

**HYDE C E PRIMARY SCHOOL  
NEWSLETTER NO. 25  
SPRING TERM  
31st MARCH 2017**

Dear Parents

**Comic Relief :** Thank you for helping to raise £44.32 for Comic Relief. The Talent Show was enjoyed by everyone and reflected an amazing diversity of skill and aptitude. We were entertained with fantastic acts ranging from drumming and singing to joke-telling and dancing. The judges had the unenviable job of determining a winning act from each class, but did so very professionally and with much thought and consideration finally choosing Rebecca for her Charleston dance, Lettie and Millie for their rendition of “My heart will go on” and Esther for the beautiful song she had written herself.

We must say a huge thank you to the School Council who put so much effort into the organisation of the show including the designing and production of the certificates which were presented to everyone who participated. Without their hard work and planning it could not have taken place so well done and thank you to them all!





**Sponsored Readathon :** Our sponsored Readathon was launched on Wednesday and your child should have brought home a record card and letter giving details of how the Readathon will work. Let us know if your copies did not arrive home.

Today the children will be bringing home their “Reading Log” in which they can do activities linked to the books they have read. A sponsorship form has also been put into their book bag. If you have any queries, please call in to see your child’s class teacher.

**Developing Reading At Home :** For those of you who were unable to come to Wednesday’s meeting copies of the booklet “Developing Reading At Home” together with suggested questions to ask when reading with your child are being sent home today.

**Class 1 Staffing :** I am delighted to let you know that Mrs Watson will continue to work with Class 1 after Easter.

**Governor News:** Please see attached letter from our new Chair of Governors, Mr Robert Shadbolt.

**Easter Service Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April 2.30pm Hyde Church ~ message from the HSFA :**

*The HSFA will be welcoming all families attending the Easter Service to enjoy refreshments in the church rooms afterwards. For the children there will be a "Guess the number of eggs in the jar" game at 20p per guess. There will also be an Easter themed hunt costing £2 per child involving finding and answering questions hidden behind the church rooms, and receiving an Easter treat bag on return. Donations of cakes and hot cross buns would be gratefully appreciated and can be given to an HSFA Committee member or left in the school office.*

*Don't forget to buy your tickets from the school office for our Curry Night on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April!*

**New School Dinner menu :** The new school lunch menu is being sent home in book bags today. Please be aware that the price of a meal is increasing to £2.15 after Easter.

**Messy Church :** A reminder that Messy Church is on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> April. 3.30pm to 5pm in the Hyde Church Centre. It will be an action-packed event and will be the last time that Sandy Hignett will be with us before her move so we hope that as many as possible will be able to join us – there may also be an Easter Egg or two!!

**Café Church :** A reminder that Café Church is on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 4.30pm in the Hyde Church Centre. There will be fun activities, songs, informal worship plus tea and cake. Everyone is welcome so do come along!

**Attendance :** The current whole school attendance rate from the start of the school year is 94.57%.

Next week's newsletter will be sent home on **Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April.**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR STARS OF THE WEEK:**



**Class 3 : Toby Shadbolt**

**Class 2 : Isabel Adamson**

**Class 1 : Dolly Benson**

*Our Stars of the Week are chosen by teachers in recognition of positive learning attitudes, positive behaviour or academic achievement.*

### **In Your Child's Book Bag This Week:**

- Governing Body Termly Update - being sent out by email and in book bags
- New School Dinner Menu April to October 2017
- New Forest Activities "Holiday Adventure Day" flier
- Messy Church flier
- Café church flier
- Stubbington Study Centre "Summer Holiday Sports Courses" flier
- Readathon Reading Logs for each child
- Readathon sponsorship forms for each child
- Booklet "Developing Reading At Home"

Yours sincerely



Julie Dalziell  
Headteacher

- *From time to time we send out details of out of school clubs and activities. Although we have taken all reasonable steps to ensure the validity and safety of these activities and/or services, we cannot guarantee their quality. Inclusion of any provider does not imply a recommendation or endorsement by Hampshire County Council. Parents/ persons with parental responsibility and/or participants should make their own enquiries as to its suitability or purpose.*
- **Please check your child's book bag on a daily basis for Accident/Illness report slips.**

### **DATES 2016-17**

#### **APRIL**

- 3<sup>rd</sup> : Messy Church, 3.30pm - 5.00pm Hyde Church Centre  
6<sup>th</sup>: Parentalk session, 1.45pm Hyde Church Centre  
6<sup>th</sup>: HSFA Annual Curry Night, 7.30pm Royal Oak, North Gorley  
7<sup>th</sup>: Easter Service, 2.30pm Hyde Church  
7<sup>th</sup>: School closes for Easter  
10<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>: Easter Break  
24<sup>th</sup>: INSET Day 2  
25<sup>th</sup>: School re-opens

#### **MAY**

- 1<sup>st</sup>: School closed: Bank Holiday  
2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>: Bikeability cycle training for Year 5  
8<sup>th</sup>: Messy Church, 3.30pm - 5.00pm Hyde Church Centre  
8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>: Year 6 Tests week  
25<sup>th</sup>: School finishes for Half Term  
26<sup>th</sup>: INSET Day 3

29<sup>th</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> June: Half Term

## **JUNE**

- 5<sup>th</sup>: School re-opens  
6<sup>th</sup>: Sports Day: am – Jim Biddle Shield (Years 2-6)  
pm – Sports Afternoon (whole school)  
9<sup>th</sup>: Reserve date for Sports Day  
12<sup>th</sup>: Messy Church, 3.30pm - 5.00pm Hyde Church Centre  
16<sup>th</sup>: Whole school photograph

## **JULY**

- 7<sup>th</sup>: End of Year Reports sent home  
10<sup>th</sup>: Messy Church, 3.30pm - 5.00pm Hyde Church Centre  
11<sup>th</sup>: Parents' Evening to discuss reports  
21<sup>st</sup>: School closes for summer  
24<sup>th</sup>: INSET Day 4  
25<sup>th</sup>: INSET Day 5