



# Hill View Primary School

## Reach For The Stars

Newsletter No. 17 w/c 15/01/24

### Year 2 Update

What a brilliant start to 2024 it has been! There have been some very exciting activities happening in year 2 since we came back after the holidays, from finding a suitcase from the Titanic, to going on a brilliant trip to the Sea City museum in Southampton.

The children have thrown themselves into being historians, learning all about the Titanic, its crew and passengers and the reasons why it sank. They have asked some amazing questions to deepen their understanding and have thought about different scenarios as to how the sinking of the Titanic could have been prevented.



The trip to the museum developed the children's knowledge and gave them some real-life insights into what life was like on the Titanic. We met some of the passengers who had travelled on it's maiden voyage to New York, tested how many compartments could have been filled without the Titanic sinking and smelt what it was like in different areas of the Titanic. Can you guess what room the children were smelling in the picture? Clue = somewhere you sweat!

Thank you so much to the parent helpers for the trip. We couldn't do it without you and really appreciate you taking the time out of your day to support us.

We are looking forward seeing all the home learning in our outcome of our very own Year 2 Titanic museum which will be held in the Year 2 classrooms on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February at 3.30pm.

Thank you for your continued support.

**Year 2 team**

### Coming Up Next Week

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Y5** Cassidy Class - Bread roll baking – bring in extra ingredients

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> – Y5** Lloyd Webber Class - Bread roll baking – bring in extra ingredients

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> – Y5** Armatrading Class - Bread roll baking – bring in extra ingredients

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> – Y4** Johnson Class Swimming

### Reminders

**YR** – £2.20 Biscuit Making payment due by **Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January** via WisePay ([click here for letter](#)).  
[Click here for WisePay login page](#)

**Monday 29<sup>th</sup> January** - Oattie Robinson (Athlete)  
Visit. [Click for crowdfunder page](#)

**Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February** – NSPCC Number Day (whole school non-uniform) [Click for letter](#)

**w/c 5<sup>th</sup> February** – Children's Mental Health Week.  
See page 3 for details

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February** – **INSET Day** (School Closed to all pupils)

### Hot School Meals (Forerunner)

Hot school meals must be ordered by midnight on Mondays for the following week.

As always, you can order meals for the whole term if you find this easier.

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

### 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**— We are required to record specific details rather than just "unwell". Please let us know your child's specific symptoms such as temperature, cold/flu symptoms, vomiting etc. Providing these details will prevent us having to call you.

Please refer to the [NHS website](#) for advice regarding whether to keep your child away from school if they are unwell.

## School Council



The school council have been working hard to improve playtimes to make them more enjoyable for all children.  
We would like to purchase some more equipment such as dressing up costumes, cushions and chalk.  
We would therefore like to raise money to purchase this equipment.

On **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2024** the school council will host a toy sale to raise money for children's playground equipment. This will be at the end of the school day near the exit gates if the weather is dry and in the sheltered area if it is wet.

We would like it if you could bring in your child's/children's old and used toys (in good condition please) into school on **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February** and hand them into the class teachers.

We hope you can support us in this.

The School Council

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## Parking Reminder – Coppice View

Residents at Coppice view are sadly experiencing issues at school drop off and pick up times with drivers using their private forecourt as a turnaround in the Close. Please can we kindly remind drivers using this road for parking/dropping off children that there is an adequate turning area at the end of the Close and that resident's private driveways should not be used.

Thank you.

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## Head Lice

Please can we kindly ask parents to regularly check children's hair for lice. We have been informed about a couple of isolated cases within school.

Thank you.

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## Mobile Phones

Please we can remind parents/ carers that the only children that should be bringing mobile phones to school are those with prior permission to walk to and from school by themselves. All phones must be switched off and handed in to the office at the start of the day and collected at home time.

Thank you.

## Spring 1 Home Learning Reminders

### Year R (w/c 22.01.24)

'A Step in Time' [click here to view online](#)

Have a family disco! Ask your parents and grandparents what music they liked when they were younger. Play their favourite songs. What do you notice about the music? Is it different to music now?

**Grandparents Tea Party: Thurs 1<sup>st</sup> February 2pm**

### Year 1

'Fire Fire' [click here to view online](#)

Make a model of a traditional building/house from 1666 but no bigger than a cereal box (these will be displayed in school)

**Due: Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

**Parent Outcome: Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2.40pm**



### Year 2

'Unsinkable' [click here to view online](#)

Design a poster to try and get people to buy a ticket for the Titanic.

**Due: Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

**Parent Outcome: Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February 3.30pm**



### Year 3

'Lost in time' [click here to view online](#)

Choose a line of enquiry to investigate, and research pre-historic Britain. Present your findings in an interesting way and prepare to present this to your classmates.

**Due: Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

**Parent Outcome: w/c 5<sup>th</sup> February – details TBC**



### Year 4

'Romans Rule' [click here to view online](#)

Research Roman shields and create your own, personalised, shield.

**Due: Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

**Parent Outcome: Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2.40pm**



### Year 5

'Persuade the Dragons' [click here to view online](#)

Design a bread roll which is unique and suitable for different dietary needs.

**Due: Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

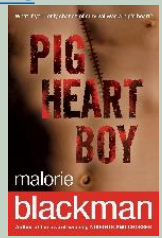


### Year 6

'Pig Heart Boy' [click here to view online](#)

Create a plan for a sports event for another year group in the school which focuses on raising the heart rate of the children. You can complete this on your own, in pairs or as a three.

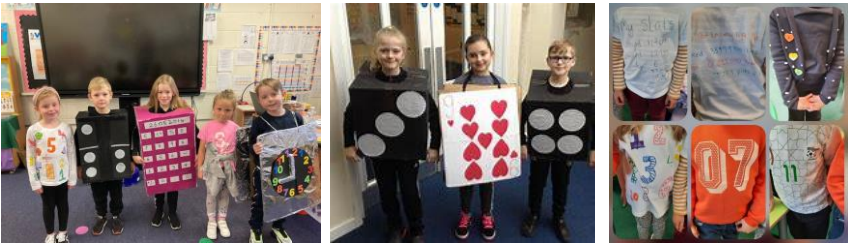
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# NSPCC Number Day (Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February)

We are delighted to be supporting this years' NSPCC Number Day. To raise money for the NSPCC we will be having a **non-uniform day on Friday 2nd February in exchange for a £1 donation.** Pupils are asked to wear an item of clothing with a number or numbers on it (football shirt, cap, netball shirt or even a onesie!). Or get even more creative by dressing in a maths or numbers theme.



We're really looking forward to all the fun of Number Day, and we really appreciate your support. All the money we raise at Hill View Primary will make an enormous difference to children today and help the NSPCC be there for children tomorrow.

Thank you.  
**Miss Roots, Mrs Jenner, Mrs Pope and Ms Smith (Maths Team)**



Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> February		The children come into school in their uniform but also wearing a scarf of their choice. This is to represent that there is always someone around us to help, talk to and keep us safe.
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February		The children come into school in their uniform but also bring in a small teddy or small object of their choice which makes them feel happy and calm.
Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> February		The children come into school in their uniform but bring in a small photo of something or someone who makes them feel good and who they feel they can trust and talk to at home.
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> February		<p>The children come into school in their own bright clothes. Wear something that makes you feel great and show off your personality.</p> <p>We would like to ask for a small donation to be made for the charity 'Place2Be' which is a children's mental health awareness charity, providing support for children.</p>
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February		<p><b>INSET day – school is closed to pupils</b></p> <p>Could you do an activity together to support your mental health?</p> <p>For example, go for a walk, go to the beach, do some drawing, bake a cake, the possibilities are endless.</p>

## Athlete Visit

On the 29<sup>th</sup> January Hill View will be visited by Ottilie Robinson Shaw.



Ottie is a five times World Champion freestyle Kayaker and will be bringing some extra fun and sports to our school. As part of this, as we have done in previous years, this has a fundraising opportunity part to it. Our school's Crowdfunder page is now live! Please click the link below.  
<https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/hillview>

Thanks for your continued support.  
**The P.E. Team**

**MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM (MHST) IN SCHOOLS**  
**MEET YOUR EDUCATION MENTAL HEALTH PRACTITIONER (EMHP)**

**JENNI PHILIPPS**

**WHAT IS AN EMHP?**

An EMHP is an Educational Mental Health Practitioner. We are here to help children and young people and their school community with their mental health and wellbeing.

**WHAT DOES AN EMHP DO?**

We work 1-1 with students who need extra mental health support. We also offer staff training and support with difficulties within your classroom as well as running groups for students, parents and carers. We can send out information for you to help your students' mental health via email on a regular basis.

**HOW DO I FIND OUT MORE?**

Send us an email: [dmc.mhsteam.bcp@nhs.net](mailto:dmc.mhsteam.bcp@nhs.net)

Give us a ring: 01202 129150

**VISIT OUR WEBSITE**

[bit.ly/dorset\\_mhst](https://bit.ly/dorset_mhst)

**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

## PTFA Update

### New Uniform

Just a reminder that we still have a wide range of stock available of new Uniform to purchase from us. Did you know?.....to make your life easier, we can now send you a link for payment with easy collection from the school office! Please see our [Uniform Price list](#) for more information.

### Pre-loved Uniform

We continue to have stock in the main office for pre-loved items and an honesty box is at the reception desk. We only accept cash for pre-loved. If you have any clean, good quality items for donating, please leave in a bag under the existing clothes rail. All donations are greatly received. Thank you.

### Minutes of the last PTFA Meeting

The minutes of our last meeting can be [accessed here](#) with details of recent profits and our up-and-coming events. Whilst the fundraising for a specific school project is being agreed, we have ordered a new shed for our much-needed stock for events. We thank you for your continued support.

### Magic Show and Disco tickets are now LIVE!



Please head to Classlist to purchase your tickets.  
Links for Classlist members only:

Monday 26 February

Discos (Y3 - Y6)

[Click here for Classlist link to purchase a ticket](#)

Tuesday 27 February

Magic Shows (YR – Y2)

[Click here for Classlist link to purchase a ticket](#)

Please make sure you answer the questions once you've made payment. You can go back in and edit the answers if you need to. Cash ticket permission slips are available from the office.

Thank you so much for your continued support.

Rachel, Sam, Alistair, Michelle, Lorraine, Jen, Jo & Nickie  
PTFA Committee Members

## 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  
11/03/2024 | 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

	Sizes	
Cardigan	22" (3-4yrs), 24" (4-5yrs), 26" (5-6yrs), 28" (7-8yrs), 30" (9-10yrs), 32" (11-12yrs), 34" (13yrs), 36" (S Adult)	
Fleece	3-4yrs, 5-6yrs, 7-8yrs, 9-10yrs, 11-12yrs, 13yrs	
Sweatshirt	24" (4-5yrs), 26" (5-6yrs), 28" (7-8yrs), 30" (9-10yrs), 32" (11-12yrs), 34" (13yrs), 36" (S Adult)	
PE T-Shirt	3-4yrs, 5-6yrs, 7-8yrs, 9-10yrs, 11-13yrs, S, M & L	

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

**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

We can now send you a link for payment with easy collection from the school office

### 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/6d9FBE11FcyAUrC7>



**Year 4 Dentist Visitor**

Year 4 had an exciting visitor this week as part of our Science unit about teeth.



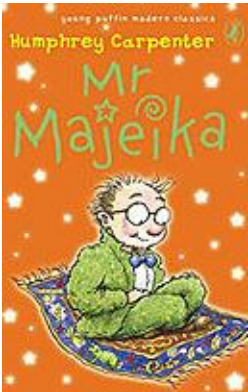
Sue, the dentist brought many different resources with her to showcase how to look after our teeth, things that we can eat to help us to keep our body healthy and the role our teeth play in digesting our food. It was a great learning experience to have an expert in to share her wisdom with us!



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**Recommended Read Book of the week**  
**(Y2)**

**Mr Majeika – Humphrey Carpenter**

As a rule, magic carpets don't turn up in schools, but this is exactly what happens when Class Three's new teacher flies in through the classroom window and lands on the floor with a bump. Mr Majeika can behave just like any ordinary teacher if he wants to, but something has to be done about Hamish Bigmore, the class nuisance, and so he uses a little magic to turn him into a frog. And to everyone's delight it looks as if Hamish will have to remain a frog because Mr Majeika can't remember the spell to turn him back again! With Mr Majeika in charge, suddenly life at school become much more exciting.



**WIZARDS**

**19 January 2023**



- YR – Amber L
- YR – Arabella A
- YR – Jack R
- Y1 – Joseph W
- Y1 – Mia M
- Y1 – Siyonna E
- Y2 – Lily A
- Y2 – Hannah SH
- Y2 – Jude K
- Y3 – Elsie S
- Y3 – Cody KS
- Y3 – Louie S
- Y4 – Fan T
- Y4 – Ezoza D
- Y4 – Leon C
- Y5 – Lucia L
- Y5 – Amelia M
- Y5 – Phoebe K
- Y6 – Scarlett S
- Y6 – Leila C
- Y6 – Abi P



**Awards/Badges**



- Y2 – Elizabeth D – ADDER Badge
- Y4 – Lily W – SMILE Badge
- Y4 – Isabel N – SMILE Badge
- Y4 – Hope R – SMILE Badge
- Y4 – Evie C – SMILE Badge
- Y4 – Mia Z – SMILE Badge
- Y4 – Cole K-G – SMILE Badge
- Y4 - Emily T – SMILE Badge
- Y4 - Maia F – SMILE Badge
- Y4 – Rosie E – ADDER Badge



**Well done!**



**“No winter lasts forever; no spring skips its turn.”**

**HAL BORLAND**







**Foundation**  
**Sports & Play**

**Award  
winning**

# FEBRUARY HALF-TERM SPORTS & PLAY CAMPS

Dorset's largest provider of holiday  
clubs returns

## Activities

Football, Gymnastics, Dodgeball,  
Martial Arts, Tennis, Dance,  
Basketball, Cricket, Danish Longball,  
Nerf Wars, Neon Cricket, Themed  
arts & crafts, slime making, biscuit  
decorating, bouncy castle and  
performing arts.

## Venues

Avonbourne Academy  
BCS Preparatory School  
The Epiphany School  
Yarrells Preparatory School

## About Our Team

Enhanced DBS Checked, Staff  
on the Update Service, Qualified  
in Sports & Childcare, First Aid  
Trained & Safeguarding  
Children Trained. We are always  
putting the children's welfare  
first!

## Time & Dates

09.00 - 15.00 with early drop  
off available from 8.00 & Late  
pick-up until 17.30. 12th - 16th  
February

## Ages

3 - 13 years old  
(3 year olds only allowed to  
book on at BCS)



**AWARD-  
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**FROM  
£27.50 PER  
DAY**

**CHILDCARE  
VOUCHERS  
ACCEPTED**

## Bookings & Contact

[www.foundation-play.com](http://www.foundation-play.com) or scan the  
QR code to the right.

[dorset@foundation-sports.com](mailto:dorset@foundation-sports.com)

[@fsportsandplay](https://www.facebook.com/foundation.sports.and.play)

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# "EVERYONE ACTIVE, ALL THE TIME, ENRICHING CHILDREN'S LIVES THROUGH ENJOYMENT, ENGAGEMENT, AND ENTHUSIASM."

## Schedule Example



08:00 - 9:15: Early sign-in activities, registration & free play with sports equipment to kick off the camp spirit.



9:15 - 9:30: Circle Time & Introduction to the day.



9:30 - 11:00: Engage in a carousel of four sports - Hockey, basketball, cricket, and dodgeball. Also, enjoy biscuit decorating, face painting, and craft activities.



11:00 - 11:15: Recharge with a nutritious snacks to prepare for the afternoon and keep the energy flowing!



11:15 - 12:15: Children will take part in playful matches within age groups. Additionally, daily themed activities will be on offer such as painting with water-based paint, pizza making, and creating slime!



12:15 - 12:45: Lunchtime & Hot Lunches, warm lunches can be provided at an extra cost.



12:45 - 1:15: Enjoy Free Play with sports equipment, explore outdoor play areas, and have fun in the playground.



1:15 - 2:45: Dive into a Football Tournament & Nerf-Wars for high-octane fun. Plus, try gymnastics, create valentines day cards and showcase talents in a our talent show.



2:45 - 3:00: Conclude the day with a Special Medal Ceremony to show case our activities.



3.00 - 5.30: late afternoon activities commence for the late collections.

## Childcare Vouchers & Tax-free Childcare

Ofsted Reg Number: 2652421

Please use your child's first initial & surname as a reference when paying with vouchers.

