



JUNE NEWS (part 2)

ATTENDANCE

This month we have seen a dip in attendance, as a result of both increased illness and holidays. Please ensure that learners attend school regularly, this means that they can come in with headaches coughs/colds and temperatures. Please be assured that we will always call you if your child is too unwell to be in school. May we also take this opportunity to remind all parents of the changes to legislation regarding term-time holidays which means that any period of unauthorised leave, including holidays, may result in parents receiving a penalty charge notice, irrespective of prior attendance.



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| Reception | 95% |
| Year 1 | 92% |
| Year 2 | 89.5% |
| Year 3 | 94.8% |
| Year 4 | 94.6% |
| Year 5 | 87.7% |
| Year 6 | 93.1% |

Congratulations to **Reception class**, who have secured the highest attendance figures this month!

FABULOUS FIREWORKS

Our sincere thanks to Ms Holtman and the Fireworks charity for working with our learners over the past few weeks, delivering a series of workshops to promote positive emotional health through art, drama and dance. Learners involved in the project have had a wonderful time and learnt lots about self-confidence, relationships and positivity which we know will stand them in good stead moving forwards.

FANTASTIC FATHERS DAY

Many thanks to all of the Dads, Grandads and Uncles who visited us for Father's day lunch this month. It was lovely to welcome you into the school and share what I know many agree was a delicious lunch with the learners in school. **We thank you for your support.**



SPORTS DAY SUCCESS



Congratulations to all learners for their excellence, resilience and loyalty during our recent sports day. It is always wonderful to see so many learners taking part, trying new things and excelling in this area. Thank you to all parents/carers and extended families who joined us on this day, and supported learners so beautifully throughout the event.

Special congratulations to team Everest, overall winners on the day, but more importantly to every single learner who took part and rose to the challenge. **We are incredibly proud of you all!**

WELL DONE TO ALL LEARNERS IN YEAR 1



A special mention in this newsletter to all learners in Year 1 who completed their phonics screening check this month. The Year 1 team have been particularly impressed with the exceptional progress made by all learners in their phonics throughout this year and we are all incredibly proud that their hard-work, effort and resilience has been recognised in this check. Results will be shared with parents later in the Summer term.

RECEPTION REACH OUT TO LOCAL COMMUNITY

This month, it is reception's turn to reach out and spread our LERANER values into the community and didn't they do it in style! Reception learners made beaded bracelets to sell in school, raising money to organise a fantastic fun-filled day at Horsefair Care Home with the Farm on wheels. Learners were able to raise enough money to pay for the farm to visit the residents and our learners went along to join in the fun. A fantastic time was had by all and teachers, staff and residents all commented on the exceptional behaviour of all learners during the visit. We look forward to sharing their story in assembly on Friday.



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DATES FOR THE DIARY

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| Thursday 28th June | Year 5 visit to Netherstowe (Lichfield) <i>Please bring your trainers.</i> |
| Friday 29th June | Reception Class LEARNER Assembly <i>2.45pm – Parents of learners in reception invited to join us for a celebration of Reception classes LEARNER in the community.*</i> |
| Tuesday 3rd July | PTFA – Festival @ The Hayes <i>4.30pm – 6.00pm: Learners invited to join the PTFA for an outdoor disco and picnic*.</i> |
| Wednesday 4th July | Termly Learning Conferences for Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and 2* |
| Friday 6th July | Year 5 and Year 6 First Aid Training <i>Girls please wear shorts under skirts and dresses on this day so you can join in with all of the activities.</i> |
| Friday 6th July | Nursery Educational Visit to National Forest Adventure Farm.* |
| Monday 9th July | Year 5 Design Day at the Hart School* |
| Monday 9th July | Year 6 Leavers Trip to Cinebowl* |
| Tuesday 10th –12th July | In-School Transition Days* |
| Wednesday 11th July | Termly Learning Conferences for Years 3 -6.* |
| Friday 13th July | Reception Educational Visit to Conkers* |
| Saturday 14th July | Brereton Carnival* |
| Tuesday 17th July | Year 6 Leavers Evening <i>Details to follow*</i> |
| Friday 20th July | End of Year Celebration Assembly <i>All parents and carers invited to join us in a celebration of the school year from 2.00pm.*</i> |
| Monday 3rd September | INSET Day <i>School closed to learners on this day</i> |
| Tuesday 4th September | INSET Day <i>School closed to learners on this day</i> |
| Wednesday 5th September | Back to School |
| Monday 29th October | October Half Term Holiday |

Please see attached term dates for 2018-2019