



HJS NEWS

FRIDAY 17th FEBRUARY 2017

February's value of the month is: Love

There is only one happiness in this life, to love and be loved

Diary Dates

February 2017

Value—Love

Mon 27th—Return to school

Tue 28th—Special Lunch menu

March 2017

Value—Freedom

Thur 2nd—World Book Day

Fri 3rd—Class 12 South American day

Wed 8th & Thur 9th—Parents Evenings

Fri 10th—Mufti Day

Fri 10th—Class 10 South American day

Fri 17th—Class 11 South American Day

Mon 20th—The Big Pedal week

Tue 21st—Bling your bike day, South American theme

Thur 23rd—FunRaisers Bingo

Fri 24th—Class 7 South American Day

Fri 31st—Class 8 South American Day

April 2017

Value—Responsibility

Tue 3rd & Wed 4th—Year 5 production (details to follow after half term)

Fri 7th—Class 9 South American Day

Fri 7th—Break up for Easter Holiday

Mon 24th—Return to school

We had two very special visitors into assembly on Monday morning, The High Sheriff of Shropshire, Mrs Christine Holmes and Hilary Hampton from Veolia.



As a thank you for playing a big part in the Official Opening of Veolia's Battlefield Energy Recovery Facility our school received a gift. It was the exact replica of the gift that our pupils had designed and presented to Her Royal Highness the Princess Royal. After assembly, the High Sheriff had a guided tour of our school and she was very impressed. So much so, she wrote a letter that day. In it she states, "We were very impressed by your values that evidently went through everything staff and pupils do". She finished by saying, 'Congratulations to everyone at Harlescott Junior School for being such a great school serving its local community to a very high standard.'

Attendance — for the week beginning Monday 6th February 2017

Class	Attendance	Class	Attendance
1-Mr Pugh	97%	7-Mrs Baines-Price	92%
2-Miss Felton	99%	8-Miss Sinclair	94%
3-Mrs Hill	96%	9-Mrs Leather	97%
4-Miss Beard	96%	10-Mr Tombleson	92%
5-Miss R Jones	96%	11-Miss T Jones	94%
6-Mr Norman	97%	12 – Mr Heard	97%

Well done to **Class 2** for having the best attendance!

If you have any concerns or questions please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Twidale on:

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School Games News

Netball

Since September the girls netball team have been playing in a league at the Sports Village. During this time they played ten games. Last Thursday they played their last games and came an impressive second in the league. We also took another team who hadn't played any competitive games and they all played brilliantly. The girls have all worked together as a team and deserve their second place.



Also a big well done to the Year 4's who come to netball practise, they turn up each week in the cold and wet but have really developed into very good players.

Hopefully the year 6 girls will carry on playing into year 7 and beyond.

Well done girls!

Medal Team: Sophie S, Jessica T-W, Lily U, Millie W, Lucy S, Milena J, Polly R, Gracie H and Ella P

Quicksticks Hockey

Mrs Owen and Mr Cohen took an A and B team to compete in the Quicksticks Hockey Tournament on, an extremely cold, Thursday 9th February at the Meole Brace Secondary School. Both teams did very well with the A team gaining 3rd place in the A team competition and the B coming 5th in the B team competition. The A team started off well beating Greenacres 8-0 but then played the best team and eventual winners in the competition, Meole Brace, and lost 9-0. Next up was Greenfields with another positive 8-0 scoreline before drawing 0-0 with St Giles and beating St Georges 5-4 after being 5-0 up! These great results meant HJS came runners up in their group and played Radbrook in the play-off for 3rd place. In a very tense and close game HJS came out victors with a 1-0 win thanks to a goal from Jay. The whole team were fantastic especially considering they had only one practise before playing. All the players managed to score at least one goal each during the competition with Jay HJS' top scorer.

The B team also had a great competition they started out against a good Longden team and lost 4-0 before playing Coleham and winning 2-0. They then played two playoff games they won the first 3-0 but unfortunately lost the second to St Georges. Again the whole team were great and with Jacob B top scorer for the B team.

Well done to all those who took part! You should be very proud of your achievements.

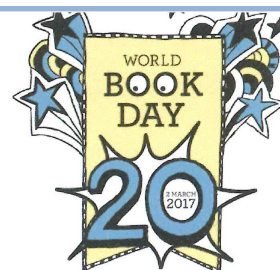
A Team: Noah P, Kaitlin B, Kiera B, Jay M, Callum B, Harry D

B Team: Courtney H, Daniel B, Kuba C, Evan M, Sharlena T, Jacob B

DO
SOMETHING
BOOKY

World Book Day

Thursday 2nd March 2017



Come to school dressed as your favourite book character.

Bring your favourite book into school, when we hear the bell we can all stop what we are doing and read.

Take part in some exciting reading activities.

Collect your book token to get a free book from any of the following book sellers:

Button & Bear, WHSmith, The Illuminate Trust, Penguin Books or Waterstones.



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FunRaisers

The valentine's disco on
Wednesday evening raised an
amazing £418.

We'd like to thank everybody who
volunteered on the evening.



Parents Evenings

Wednesday 8th & Thursday 9th March

At parents evening:

- ◊ Free refreshments will be available in the school hall throughout the evenings
- ◊ Pocket money toys will be available for children to buy
- ◊ Raffle tickets will be on sale

Raffle tickets for our Easter Raffle will be sent home with children after half term

Mufti day on Friday 10 March

Easter Bingo—Thursday 23rd March

A letter will be sent out after half term inviting you to join us at the Easter Bingo.

Please note, places will be limited to 85.

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HARLESCOTT JUNIOR SCHOOL

TERMS & HOLIDAYS 2017/2018

AUTUMN 2017

Term starts:	Tuesday	5 September 2017
Half Term:	Monday	23 October – Friday 27 October 2017
Term ends:	Friday	15 December 2017

SPRING 2018

Term starts:	Wednesday	3 January 2018
Half term:	Monday	19 February – Friday 23 February 2018
Term ends:	Thursday	29 March 2018

SUMMER 2018

Term starts:	Monday	16 April 2018
Half Term:	Monday	28 May - Friday 1 June 2018
Term ends:	Friday	20 July 2018

PD Days (school closed to pupils – teacher training days)

Monday	4 September 2017
Monday	18 December 2017
Tuesday	2 January 2018
Monday	23 July 2018
Tuesday	24 July 2018

Bank Holiday dates

New Year	Monday	1 January 2018
Good Friday	Friday	30 March 2018
Easter Monday	Monday	2 April 2018
May Bank Holiday	Monday	7 May 2018