Heckington St Andrew's Church of England Primary School Newsletter



31st October 2019

Dear Parents and Carers.

Welcome back to the new term; I hope everyone had a restful and lovely half term break. We are looking forward to a very busy and exciting term leading up to Christmas! The children are already enjoying their new topics. Remember to keep in touch with what we are doing in school by visiting the class pages on our website or by following us on Twitter @HSAPrimary.

Next week, our Year 5 and Year 6 children will be taking part in parliament week where they will be focusing on the structure of parliament, the roles within it and how our country is governed. We will then hold a debate after the children have had some time to research a topical issue and prepare their viewpoints. I'm sure it will be an exciting week and very timely with a general election in the not too distant future!

Thank you to all the parents who have returned the Learning Profile. We hope that you have enjoyed sharing in your child's learning. If you have not returned it to school yet, could you please do so as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Bentley Headteacher

School Values

By our whole school community living by the Christian values of respect, relationships, responsibility, resilience and reverence, we will produce children ready for the next stage of their lives.

Five Rs = Ready for Life

"I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full." (John 10.10)

Everything we do in school is centred on these core values and at the end of each half term, we celebrate those children who have consistently demonstrated one or more of our school values by presenting them with a Values Award. When they receive this award, you will be invited to attend our collective worship and a special leaf will then be placed on our Values Tree.

KS1 Christmas Performance

Unfortunately, the date that was sent out for the KS1 Christmas Performance was incorrect and the correct dates are as follows:

10th December at 2.30 p.m.

11th December at 6.30 p.m.

We apologise for any inconvenience caused.

Dates for your diary

04.11.19 - Parliament week Y5 & Y6

08.11.19 - Y3 trip to Wildwood craft

08.11.19 - PTFA disco KS1 5-6pm KS2 6.15-7.15pm

12.11.19 - New Parent Open Afternoon 2.30-430pm

15.11.19 - Children in need

18.11.19 - Y5 trip to Space Centre

19.11.19 - New Parent Open Morning 9.30-11.30am

20.11.19 - Flu immunisations—All classes

26.11.19 - Parents' evening 4.30-4.30pm

27.11.19 - Parents' evening 3.30.-6.30pm

29.11.19 - St.Andrew's Day/Christingle Church service 2.30pm

10.12.19 - KS1 production 2.30pm

11.12.19 - KS1 production 5.30pm



FRIDAY 15th NOVEMBER 2019



The children in the Learning Council have met to discuss their ideas and have decided on this year's fundraising activities for Children in Need.

There will be colouring competitions for both key stages at £1 each. Look out for the picture coming home!

Wear non-school uniform, something colourful or Pudsey ears for £1 donation.

We hope you are able to help us raise lots of money for Children in Need.