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Friday 18th November

Dear Parents and Carers.

Thank you to our pupils and parents who held the school banner to proudly represent our school community at the Hale Remembrance Parade last Sunday. We are very grateful to you for your attendance and support. We would like to invite all parents/carers and pupils to use our remembrance area in school whenever they would like to.



"We will remember them"



Attendance

Thank you to you all for continuing to support the school in our attempts to improve attendance and learning opportunities for all our pupils.

Last week whole school attendance was 92.5%

Cherry class won the best attendance treat. Their attendance of 97% won them an extra 10 minutes playtime and another star towards their Halebank Attendance Hero reward.

Attendance certificates are being sent out today to all those who have attendance of 95% and above. Even if you have already received a letter informing you that your child's attendance since September has fallen below 95%, your child may receive a certificate for the month of October if attendance improved during that time.

Ruaby

Some of our Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 pupils were lucky enough to play in a tag rugby tournament at the Stadium this week. They had a great time meeting some of the players and having training sessions with them. The children made us very proud as they always do and we had a lot of positive feedback from staff and players who were at the event. Well done to all those who played and represented us on the day – you showed great resilience, sportsmanship, character and determination!

Anti-Bullying Week

We have engaged in lots of different activities this week and talked a lot about friendship, kindness, types of bullying including cyber bullying and strategies to deal with bullying in all its forms. There is a great deal of useful information to be found by following these links.



http://www.kidscape.org.uk/

https://anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/tools-information/free-cpd-online-training

https://www.familylives.org.uk/advice/bullying/anti-bullying-week

https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/talking-child-online-safety/

Christmas Card Competition



Trips and Residentials

Foxhowl- Delamere

REMINDER: you need to sign the parental consent and make payment for the trip in the Schoolcomms Parent App. Please sign the consent as soon as possible thanks. The balance needs to be paid in full by 21/11/22

Kingswood

The 2nd deposits were due for to be paid before Friday 30/09/22. A total payment of £110 should now have been paid, leaving a balance of £114 still to be paid. Please pay this in the school gateway app and see the see the table below as a reminder of the deadlines for the future instalments and due dates.

Date Amount to be paid

Wednesday 18th May 2022 £50

Friday 30th September 2022 £60 (£110 paid in total)
Friday 16th December 2022 £60 (£170 paid in total)

Friday 31st March 2023 £54 (the full amount of £224 paid in total)

Oak class have won the award for tidiest classroom this week and are starting to demonstrate respect for their classroom and resources and developing independent skills at the same time. As they have won this award so many times since September I have decided that they deserve an extra reward so as well as the trophy staying in their classroom for a week they will have the opportunity to negotiate with me about an additional treat.











| Reception | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
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| Timur | Thomas B | Melissa | Lyla | Lottie | Coltyn | Quin |





READING CHAMPIONS

| Cherry Class | Willow Class | Beech Class | Oak Class |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|
| Naya | Ollie | Kaiden M | Sienna |

HANDWRITING CHAMPIONS

| Cherry Class | Willow Class | Beech Class | Oak Class |
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| Phoebe | Lily-Mae | Robin | Amelia |

MATHEMATICS CHAMPIONS

| Cherry Class | Willow Class | Beech Class | Oak Class |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|
| Theo | Warren | Oscar | Reece |



Thursday 24th November – Healthy Coffee Morning **Friday 25th November** – Own clothes day – bring a contribution for our xmas bingo

Friday 25th November - Year 2 and 3 residential trip to Delamere
Forest

Please join us at our Healthy coffee morning on Thursday where we will have the school nurse and a member of the Halton Young People's mental Health Team joining us. They will be available for you to get information from and to talk to if you are interested. Initial coffee and chat will be followed by the usual visit to classrooms.

A prayer to link to our anti bullying theme this week. Thank you Lacey Carmon in Year 4

Dear God,

Please help me to just be kind and lovely to everyone Help me to always feel happy Help others so they do not hurt us. Be kind and REACH OUT!

Amen

Continue to look after each other and help each other to' let your light shine' Have a great weekend.

Mrs C Warner Headteacher