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Weekly Newsletter

Friday 12th May 2017
Newsletter No: 30

Attendance w/beg: 01.05.17
Whole School: 97.33%
Class of the week: Class 6 - 100%

Class 1 – 98.00%	Class 5 – 99.17%
Class 2 – 95.83%	Class 6 – 100%
Class 3 – 97.50%	Class 7 – 95.16%
Class 4 – 98.75%	Class 8 – 97.18%

VIP Diners

Invitations for VIP Diners next week will be sent home on Monday.

Handwriting Awards

Children are continuing to work to achieve their handwriting awards.

Letters home

Year 2 – Letter from Hilltop Junior School

Week Beginning

School Dinners

Week 2

Craze of the Week

Big games

Forest School

Group A, Class 1 & 3

No Forest School for Class 2 on 17th May



Upcoming Diary Dates

Please note all dates are on our website

May

25th Shipmates Cake Sale

15th Year 1 Outdoor Learning

22nd Year 1 Outdoor Learning

29th – 2nd June – Half Term

June

5th Inset Day, no children to attend.

28th Sports Day

30th Shipmates Family Disco

July

5th Open Evening 5-7pm

7th Wickford School Transition Day

Parent/Carer Questionnaire

Thank you to everyone who has completed the questionnaires. Lucky ticket number **978** was the winning ticket from the draw. If this is your ticket please bring it to the office and collect your prize. All the questionnaires will be collated and will be on our website shortly.

Midday Assistant

We are currently looking for a Midday Assistant working Monday to Friday. If you are interested in applying for this position please contact Vikki Adkins in the office and collect an application form.

Outdoor Learning Year 1

Please can all Year 1 children come dressed for outdoor learning on Monday 15th & 22nd May.

Shipmates Cake Sale – 25th May

On Thursday 25th May Shipmates will be holding a cake sale after school outside class 4. Please could we ask for donations of either homemade or shop bought cakes. As we have children and staff with extreme nut allergies we ask if you could refrain from donating cakes that have nuts e.g. walnut cake. Please bring all donations into the front office from Wednesday onwards. Thank you.

Letters Home

Please remember to check your child's book bag regularly for letters and any other information. There is a letter from Hilltop Juniors in Year 2 book bags today for anyone who is due to transfer to Hilltop Junior School in September.

Sticks

As part of our end-of-school work with Year 2 children we will be doing lots of activities where the children are thinking about their time at Hilltop Infant School and moving on. As part of this work we will be creating journey sticks and would be grateful if all Year 2 children would bring a stick to school. Ideally the stick should be approximately 30cm long. Children will be using these in class with Tina Tadpole. Please ensure that when children bring the sticks to school they are not playing with them in the playground before. Please bring them into school by Wednesday 17th May ensuring they are named so that the children's journeys are recorded on their own sticks.

Poetry Slam

Thank you to the families of the Year 1 children who have been selected to take part in the Poetry Slam to entertain our Finnish visitors in Wickford next week. We are delighted that you have been able to support with picking up and dropping off your children. We are looking forward to showing off our performance skills at the CLC!

Sunny weather

Now the weather has started to change, please can you ensure that you send your child into school with sun hats or caps and a layer of sun cream in the morning. Please speak to a member of school staff if your child needs any other special arrangements during the summer months.