

# HEYTESBURY CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

### 10<sup>th</sup> November 2017



Dear Parents,

What a change in the weather this week – definitely time to switch the heating on. Please make sure your child has a coat to wear outside, as morning play, in particular, is a bit chilly!

Well done to the children who sang so well at today's, very moving, Remembrance Service.



Monday's Mufti Day was very successful – thank you for all the donations towards the Christmas Fair. We will have a second Mufti Day on Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> November – please see the message below from the HSPA.

Many thanks to Mrs Eastman and Miss Roberts who have been working with us to design posters for our forthcoming Open Day, as a well as information leaflets for prospective parents. Much thought, and many hours of work have gone into this – we are very grateful.

Thank you also for all your Bags2Schools donations. We raised an amazing £156.00.

Have a good weekend.

Mrs Godfrey & Team

#### SCHOOL DIARY — TERM 2

##### November

- Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> Prospective Parents Open Day & Evening
- Friday 17<sup>th</sup> Mufti Day – Bring in a jar

##### December

- Friday 1<sup>st</sup> HSPA Christmas Fayre
- Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> Christingle Service
- Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> Carols around the Christmas Tree 2.30pm
- Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> HSPA School Disco 6.30-8.00pm
- Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> Last day of Term 2

#### CLUBS TERM 2 Starting w/c 30<sup>th</sup> October

SPORTS CLUB	KS2	MONDAY	3.15-4.15pm
ART CLUB	BADGERS	MONDAY	3.15-4.00pm
TIMES TABLE WORKOUT	Invitation only	WEDNESDAY	8.30-8.50am
PH SPORTS CLUB	Y1-6 £15.00	THURSDAY	3.15-4.15pm
DANCE CLUB	CAROLINE NEWMAN	THURSDAY	3.30-4.15PM
GARDENING CLUB	Y1-Y3 MAX 8	FRIDAY	3.15-4.15pm
HOMEWORK CLUB	Invitation only	FRIDAY	3.15-4.00pm

## THIS WEEKS ACHIEVEMENTS

### DIAMOND

William G, Tallulah W, Hattie W, Max L

### EMERALD

Seth D, Rowan A-L,

### RUBY

Bella D,

DIAMOND = SOLVING PROBLEMS

SAPPHIRE = KEEPING FOCUS MONSTER

DISTRACTION

EMERALD = RESILIENCE/PERSEVERANCE

RUBY = SUPPORTING OTHERS

**Congratulations to:  
Kyle A for completing his  
Japan maths passport**

## Message from the HSPA

### School Christmas Fair on Friday 1st December, after school.

Please come along to support us in raising lots of money for the school. If you have any unwanted toys to donate to the toy tombola (always a good idea to have a clear out before Christmas), please bring in to school on Thursday 30th. Also, lovely bakers, please, please bring in as many of your amazing offerings as you can for our spectacular cake stall! Bring them to reception on Thursday 30th Nov.

Thanks.



Charles K, Kyle A, Bluebell E,  
Sam M, Katie B, Maisie B,

### Mufti Day

We will have another Mufti Day on Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> November. If your child wishes to come to school in their own clothes, please can they bring a jar of 'goodies' for the children's tombola eg a jar of sweets, hair clips, small toys (new), socks – anything really that fits in a jar.

## Learning Corner

**Badgers:** In Science, we have begun our topic on Electricity. We have thought about power sources and are considering the advantages and disadvantages of battery power and mains power. We are learning about safety and spotting some potential hazards. We are looking forward to making and testing our own circuits. In maths, we have reflected shapes and translated them. Y5 and 6 are brilliant at plotting shapes using co-ordinates in all four quadrants, and have investigated what happens to a shape's co-ordinates when it is translated or reflected.

In English, we have been learning about fronted adverbials of manner. Our geography work has been centered on Mexico – finding out about the country's physical features.

**Foxes:** This week in English we have been describing characters. We have explored the difference between appearance and personality. The children have produced some fantastic character descriptions.

In maths, we have finished looking at subtraction and have moved onto shapes. This week we have been recapping 2D shapes and their properties. We have also been identifying irregular shapes.

During our topic we are continuing to listen to the Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe. We have also learnt about C.S Lewis. The children did some research and found lots of interesting facts. Ask them what they found out about him.

**Otters:** This week we began our topic "Emergency". Thank you to Kai's Mum who came to talk to us about nursing.

In English, we have been learning about punctuation marks with a focus on question marks.

In maths, we began problem solving, deciding if a question required addition or subtraction to solve it.

In RE, we are completing our topic on special people before we begin to learn about the nativity in Heytesbury Church. This week in PE, we investigated the different shapes our bodies could make and also shapes that gymnasts use e.g. pike, straddle.

This term's Christian value:

**Friendship**

### **Ecclesiastes 4:9-12**

Two people are better off than one, for they can help each other succeed. If one person falls, the other can reach out and help. But someone who falls alone is in real trouble.

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**NOVEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup> TO DECEMBER 17<sup>TH</sup>**



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