



Hill View Primary School



Newsletter 5

February 2016

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Absence line 227149

February -Term 3

I cannot believe how quickly my time at Hill View has gone and will be really sad to leave at the end of next week. I have thoroughly enjoyed the last 10 months working with the children, staff and parents here. The children are really excited to know that Mrs Ferens returns from her maternity leave on Thursday 11th February.

I wish the school well for the future.

Janet Thomas



Internet Safety.

As part of International Safer Internet Day on Tuesday 9th February all of the children across the school will be learning about online safety.

Look out for an invite from your child to come in to school to see a presentation from some of the older children on how you can keep your child safe. This presentation will be held on Wednesday 24th February at a choice of 9.00am, 2.30 pm or 3.30pm.

Please RSVP to your invite by Friday 12th February.

Have you signed our Safer Parking Pledge?

For further information and to 'sign' this pledge go to:

www.hillview-school.co.uk/safer-parking



For your information we are also in negotiation with a local business owner to enable parents to utilise their parking facilities to help ease congestion and ensure safety for the children in our school. MORE INFORMATION WILL FOLLOW

We urge all parents wherever possible to walk their children to school.

85% of our pupils live within 2 km of the school which is considered comfortable walking distance and 96% live within 3 km, which is considered comfortable cycling distance.





Upcoming events for your calendar:

Tuesday 9th February Safer Internet Day, see above

Thursday 3rd March World Book Day, more information to follow from Hill View's Reading Champions.

Friday 4th March Clean for the Queen. We will be taking part in this national campaign to help clean up the streets of Britain ready to celebrate the Queen's 90th Birthday this year. Further information can be found on the school's website.

Week commencing 14th March Sport Relief. Hill View school will be 'stepping up' to support Sport Relief this year. All children and adults will be taking part. More details will be available on the website and sponsorship forms will come home nearer the time.

Wednesday 10th February Open House Year 5 & 6. Year 5/6 open their doors to welcome parents to test their own investigative skills and solve a murder mystery. Please arrive promptly at 9.15 in order not to miss vital evidence!

Friday 26th February Open House Year 3 & 4. Year 3/4 will open their doors to parents to showcase some of the work whilst learning about the Romans. Please arrive between 1.45 and 2.15 pm.

Thursday 3rd March Open House WHOLE SCHOOL All classes will be open to Parents from 2.30pm. Please bring a favourite book from home to share with your child and some of their friends in celebration of World Book Day. Siblings can be grouped together if you would like, if so— please speak to one of your children's class teachers.

Thank you.

We are sorry that we are saying goodbye to Miss Claire Freeman who has been working in B1 during Mrs Recchia's absence and to Mrs Carole Rowe who has been covering Mrs Husband's class this term. We thank them very much for all their hard work and wish them well.

Bumped head text.

Due to the fact that there can be a delayed reaction, should your child ever bump their head whilst in school we will always inform you by text that day, BUT you do not need to respond to this text.

We will call you if we feel that a conversation is necessary.



Mr. Bump

NB all term dates and other key dates later in the year can be downloaded from our school website. Please do regularly check our website (www.hillview-school.co.uk) for updates on all of the experiences enjoyed by your children in school.

Key Dates

Term 3 2016

- 9.2.16 — Safer Internet Day
- 10.2.16 — Year 5/6 Open House 9.30 to 10.15
- 12.2.16 - End of Term 3 at 3.05pm

Term 4

- 22.2.16 - INSET day for staff—school closed to children
- Tuesday 23.2.16 - Start of Term 4
- 26.2.16 — Year 3/4 Open House 1.45 to 2.15 start.
- 3.3.16 — World Book Day
- 3.3.16 - Whole School Open House — bring a book 2.30
- 4.3.16 — Clean for the Queen
- 14.3.16 — Sport Relief Week
- 17.3.16 — Y3/4 performance 3.30
- 17.3.16 — 5.30—6.30 FSR/Y1/Y2/Y3 disco, 6.45—8.00 Y3/Y4/Y5/Y6 disco
- 21&22.3.16 - Parents Evenings
- Thursday 24th March - End of Term 4 at 3.05pm

Term 5

- Monday 11.4.16 - Start of Term 5
- 2.5.16— May Bank Holiday
- 9.5.16— Year 6 SATs week
- Friday 27.5.16— End of Term 5 at 3.05pm

Term 6

- Monday 6.6.16 - Start of Term 6
- Sports Days—Weather permitting
- 21.6.16— Year 5/6 Sports Day
- 22.6.16— Year 3/4 Sports Day
- 23.6.16— Year FSR 7 Year 1/2 Sports Day
- 24.6.16— FSN Sports Day
- 8.7.16— Whole School Open Afternoon
- 14.7.16— Awards Evening
- 19.7.16— Leaver's' Assembly
- Tuesday 19.7.16 End of Term 6 at 3.05pm

Term 1—September 2016

Children return to school on Monday 5th September 2016

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J Thomas
Acting Headteacher