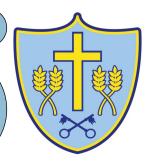
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# **News to You - Weekly Newsletter**

Week 3 - Autumn Term - 21.09.18

# **Message from the Head Teacher**

Dear Parents and Carers,

We've had another busy week in school but firstly I must mention the fantastic performance by the Federation choir at the Town Hall last Saturday at the Preston Sterndale concert. The pupils performed with confidence and enthusiasm and sounded wonderful. I was very proud to be up there conducting the choir - a massive well done to everyone. A big thank you to Miss. Sparks, Mrs. Hill and Miss. Smith for all their hard work preparing the choir. I've had many people from the concert pass comment on their great performance as well as how smart they all looked.

Speaking of looking smart you may have seen our football team in the Hartlepool Mail looking really smart in their new football kit. I'm sure it will spur them on to even more success this year.

Our Year 5/6 pupils really enjoyed their visit from Graeme Storm this week and their golf session. A big thank you to Mr. Storm for giving up his time to work with the pupils.

It has been really lovely to see how well settled all our new starters are in Nursery and Reception, as well as the new pupils who've joined us in other year groups.

Next week sees our Macmillan Coffee morning. It is always a really lovely community event and it would be lovely to see as many of you there as are able. Thank you to everyone who has bought one of the gold ribbons that Sam told everyone about on last week's newsletter. We hope to see lots of you next Friday, or if you're not able to support by coming along, if you're able to send in any cakes, that would be much appreciated.

Wishing all of our families a safe and enjoyable weekend.

Mrs. Heaton

#### Award Winners this week

### St. Peter's Key

EYFS—Emily Potts Y1/2—Oliver Storm Y3/4—Lucia Huntington Y5/6—Oliver Calvert

#### **Golden Quill**

EYFS—Sophie Lavelle Y1/2—Joshua Jobson Y3/4—Alexis Lakey Y5/6- Lucas Lawson

#### Superstar

EYFS—Erin Walsh Y1/2—Anna Teague Y3/4—Freddie Elsdon Y5/6—Moly Johnson

### **Maths Award**

EYFS—Luna Stamper Y1/2—Billy Hamilton Y3/4—Zacharie Davison Y5/6—Adam Lister

## September is Childhood Cancer Awareness Month

I'm Sam. I'm 11 and should have started secondary school this month. However I remain a pupil of Hart Primary as I have missed almost 3 years of school. In November 2015 I was diagnosed with an aggressive form of leukaemia and have been receiving treatment ever since. During September lots of charities help to raise awareness of childhood cancer and funds to help scientists develop successful, kinder treatments. The symbol to show your support is the gold ribbon. Please help by buying and wearing a gold ribbon. They are available from school and cost £1 each. All proceeds will go to the Children's Cancer and Leukaemia Group. Thank you.



### Dates for your diary and other Information...

Monday 24th September - Thursday 27th September - Year 6 Cycling Proficiency. Tuesday 25th September - EYFS Phonics Workshop for parents. 3.40pm until 4.15pm.

Wednesday 26th September— Y3/4 Times Tables workshop 3.10pm until 3.40pm.

Friday 28th September - Macmillan Coffee Morning - 9.00am - 10.30am. Donations of cakes will be much appreciated and all are welcome to attend.

**Tuesday 2nd October**— Children from Y5/6 who expressed an interest. Borough Hall 4.15pm until 6pm. Further details will be sent.

Friday 5th October - Year 5/6 Crucial Crew.

**Monday 8th October**—Y3/4 Share a lesson 9.15am until 10.15am. Parents are invited into school to share a lesson with their child.

**Monday 8th October**—Y5/6 Share a lesson 11.00am until 12.00pm. Parents are invited into school to share a lesson with their child.

**Tuesday 9th October**—Y1/2 Share a lesson 11.00am—12.00pm. Parents are invited into school to share a lesson with their child.

**Tuesday 9th October**—Early Years Share a lesson 2.30pm —3.10pm. Parents are invited into school to share a lesson with their child.

**Thursday 25th October**— Harvest Festival Service in St. Peter's Church at 1.30pm—2.30pm. All parents/carers are welcome to come along.

PD days this year - Friday 14th December, Monday 3rd June, Monday 22nd July and Tuesday 23rd July.

Any parents/carers wishing to speak with Mrs Hill at any time should contact the school office to arrange a mutually agreeable time.

### Macmillan Coffee Morning and Non Uniform day Friday 28th September

Friday 28th September
Next Friday 28th September is our
Macmillan Coffee Morning in the
school hall from 9am until 10.30am.
All are welcome to attend, the more
the merrier! Any donations of cakes
for sale would also be much
appreciated. Any cakes not sold
during the morning will be available
to purchase after school. Children
can also come into school in nonuniform for the day for a small
donation. We hope that you can all
make it!

#### **Important Dates for next year:**

**KS2 SATs**—Monday 13th May until Thursday 16th May 2019. All Y6 children <u>must</u> be in school on these days.

KS1 SATs—May 2019

Year 1 Phonics Screening Check— W/C 10th June 2019