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Friends of HPS Forthcoming Events for your Diary

Next Meeting-The next meeting of the friends will be on Tuesday 25 September at 2pm in the staff room. Everyone is welcome.

Disco- The friends are holding a mask disco on Wednesday 17 October more information will follow shortly.

NEWS

Breakfast Club and Afterschool Club-Due to popular demand our Breakfast Club and Afterschool Club places are booking up quickly this term. We have taken on additional staff to meet the growing number of children attending the clubs and thank you for your support in using them. If your child attends either of the clubs, we will be sending home our new booking forms as well as the updated handbook and Afterschool Club collection policy. Please can you ensure you complete the new booking form and return it to the School office by Friday 5th October to secure your child's place for the Autumn term. Adhoc sessions will still be available, however they must be booked at least 24hours before your child attends. We will do our best to accommodate your request, however due to limited places we may not always have availability. Children cannot attend unless you have booked a place. If you have booked a place, but do not use it, you will still be charged. Please always inform the school office if your child is not going to attend for any reason and we can inform the club staff. For more information about either clubs visit the school website or ask a member of staff.

Parking on Broad Lane and Orchard Way-Please can we remind parents that when dropping off and collect children from the school that they do not park across residents driveways in Broad Lane and Orchard Way.

Thank you from Theatre Alibi- It was again an absolute delight to visit Heathcoat, the children are wonderful and the staff amazingly friendly and engaged. You'd be amazed what a difference it makes to our day! Please thank everyone from me and the team. Photos taken of the performance can be viewed on the Theatre Alibi website.

Parental Consent Forms- Just a reminder to all parents that the processing data consent forms that were sent out last week need to be returned to your child's class teacher.

Learner of the week



FSDB William
FSG Dylan G
1BA Alfie H
1P Alfie B
2D Daisy
2P Isabel
3H Michaela & Libby
3S Nathan
4C Billy
4E Ella
5F Maddie
5S Emily
6P Martyna
6W Libby

Lunchtime Behaviour



FSDB Lewis
FSG Poppy-Mai
1BA Caitlin
1P Dexter
2D Felicity
2P Alice
3H Rebecca
3S Summer
4C Sebastian
4E Niara
5F Harry
5S Jessica
6P Darcie
6W Ronnie

Best Attendance

4C- 100%





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Diary Dates



International
Languages Day-
26 September

Term Dates



Autumn Half Term
Monday 22 October-
Friday 26 October

Last Day of Autumn Term
Wednesday 19 December

First Day of Spring Term
Monday 7 January 2019

Spring Half Term
Monday 18 February-
Friday 22 February

Last Day of Spring Term
Friday 5 April

First Day of Summer Term
Tuesday 23 April

Goodbye & Thank You- We will be saying goodbye to Lou Dedames our family support worker, on Thursday. She has worked at our school for 13 years in a number of roles. We would like to thank her for all her hard work and wish her all the best in her new challenge.

We will not be running tea and toast for the foreseeable future, whilst we appoint our new family support worker. Other staff in school are already working with children during the day so we won't have anyone to run it. Therefore Wednesday this week will be the last session at the moment.

Vacancy For Parent Governor- The Governing Board of the Federation of Tiverton Schools are looking for someone to fill a vacancy for a Parent Governor. For information about what a governor does see

http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/parents/school_governor/.

The successful candidate would represent all three schools – Tiverton High School, Heathcoat and Rackenford Primary Schools. If you are interested in applying for this challenging but very rewarding role, please contact the clerk to governors' sskinner@tiverton.devon.sch.uk by 5th October.

Breakfast Run- Hospiscare are holding a sponsored walk, run, jog at Knightshayes on Sunday 30 September. You can do the 5Km or 10Km course in your pyjamas and enjoy a bacon sandwich and a hot drink at the end. More information can be found at www.thebreakfastrun.co.uk or sign up today by calling 01392 688020

Super Learners

The children below have all reached the very top of our learning behaviours and expectations system this week.

3S-Thomas has done some super work at home on the Egyptians topic.

3H Macey- Exceptional listening during learning.

5S Cameron- He has demonstrated resilience in his learning using new skills and working independently.

WOW SLIPS

3S-Zach wowed the crowd at the British National BMX Championships in Blackpool finishing an impressive 9th position.

2D-Nicola has learnt to ride her bike without stabilisers during the summer holidays.

3S- Maggie has completed stage 3 in Swimming.

5S-Jack has completed stage 5 in Swimming.

