



Tomorrow's Future Starts Here



Well done to our Year 6's who took part in the Cresset Dance Festival last week. They danced to a song by Whitney Houston and all looked fantastic in their costumes! Mrs Christophi and Miss Moss were extremely proud! Well done to all and a big thank you to Mrs Moore for her choreography and Miss Moss and Mrs Christophi for their organisation!

Dates for your Diary

- Tues 19th June**
KS1 Sports Day—9.30am
Reception Sports Day—1.45pm
Year 3 visit to Kew Gardens
- Thurs 21st June**
KS2 Sports Day 9.30am
EYFS/KS1 Disco—5.30-6.30pm
KS2 Disco—7.00pm—8.00pm
- Fri 22nd June**
Non Uniform Day—Tombola Items
- Sat 23rd June—Hampton Fun Run**
- Mon 25th June**
Year 4 visit to Kew Gardens
- W/C 25th June**
Year 6 Residential
- Reserve Sports Day**
Tues 26th June—KS1/Reception
- Fri 29th June**
Year 1 and 2 to Food and Farming Day—Peterborough Showground
- Reserve Sports Day**
Thurs 5th July—KS2
- Sat 7th July**
The Friends Summer Fair
1.00pm—4.00pm
- W/C 9th July—Science Week**
- Mon 16th July**
Open Afternoon 3.15pm—5.45pm
6.00—7.00pm —Musical concert
- Fri 20th July**
Year 6 leavers assembly 9.00am
End of summer term



Tombola Items and Jam Jars for the Summer Fair

The Friends of Hampton Hargate will be having a non uniform day on **Friday 22nd June**. In return for non-uniform we would like to invite the children to bring in items for the tombola stall for the Friends Summer Fair on Saturday 7th July. Please can the children give any items to the class teacher. **Jam Jars**—Once again we would like all children to be involved by filling and decorating a jam jar. Following on from the successes of the past couple of years if you would like to be involved please could your child decorate a jam jar and fill it with sweets, hair accessories, small toys, or even rice - or maybe you can think of something different and creative which would be brilliant.

New Visitor Sign in system

We have recently installed a new sign in machine in the front foyer. All visitors and children coming in late or leaving for appointments will need to use it to sign in and out. You will also need to use it to sign in for assembly and performances. There will be a member of staff available to help you to do this.

Late Children—You may have seen a representative from the Local Authority stopping parents of children who are late. Further visits will take place this term and next term . We must stress the importance of children arriving on time for school and avoiding receiving a warning letter or a penalty notice from the Local Authority.

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Class Assembly dates for the summer term—Please note some dates have changed

- Thursday 28th June—2RG
- Friday 6th July—2RS**
- Thursday 5th July—RAH
- Monday 9th July—3SH**
- Monday 16th July—4HB**

2017/18 Attendance Figures 5th Sept 2017 — 15th June 2018

Reception:	94.73%
Year Four:	96.52%
Year One:	96.61%
Year Five:	96.82%
Year Two:	96.62%
Year Six:	96.44%
Year Three:	96.38%
Whole school:	96.31%

Milk Bottle Tops —We are collecting plastic milk bottle tops to raise money to support a child with a disability at another school. Please could we ask you to save your plastic milk bottle tops and bring them into school. A box will be available in the foyer to put them into.

Reading Buddies Wanted!

Can you commit an hour of your time each week for a term? We'd love to hear from you. A Reading Buddy is a volunteer who reads with children regularly on a one-to-one basis, helping to develop their enjoyment of books. No previous experience is necessary.

Please email: office@hampton-hargate.peterborough.sch.uk if you are interested. The leaflet below gives details of training being offered for Reading Buddies by the School Effectiveness Team.

Training dates for this term are: Mon 25th June 1-3pm / Mon 9th July 10am-12pm or 1-3pm / Wed 11th July 6-8pm

What is a Reading Buddy?

- A Reading Buddy is a volunteer who reads with children regularly on a one-to-one basis, helping to develop their enjoyment of books
- As a Reading Buddy you will work with children each week
- No previous experience is necessary as training will be given
- All you need is patience and enthusiasm



What will it involve?

- Reading Buddies will need to be able to commit to an hour each week for at least one school term
- You will work with children to develop their confidence to read and discuss a book, either in English or their home language
- You will support children in their reading and spend time discussing the story to develop their wider understanding
- You will need to agree to the school's volunteer policy



What do Reading Buddies and children think?

“Reading with a Reading Buddy is so much fun. My Reading Buddy is very kind and if I get stuck on a word she helps me work it out.”
– Primary school pupil

“It is so rewarding working with the same children each week and watching them progress in their reading. In becoming a Reading Buddy I have learnt a wider range of reading strategies and questioning techniques.”
– Reading Buddy

What are the benefits of becoming a Reading Buddy?

- You will be supporting a local school in raising children's achievement and enjoyment of reading
- You will be developing a child's understanding of language
- You will have the satisfaction of watching a child's confidence, ability and enjoyment of reading progress across the year
- For some children, you may provide the one-to-one support that they may normally find difficult to access
- The training you receive will equip you with additional skills to use when reading with children

What next?

If you have read through the information in this leaflet and feel confident that you can commit an hour each week for a term then we will be very pleased if you sign up to become a Reading Buddy!

Please email schooleffectivenessadmin@peterborough.gov.uk or or call us on 01733 863794



Reading Buddies



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