

Newsletter 25th January 2019

DATE	EVENT	TIME	COMMENTS
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SPRING TERM			
FEBRUARY			
Friday 1	Dress as a teacher Day		For a donation that will go to The British Heart Foundation.
Friday 15	Half Term begins	3.15pm	
Monday 25	Back to school		
MARCH			
Friday 1	Allocation day for Secondary Schools		
Wednesday 6	School Nurse visit		Reception class screening
Thursday 7	World Book Day		Information to follow
Friday 8	Quiz Night	School hall	Start 7.30pm. Teams of up to 8 adults only. Entrance charge is £6 per person. Prizes awarded on the night. There will be a raffle. There are free teas and coffees available but can bring your own refreshments and drinks if you wish. Entry details to follow.
Tuesday 19	K'nex Challenge		
Thursday 21	Parents Evening		Details to follow
Friday 29	Mothering Service	9.30am St Mary's Church	Parents/Carers are welcome to go to St Mary's Church for coffee after dropping the children off and before the service.
Friday 29	Last Day of Clubs for this term		
APRIL			
Monday 1	Reward Day		
Tuesday 2	Easter breakfast		
Friday 5	Easter Service	9.30am St Mary's Church	Parents/Carers are welcome to go to St Mary's Church for coffee after dropping the children off and before the service.
	Easter egg decorating competition Egg rolling competition		The children need to decorate a HARD BOILED EGG at home and bring it into school with them on Friday morning and these will be judged in their classes. This is then followed by the egg rolling completion where the children roll their decorated eggs down a slope in the playground to see whose goes the furthest. (Top Tip: try not to stick too much on the eggs when decorating them as they don't roll very well!) Prizes are given to the most interestingly decorated egg and also the egg that goes the furthest.

			There are not many eggs that survive the egg rolling competition so they are disposed of at school.
tbc	PTFA Easter Egg Hunt	1pm School Field	
	Easter Holidays begin	1pm	
SUMMER TERM			
APRIL			
Tuesday 16	Allocation Day for u11's		Middle and Primary Schools
Tuesday 23	Back to school		

Dates and events are subject to change.

ACADEMIC YEAR 2018/19

Spring Term 2019

Tuesday, 8 January 2019 to Friday, 5 April 2019

Half Term - Monday, 18 February 2019 to Friday, 22 February 2019

Summer Term 2019

Tuesday, 23 April 2019 to Friday, 19 July 2019

Bank Holiday - Monday, 6 May 2019 - **SCHOOL CLOSED**

Half Term Break - Monday, 27 May 2019 to Friday, 31 May 2019

Inset Days - SCHOOL CLOSED

Inset Days - Monday, 22 July 2019 to Wednesday, 24 July 2019 inclusive

Our Value this half-term is: HONESTY

DRESS LIKE A TEACHER DAY

Next Friday, 1st February, children are invited to come into school dressed like a teacher for a donation to the British Heart Foundation. This was great fun last time, with many Mr Bower's and Miss Keen's walking around the school. We look forward to seeing the creative costumes the children come into school in for this very important charity. As their mission statement says, '*Our mission is to win the fight against cardiovascular disease. Our vision is a world in which people do not die prematurely or suffer from cardiovascular disease.*'

DINNER MONEY

You can pay for meals online via the School Gateway or make cheques payable to Herts Catering Ltd (HCL). Cash payments are to be put in a clearly named, sealed envelope with the amount on the front. Receipts will be issued when being processed. The cost per meal is £2.50.

SPRING 1ST HALF TERM

07.01.19 to 15.02.19 inclusive

All week	(30 meals)	£75.00
Wednesday	(6 meals)	£15.00
Friday only	(6 meals)	£15.00
Wed & Fri	(12 meals)	£30.00

SPRING 2nd HALF TERM £2.50 per meal

25.02.19 to 05.04.19 inclusive

All week	(30 meals)	£75.00
Wednesday	(6 meals)	£15.00
Friday only	(6 meals)	£15.00
Wed & Fri	(12 meals)	£30.00

SPRING TERM £2.50 per meal

07.01.19 to 05.04.19 inclusive

All week	(60 meals)	£150.00
Wednesday	(12 meals)	£30.00
Friday only	(12 meals)	£30.00
Wed & Fri	(24 meals)	£60.00

HAPPY BAGS

We would like to thank the PTFA for organising the Happy Bag collection £387.40 was raised. Thank you to all who supported this activity.

GARDEN HOSPICE CAN YOU HELP OUR 'CHARLIE CHICK' CAMPAIGN (EGGS 2019)

Garden Hospice are trying to fill more than 8,000 'Charlie Chick' with Cadbury's crème eggs. If you would like to donate a Cadbury's crème egg please bring it/them into the school office before 8th February 2019.

22.01.19



SHINING STARS were awarded to Nikita.



MERITS were awarded to Mika, Valentina, Blake, Oscar, Favian, Archie P, Astrid, Liam H, Max H, Mia A, Connie, Bella, Nathaniel K, Tabitha, Harry M, Juan, Freddie, Jess J, Jack B, Vinnie and Myles.

THOUGHT TO SHARE: 'Honesty is when you say that you did something...' Leyla Bond (Haffydown Class)