

# Haughmond Federation News



Thursday 29th March 2018

## Federation Dates

SISN Dates in blue

HJS Dates in red

### APRIL

16th Summer Term Starts

17th Class photographs

24th FunRaisers meeting

9.15am at SISN

### MAY

7th BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY

14th Yr 6 SATS week

21st Walk to School Week

24th Community picnic 4pm at

HJS

25th last day of half term

28th—1st HALF TERM

### JUNE

4th Back to school

4th Y2 male carers afternoon

5th EYFS2 male carers  
afternoon

6th Y1 male carers afternoon

### JULY

2nd Transition day

6th Summer Fair at HJS

5th Disco

12th HJS open evening

12th KS1 Sports Morning

13th EYFS Sports Morning

16th Sports Day

18th Disco & Leavers party

20th End of Term

If you would like any further information for the events listed above then please contact the schools directly. More details will be printed in the newsletter closer to the actual event if applicable.



We would like to wish everyone a Happy Easter and hope that everyone enjoys the holiday and we look forward to welcoming everyone back on Monday 16th April!

## Sport Relief

At SISN we had an exciting afternoon full of sporting activities. Each class had fun with Yoga in classrooms then outside we had net games, cricket games with coach Ed and an agility obstacle course as well as a fun musical warm up with Mr Tisdale.

Everyone joined in and smiles could be seen everywhere all in the name of sport relief! Can I say a big thankyou to all the children and adults who joined in, but an especially big thankyou has to go to the sports leaders who were immensely

helpful all afternoon. They supported setting up, delivering activities and clearing away afterwards. Everyone has said how impressed they were of your responsible and hardworking attitudes. Super work sports leaders who were Mason, Leighton, Maizie and Harry.

We are also thrilled to announce that on the day we managed to raise a grand total of £127.50. Amazing!



HJS also enjoyed a great day for Sport Relief with dancing in the hall with Miss Beard and all the children looked great in their sportswear! HJS raised £198 and we would like to thank everyone across the Federation for their involvement and donations.





# HJS



## March's Value of the Month is Thoughtfulness

### Girls Football – Under 9

The Year 4 girls played in the second round of the County tournament on Wednesday 21st March at the Sports Village. The girls were grouped with Prees and Longner. They played Prees first and played very well in an even game, Prees scored first but Livvy managed to equalise for the game to finish 1-1. The girls then played Longner, HJS dominated the game but were unable to find that all important goal, so the game ended 0-0. Next up was Prees again in an end to end game it was Prees who scored first but this time HJS couldn't find an equaliser. In the last game against Longner the girls played some good football and again dominated. After some fantastic runs Livvy scored to make it a 1-0 win for HJS. In the final game HJS needed Longner to beat Prees but when the game ended 0-0 it meant HJS had not made the final this time.

Well done girls you should be very proud of your achievements finishing in the top four in the County!

Team: Iona, Grace, Olivia, Livvy, Megan, Ruby, Apral and Lexi

### School Photographs



School photos will be conducted on Tuesday 17th April 2018. At this session we will be photographing Year 6 and class groups. Parents will receive free proofs of every image with the option to make a purchase.

### Running Club

Mrs Owen, Mrs Downes and Mrs Thain are starting up a running club before school on Tuesdays after Easter. If you are interested then please just turn up at around 8:20/8:25 on Tuesday mornings and sign in at the office. It will take place on the field at 8:30am. The club is free and is open to all children, staff and parents.

### Attendance –for the week beginning Monday 19th March

Class	Attendance	Class	Attendance
1-Mr Price	97.7%	7-Mr Norman	97.4%
2-Miss Felton	92.3%	8-Mr Richards	91%
3-Mrs Hill	87.4%	9-Mr Tombleson	95.9%
4-Miss Beard	99.2%	10-Mrs Leather	92.9%
5-Mrs Downes	88.5%	11-Miss Morris	98.3%
6-Mr Davies	96.7%	12 – Mr Heard	94.2%

Well done to **Class 4** for having the best attendance!

If you have any concerns or questions please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Twidale (Head of School) on:  
Email: [headhjs@haughmondfe.net](mailto:headhjs@haughmondfe.net) Tel: 01743 462087 [www.harlescott-jun.shropshire.sch.uk](http://www.harlescott-jun.shropshire.sch.uk)

### **Gymnastics Roadshow (Year 3 & 4)**

On Thursday 14th March three British Gymnastics coaches came into school to provide taster sessions for children in Year 3 & 4. The sessions went very well and the children had fun. They enjoyed using a springboard and doing forward and backward rolls. Some also said they would like to join a gymnastics club in the future because it was lots of fun and they would learn new things.



Well done to all the children who took part!

### **School Dinners**

**Please be reminded that school dinners are increasing to £2.10 from Monday 16th April**

### **Sustrans Big Pedal**

Harlescott Junior School will be participating in this year's Big Pedal from 23rd April to 4th May. It is the UK's largest inter-school cycling and scooting challenge and on each day schools compete to see who can record the greatest number of pupils cycling or scooting to school. The school's best five days will determine our final rank amongst the other schools competing. If over 15% of the school participate, HJS will be entered into a daily prize draw to win rewards such as bike and scooter stunt shows or equipment for the school. Please see Mr Heard if you would like further information.

### **New Mural**

For the last 2 weeks Rory has been back at HJS. He's worked with the children discovering their dreams, aspirations and ambitions. He then used their ideas to create this stunning mural. The children were able to visit Rory while he painted, to watch him work and have a chat. We have all thoroughly enjoyed this experience and would like to thank Rory for all his hard work. Many of the children have been inspired by Rory and been



drawing their own works of art which is great to see.

### **Learning Beyond the Classroom**

Over the past two weeks we have had our termly Learning Beyond The Classroom Awards with over 100 children receiving rewards for their activities outside school. This time we were lucky enough to have a motivational speech from our visiting artist Rory McCann about the amazing life he and his brothers have led thanks to the passions they pursued as children. We also enjoyed an amazing performance from Miss Beard's dance club children – they were fabulous. Next term Mr Heard would love to hear from children who have a talent they would like to share in our Learning Beyond The Classroom Awards at the end of the Summer Term.