you to spend some time in each child's classroom. If parents have more than 2 children in school to visit, please let the first teacher know so they can plan for you to have time in all classes.

**2:15pm** - Parents to enter via the playground and sign in at the classroom they are helping at.

**2:35pm** - A bell will ring to notify support staff to move parents with more than 1 child to the other classes. NB – if parent has more than 2 children they have been asked to let you know so you can help them move earlier to ensure they can get to all children

**3pm** - Parents will be asked to leave the classrooms and wait in the centre of the playground, so there is room for the children to come out. This will give the children time to collect their belongings. Teachers will bring their classes out to line up in their usual place as per wet play.

**Toilets** – Parents who need the toilet must be brought to the main office by an adult.

## EYFS Nativity - Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December 9-10am.

Nativity costumes must be sent into school by Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November.

Please complete the form sent home with your child to get your tickets (maximum of 2 per child).

## Christmas Lunch – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December

Christmas lunch will be served on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December. This is a non-uniform day, so Christmas Jumpers/clothing can be worn to make us all feel festive.

Please order via the Forerunner website in the usual way by Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November.

## Christmas Fayre - Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December 5pm – 7.30pm

To have our popular tombola stalls at the Christmas Fayre, we require your generous donations please ☺ We will have the following '**Non-Uniform days**' in exchange for donations:

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All children to bring in a £1 donation or whatever you can to support the Christmas Fayre.

**Thank you for all your support, we couldn't do this without you all.**

## Christmas Carols

Y1 and Y2 Children will be singing Christmas Carols to parents/carers on the playground on

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December at 2:45pm**

Years 3, 4, 5, and 6 will be singing at St Thomas' Church on the following dates:

Y3 & Y4 – **Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December Afternoon** (Awaiting Church to confirm time)

Y5 & Y6 – **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December Afternoon** (Awaiting Church to confirm time)



## PTFA Update



**Christmas Fayre**  
**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December**  
**5pm – 7.30pm**

### Stall Helpers on the day

Thank you to everyone that has offered to help run the stalls so far. We still need help covering the two slots below. If you can spare an hour or two, please let us know by sending us a message on Facebook, Classlist or e-mail.

Slot D : 7:00 - 7:30pm

Slot E : 7:30 - 8:30pm (tidy up)

We are so looking forward to bringing this event back after 9 years!! Your help is very much appreciated.

### Donations (Non-uniform Days)

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### **Christmas Jumper/ Clothing Sale**

Christmas clothing is now out in the office!

Please leave any donations in a bag by our rail. Thank you



## **Parentkind Webinars**

Take a look at ParentKind FREE webinars

[Parent webinars](#) | [Parentkind](#)



## **Navigating parenthood PARENTKIND WEBINARS**



How to exercise more without really trying  
24/01/2024 | 7.30 - 8.15pm



An introduction to autism  
06/03/2024 | 7.30 - 8.30pm



A nutritionist's guide to dealing with fussy eating  
26/01/2024 | 12.30 - 1.30pm



Stress management  
07/03/2024 | 10.00 - 11.00am



Helping your child achieve in school  
30/01/2024 | 7.30 - 8.30pm



Neurodiversity in children matters – behaviour management for SEN children  
11/01/2024 | 7.30 - 8.30pm



Building resilience  
06/02/2024 | 10.00 - 11.00am



Supporting your child's mental health  
20/03/2024 | 7.30 - 8.30pm



Helping your child succeed in KS1 English  
09/02/2024 | 12.30 - 1.30pm



Helping your child succeed in KS2 English  
22/03/2024 | 12.30 - 1.30pm



Keeping your child safe online  
28/02/2024 | 7.30 - 8.30pm



## **Uniform Preloved & NEW!**

We regularly re-stock the rail at the main Office with pre-loved uniform at great prices. New Uniform orders can be placed via messenger or our email (details on our price list).

Payment can be made by cash, card or bank transfer.



### **Hill View Uniform Price List**

Available to purchase from the P.T.F.A.



£13.00



£7.00



£14.00



£4.50



£10.00



£15.00

All profits made from sales go back into the school to benefit all pupils.

**Sizes**  
Sweatshirt, Cardigan & Polar Fleece\*  
\*Fleece excludes size 36"  
PE T-Shirt

24" (4-5yrs), 26" (5-6yrs), 28" (7-8yrs), 30" (9-10yrs), 32" (11-12yrs), 34" (13yrs), 36" (S Adult)  
3-4yrs, 5-6yrs, 7-8yrs, 9-10yrs, 11-12yrs, S & M

To place orders, please contact us by Email: [hillview.ptfa@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:hillview.ptfa@hotmail.co.uk) or our Facebook page: Hill View Primary School P.T.F.A. Cash and Card payment accepted

## **How to reach us:**

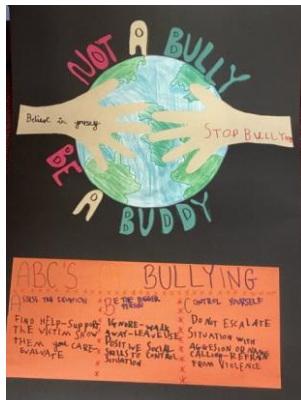
Facebook: [www.facebook.com/hillview.primaryptfa/](https://www.facebook.com/hillview.primaryptfa/)

Email: [Hillview.ptfa@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:Hillview.ptfa@hotmail.co.uk)

Classlist: <https://classlist.page.link/6d9FBED11FcyAURC7>

## Anti-Bullying Week

Anti-bullying week was a week full of excitement and learning all about how we can 'Make a Noise'. On Monday, the children and staff wore odd socks to school to symbolise that we are all different and that children should be themselves, accepting of one another and celebrate difference.



Our amazing Year 6 ambassadors and Year 5 girls delivered a fantastic performance to help support the message of banter vs bullying, speaking out when we see something that is not okay and being kind!



Effie, Talulah and Demi in Year 5 created their own anti-bullying song which you can listen to on our school website:

<https://hillviewprimary.co.uk/anti-bullying/>

The girls' song, and posters made by our children have also been featured on the BCP Council Information social media channels:

[Facebook](#)

[Instagram: BCP Council \(@mybcpcouncil\)](#)

[Twitter: \(17\) BCP Council \(@BCPCouncil\) / X \(twitter.com\)](#)

For the remainder of the week, we saw lots of crazy hair styles, amazing hats, heard hilarious jokes and got cosy in our Pjs.



On Friday, it was also Children in Need where we all completed a sponsored Burpee challenge. We are still in the process of counting all the money donated. Thank you so much for all your donations. You are making a massive difference to the lives of children in need. If you are yet to donate, it is not too late.

## BCHA Domestic Abuse Support

### Drop-Ins:

**Kinson Library**, Wimborne Road, BH11 9AW

- Every Thursday between 11:00 and 1:00

**Cornerstone Baptist Church**, Holloway Ave, West Howe, BH11 9JR. Every Monday from 10am–12 midday

**West Howe Children's Centre**, 29 Moore Avenue, BH11 8AU. Every Tuesday between 10am-12pm

**YMCA Bournemouth**, 56 Westover Rd, BH1 2BS. Every Monday between 3pm-5pm

### Place2Be



### School Nursing Team



## 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



### 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 e-mail 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.

Please refer to the following link for advice regarding whether to keep your child away from school if they are unwell.

<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>



## Boom Reader Questionnaire

Thank you to the parents that have already responded to our BoomReader questionnaire. It has been really helpful to read the responses so far and hear your ideas for how we can develop this further.

The questionnaire is still open for another fortnight and can be found by following the link below. It has 5 questions and should take no more than a couple of minutes to complete.

<https://forms.office.com/e/tiuC7b5zSd>

Thank you for your continued support with your child's reading at home.

**Paige Sharp & Emma Burton**

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## Santa Sleigh

Bournemouth Round Table members have been busy brushing down the reindeers and readying the famous red suit as Santa plans to come to town this November and December! The world's largest men's only voluntary club is inviting families from across Bournemouth see Santa from 25<sup>th</sup> November. Check out the full timetable and route on [their Facebook Page](#).



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## Recommended Read Book of the week (Y2)

The Three Little Wolves and The Big Bad Pig  
– Eugene Trivizas

The three little wolves erect first a solid brick house. The big bad pig comes along and when huffing and puffing fails to work, he uses a sledgehammer to bring the house down. Next they build a home of concrete: The pig demolishes it with his pneumatic drill. The three little wolves choose an even stronger design next time round: They erect a house, made of steel, barbed wire, armour plates and video entry system, but the pig finds a way to demolish it too.



## WIZARDS

24 November 2023



YR – Memphis OK  
YR – Everly S  
YR – Otis B  
Y1 – Jack D  
Y1 – Maegan B  
Y1 – Daisy B  
Y2 – Maddox M  
Y2 – Archie P  
Y2 – Evelina P  
Y3 – William E  
Y3 – Esme W  
Y3 –  
Y4 – Kenzie KS  
Y4 – Monroe R  
Y4 – Henry H  
Y5 – Meleket G  
Y5 – Layla T  
Y5 – Isla I  
Y6 – Ethan R  
Y6 – Harry T  
Y6 – Lila-Rose N



"Cry. Forgive.  
Learn. Move on.  
Let your tears  
water the seeds of  
your future  
happiness."  
Steve Maraboli

