

Tuesday 19 July 2016

Non-Uniform Day...

Thursday 21 July, the last day of term, will be a non uniform day at school. For a donation to the school PTA Friends of Hampton College, children can come to school in their own clothes on the last day of term.

Hampton Parish Council Prizes...

Well done to Munya (Y1), Helen (Y2) and Ella (Y3) who last week won a £10 WH Smith voucher which was presented by Councillor Marion Sharp from Hampton Parish Council. Munya was awarded his prize for "Care and kindness to others", Helen's prize was for "Commendable effort" and Ella's prize was the "Hampton Junior Community Champion" award. Congratulations to all three children and many thanks to Hampton Parish Council.

Calendar dates...

Thursday 21 July

Last day of the summer term
The gates will be opened at 12.25pm in order for parents to collect children from 12.30pm onwards.

Wednesday 7 September

First day of the new school year
We look forward to welcoming our children back to school on Wednesday 7 September.

Thank you and Happy Holidays...

An enormous thank you to all of our parents and carers for your support, involvement and working in partnership with us this year. We really appreciate the support we get from our families and wish you a very happy summer break.

Thank you also to our children for working hard each and every day to make us all PROUD. Have a happy, sunny and safe summer holiday and we look forward to seeing you again in September.

Y3 and Y4 Swimming...

We are pleased to inform you that Y3 will go swimming from **Wednesday 7 September** until **Wednesday 21 October** and Y4 will go swimming from **Wednesday 2 November** until **Wednesday 14 December**. Please see the letters coming home today and return all consent slips as soon as possible.

Head of School Awards...

Congratulations to all of our children who have achieved a Head of School award this year. You have made your teachers (and parents) very proud and we hope that you are proud of your achievements too. Here's to many more awards next year!

Primary Phase Classes...

We are pleased to share our full staffing list for next year.

Reception - Miss Jones and Miss Prodrick will be our reception class teachers with Mrs Watson, Ms Kelly and Miss Stewart as our reception teaching assistants (TAs)

Year 1 - Mrs Clark and Mr Elias will be our Y1 teachers and Mrs Kavanagh and Mrs Moore are our Y1 TAs

Year 2 - Mrs Hodgson, Miss Varone and Mrs Patten will be teaching in Y2 with Mrs McNair, Mr Debell and Ms Gleave as their TAs

Miss Stansfield will be working as a TA with children across reception and KS1. Miss Rogers will be continuing as a TA at primary phase too.

Year 3 - Mrs Tuley and Mr Waters are our Y3 class teachers with Mr Dawson and Mrs Briggs as the Y3 TAs

Year 4 - Mr Platt and Mr Warner will be teaching in Y4 with Mrs Tanner, Mrs Imran and Miss Lemon as the Y4 TAs

Miss Trigg and Mrs Smart will continue to teach across the primary phase.

School Attendance Matters (SAM)...

On Thursday we will be awarding **Excellent** attendance awards to children who have attended school for 98.5% of the year or more and 100% attendance awards for children who have been here every day without a single day's absence. Well done to those children!



School Lunches...

Our school meals online ordering system, Wisepay, will be updated over the summer holidays with our new menus for the autumn term. Please can we ask parents to log on on Monday 5 and Tuesday 6 September to order hot school dinners or packed lunch options for the first week(s) back.

If you have a child going into Y1 or Y2 in September, school meals will continue to be free as they are paid for by the Government's national Universal Infant Free School Meals programme.

If you have a child going into Y3 or Y4 in September, you will need to pay for each meal ordered using Wisepay. Each meal is charged at £2.30 and is payable at the time of ordering. If you think you may be eligible for Free School Meals, please see the column on the right of this page and do not hesitate to contact Mrs Clarke in the primary phase office.

If you are aware that your Wisepay account is in arrears, please ensure this is settled before the end of the school year.

End of year reports...

Please ensure that any parental comments on your child's end of year report are returned to your child's class teacher by Thursday 21 July to enable us to photocopy your comments and attach these to your child's report in their school file.

Peterborough Travel Survey...

During August and September the local charity Peterborough Environment City Trust (PECT) will be undertaking a sustainable travel project across Hampton, to provide residents with the information and help necessary to encourage them to take more journeys by bus or to walk and cycle more. For this work, Project Officers will be going door-to-door across the area conducting surveys and providing information to all households. If you do get a visit from one of the team it would be really appreciated if you would be able to spend a few minutes answering their questions. For more information contact travel@pect.org.uk

Y2 teacher assessment exemplification...

A guide for teachers, which indicates the requirements for each of the new judgements for the end of Y2, is available on the DfE website, should parents wish to find out more information about the new judgements used for Y2 assessments. Please see the link in the box below.

Free School Meals Forms...

If your family has a low income and you are in receipt of any of the following:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit, provided you are not entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual income (as assessed by HM Revenue & Customs) that does not exceed £15,575
- The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit

your child may be eligible for Free School Meals in school (in years 3 to 6). In addition to this the school will also be able to claim £1,320 in additional funding per pupil if they are eligible for Free School Meals. This forms our Pupil Premium allocation and enables us to support children and families in school in a number of ways. If you have any questions regarding your child's eligibility for Free School Meals and Pupil Premium funding please contact Mrs Clarke.

Green Team...

Well done to our Green Team who won two awards in the recent Peterborough Schools' Eco Awards at Voyager School. We are very proud of your achievements Green Team.