

Hillside Junior School Weekly Bulletin





Friday 8th July 2022

Message from The Headteacher

"When a flower doesn't bloom, you fix the environment in which it grows, not the flower." - Alexander Den Heijer



In our assembly this week, we talked about the 5 ways to wellbeing. With all the challenges of the last two years, thinking about our wellbeing has never been more important. "Connecting" to people was one of the themes and the children have certainly responded in a magnificent way. The number of children that have stopped to ask me how I am is reflective of the caring and respectful ethos that we promote. The wellbeing team will be doing more work on this in the new academic year.

"Giving" is another theme and this was certainly reflected at the summer fair. I would like to thank the PTA and all the people that helped to make the event such a wonderful success. **An amazing £2,700 was raised**. Thank you to everyone!

Have a good weekend and enjoy quality time together.

Mr. Davies

Sports Day

Please see below the results from Sports Day. Thank you to all parents for attending and supporting the children.

Place Order	Sub Teams	Place Order House Team		
1 st Place	Red Raccoons	1 st Place	Maxwell	
2 nd Place	Green Goats	2 nd Place	Carew	
3 rd Place	Yellow Yaks	3 rd Place	Murray	
4 th Place	Blue Badgers	4 th Place	Hallowell	
5 th Place	Red Rattlesnakes			
6 th Place	Blue Beavers			
7 th Place	Green Geckos			
8 th Place	Yellow Giraffes			

Maxwell Team Captains—Ayren & Paige – Year 6





Dates for your Diary

Mon 11th—Fri 15th July—Last Week for Clubs
Mon 11th July—Year 5 & 6 Trip to Ruislip Lido
Thurs 14th July—Hertfordshire Schools' Transition Day
Fri 15th July— Last Swimming Lesson for 6ST
Mon 18th July—Years 3 & 4 Trip to Cassiobury Park
Mon 18th July—6ST Leavers' Performance—7pm
Tues 19th July—6JO Leavers' Performance—7pm
Thurs 21st July—Y6 Leavers' Picnic/Presentation/Disco
Fri 22nd July—End of Term—1.30pm

Book Amnesty

Please return all library books to school by **Monday 11th July**. A number of our library books are missing. Thank you.

Summer Read Challenge

Northwood Hills Library are visiting us on Thursday to talk to the children about the Summer Reading Challenge. The Summer Reading Challenge combines FREE access to books with fun, creative activities during the summer holidays. Throughout the Challenge, library staff support the children, helping them to discover new authors and to explore a wide range of different types of books and ways of reading.

How the Challenge works

- Children sign up through Northwood Hills Library and
- receive a Gadgeteers collector poster.
- Children set a reading goal and borrow and read library books of their own choice during the summer.
- Children collecting special stickers to complete their poster and extra incentives along the way.
- Children who complete the Challenge are presented with a certificate and a medal!

The official Challenge website hosts digital rewards, author videos, games and more for children to enjoy all summer: www.summerreadingchallenge.org.uk

If your child takes part in the Summer Reading Challenge, they will continue to learn during the holidays, ensuring they return ready for a great start to the new academic year in September!

After-school Club Activities in the Infant School

Week commencing 11th July 2022

Monday - Racing Yacht making/computing suite

Tuesday – Design your own swimwear/indoor bowling

Wednesday – Paper Caterpillar making / penalty shoot out

Thursday - Colouring pages/ hot dog day

Friday - Paper planes/film

Families Magazine



Please click on the image for the Summer 2022 edition of the Families Magazine.

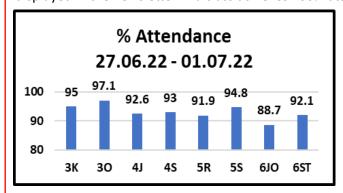


School Lettings

Our School facilities are available to hire outside of school hours and during the holidays. For further information please contact the school via email at lettings@hillsidejunior.org

Attendance

Regular attendance at school is an important part of giving your child the best possible start in life. Our attendance target for all pupils at Hillside is 96% or above. Therefore, weekly class attendance figures will be displayed in the newsletter. If a class achieves 100% attendance, they will be awarded a non-uniform day.



ATTENDANCE AWARD



30 were last week' winners with 97.1%
We hope they enjoyed their 10 minutes extra
play this week.

Achievements

Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Hedil	Vinnie	Jayden	Куе
Aimee	Oliver S —6Rs	Eunice	Alfie
Luana	Hana—6Rs	Casia	Jasmine
Yasmin	Chiara—6Rs	Alex	Martim
Zac	Edward—6Rs	Shai	Moses
Sebastian	Vaibhav	Aashiyana	Ana Luisa
Sophia	Taylor	Filipa	Ezra
	Ava	Justin	Zahra
	Divin	Alfie	Ruby
		Beniamin	
		Jacob	
		Holly	
		Joseph	
		Yusuf	
		Lucas	
		Leonardo	

Times Table Awards						
Bronze	Silver	Gold	Earth	Moon	Sun	Platinum
	Amelia	Saerene				
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Class Achievements
Team Point Winners— Carew
Walk To School— 30
Healthy Eating - 30