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Dear Parents/Carers

END OF SCHOOL YEAR 2017-2018

STAFFING AND ORGANISATION

We welcome several new staff to our teaching team from September. Miss Cross (Yr5), Miss Kelly (Yr4), Miss Gallagher (Yr2) and Mrs Carroll (Yr Rec). We welcome them to our school team and look forward to working with them. Mrs Bayliss is now a permanent member of our team having been here since December covering a maternity leave post and Mrs Hollingsworth will be completing her school based Teacher Training Year with us in Year 1.

We are very pleased to inform you that Miss Allen, Mrs Colley and Mrs Cordes are all returning from maternity leave during the autumn term and it will be great to have them back in our school.

We have a change to our support staff from September also. Mrs Walker (currently a Lunchtime Supervisor) will be undertaking a TA Role on a 1 year fixed term contract. Mrs Walker has been doing a part time TA role in Reception this year.

As new people join us we also have to say goodbye. Goodbye to Miss Heron (Yr 4), Mrs Weatherbed (Yr5), Mrs Eyre (Yr Rec) and Mrs Johnson (Supply). Mrs Wilkinson (Yr Rec) and Mr Colley (Yr5) are moving on to new schools and roles from September. Our ICT technician, Mr Lemmon, is also leaving us at the end of term. We wish them all good luck and thank them for their hard work, dedication and commitment to our school and the children they have worked with during their time here. It has been a pleasure to work with them and the support and opportunities that they have all provided to our pupils is very much appreciated.

Mrs Vance and Mrs Duerden will be commencing maternity leave at the end of this term. We look forward to hearing their happy and exciting news in the coming months.

We also have several members of staff getting married this summer. Miss Kinsey and Mr Godfrey, Miss Burton (who will return as Mrs Tomson) and Miss Wheeler (who will return as Mrs Thorold). We wish them all the best for their wedding celebrations.

SUMMER BUILDING WORKS

We have some work planned for the summer break to enhance the facilities and safety of our pupils. You will notice changes to the entrance area of the school when you return in September as we are having new doors and surrounds fitted. This will make the area more modern looking and welcoming and will also mean that parents/carers can now return to using the large, main office hatch. Our new signing in/out machine has recently been installed and we will require all parents/carers to sign in and out of school regardless of how short your visit in the building will be. This is for the safety of yourselves as well as our staff and pupils. An ID sticker will be provided and you will be required to wear this at all times whilst in the building. Although this may initially feel like an extra hassle, it is essential that we know exactly who is in the school building at all times. This is a basic safeguarding requirement and also provides safety for visitors in the event of a fire evacuation.

Pupils who arrive late for school **MUST** be signed in. This ensures that the child is listed on our registration system and also makes sure that they are included on lunch registers etc. You may be aware that we have recently had Late Gating visits from the Local Authority.



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Parents of late pupils are likely to receive warning letters which should not be ignored as this could result in a penalty fine being issued. To avoid being contacted by the LA, please can we stress how important it is to ensure that your child is in school by 8.45am to ensure that they receive their registration mark.

Can I also remind parents/carers that the school does not receive ANY money from penalty fines which are issued.

MUSIC

Our Music celebration evening took place on Monday. The evening was a great success and provided an excellent opportunity for our children who learn instruments and attend the choir to showcase their abilities. The children had been practising hard to perfect their pieces and the audience enjoyed performances by the school choir, keyboard players, violinists, flautists, percussionists, brass to name a few. Thanks to Miss Kinsey for organising the evening and to the various peripatetic teachers too.

SPORTS WEEK

The week was packed with fun filled activities from the more traditional sporting fixtures such as Cricket, and Tennis to the more unusual Bubble Football! The Zumba and Archery were definitely a hit and the children enjoyed scaling the dizzy heights of the climbing wall. The Circus Skills Workshop once again was a great end to a fantastic week! It is safe to say that the children and staff all had a thoroughly enjoyable week. Well done to Mr Godfrey and Miss Burton for organising Sports Week and a big thank you to the children for taking part and to the people who came into school and provided all of the interesting activities. Thank you to everyone who donated to the Sport Relief run which raised over £455 for the charity.

YEAR 6 PERFORMANCE

Our Year 6 pupils presented their final production to parents & family last week. It was a great performance and an opportunity to see the pupils demonstrate their drama, dancing and singing skills.

CRESSET DANCE FESTIVAL

Well done to our Year 6's who took part in the Cresset Dance Festival at the end of June. They danced to Whitney Houston and they all looked fantastic in their costumes! Well done to all and a big thank you to Miss Moss, Mrs Christophi and Mrs Moore for their choreography and organisation skills!

E-SAFETY EVENT

We hosted a Free NSPCC run E-Safety event for parents aimed at teaching our children how to be safe online on 6th June. We had a great turnout from parents and the event was a success. Thank you to all those who attended the event. The feedback was very positive and we will try to arrange another session at least biannually.

HAMPTON MACMILLAN CHARITY RUN

All the Hampton Schools will be participating again in a charity run around the lakes in Hampton on Friday 28th September. Money raised will go to Macmillan Cancer Support and Thorpe Hall. Further details after the summer break.

FACEBOOK

We pride ourselves on being a friendly, happy, welcoming and supportive school. If you ever feel that we have got something wrong or made a mistake, please come and talk with us rather than posting something on Facebook! We never refuse to speak with people and are always happy and keen to help resolve an issue or worry that you or your child may have. I'm pleased to say that this doesn't happen very often however, we will contact parents who post online comments which we feel are not acceptable or accurate in relation to our school.

PUPIL EXAM AND ASSESSMENT RESULTS

Many of you will know that pupils have recently completed various tests and assessments in this summer term. Pupils in Year 2 and Year 6 as well as pupils in Year 1 for Phonics Testing, will have brought home their assessment/test results data by the end of term. Well done to all the pupils in all of the year groups



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for their hard work and achievements and great progress. We are very proud of the pupils, their hard work and their results. Thanks to all the staff who have worked with our pupils across the school. We are very lucky to have such conscientious, reliable and hardworking staff at our school who work constantly to provide the best learning opportunities and environment for our pupils. Thanks also to parents/carers for their support and encouragement at home as this makes such a significant difference to your child's learning and progress.

GOODBYE TO PUPILS

Goodbye and good luck to our Year 6 pupils as they leave Hampton Hargate Primary School and move on to their new secondary school. We wish them well as they now prepare for the next step in their education. Also, we have some pupils leaving us from other year groups and moving to new schools and locations both in the UK and abroad. We wish you all well and good luck in your new schools.

AND FINALLY.....

It's been another busy and successful year and I would like to thank you for your continued support over the past 12 months, with everything from class assemblies, Christmas productions, Parent evenings and Sports Days to name a few! For those of you who are saying goodbye to Hampton Hargate as your child/ren are moving on, a special thank you! It has been a pleasure to work with you and everyone at Hampton Hargate Primary School wishes you and your child very best wishes for the future.

Have a great summer break. We will see you and your child for the start of the new school year when the children return on Wednesday 5th September.

Yours sincerely

Andy Lyons

Headteacher

DIARY DATES FOR 2018-2019

(we will provide more dates in September to help give parents as much advance notice as possible.)

Autumn Term 2018/19

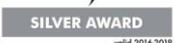
Wednesday 5 th September	Start of Autumn Term 2018/19
Friday 28 th September	Macmillan Charity Run
Wednesday 10 th October	Individual photos
Wednesday 17 th October	Flu Vaccinations – Reception – Year 5
Mon 22 nd – Fri 26 th October	Half Term week
Tues 6 th and Wed 7 th Nov	Parents Evening
Tuesday 18 th December	End of Autumn Term

Spring Term 2019

Thursday 3 rd January	Start of Spring Term 2019
Mon 18 th - Friday 22 nd Feb	Half Term week
Friday 5 th April	End of Spring Term

Summer Term 2019

Tuesday 23 rd April	Start of Summer Term 2019
Monday 6 th May	May Day Bank Holiday
Mon 27 th – Fri 31 st May	Half Term week
Friday 19 th July	End of Summer Term 2019



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