Howes Primary School Newsletter: 14th October 2016

Brilliant Books and Breakfast Workshops



Wednesday 19th October - Year 1 8:30-8:55am

Please make sure that you return the reply slíp by Monday 10th October to let us know which adult is coming, thank you.

Year 3 and 4 Football Tournament



Well done to Georgia, Jake, Rubi, Zaryah, Reece, Ethan H and Josh for representing Howes at a football tournament this week and for coming second. Miss Gandy and Mrs Turner were very impressed by how well you worked as a team.

Friends of Howes Cinema Evening (Reception to Year 6)

If your child would like to attend the cinema evening on Friday 21st October from 3:20-5:30pm then please ensure that you have returned the reply slip by Wednesday 19th October, thank you.



@FriendsofHowes

Find out all the latest news from the Friends of Howes by following us on Twitter. Please feel free to like our tweets or retweet us.

Year 3 Class Assembly



Well done to Year 3 for their fabulous, stupendous, fantastic, awesome class assembly this morning all about adjectives. It was lovely to see so many parents and family members at the assembly.

Thank you to Mrs Ceairns, Mrs Henshaw, Miss McKinlay and Mrs Knibb in helping the children to put everything together.

Admissions

We would like to remind parents with children in Year 6 and Nursery of the following closing dates for applications for Reception and Year 7 places:

Admission to Reception - 15 January 2017 Admission to Year 7 - 31 October 2016



Please can we remind all families not to park or drop off children on any of the markings outside the front of school or at the top of Palermo Avenue by the school gates.

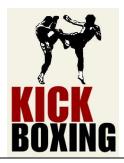
This is to ensure the safety of all of our children. Thank you.

War Memorial Park Visit



On Wednesday morning Year 6 went to the Memorial Park to learn about the First World War and the Battle of the Somme.

You can listen to a radio interview of their visit on (1:15:00) ______bbc.co.uk/programmes/p04_.... Well done to Emelia in Year 4 for appearing on BBC Street Auction.



Attendance and Lateness

Please can we remind all families that the bell rings at 8:55 am. Absence phone line: please telephone the school office on 02476411711 as soon as possible.

Class	Attendance	Lateness
Nursery	96.5%	0
HIU	82.7%	2
Reception	91.3%	6
Year 1	93.1%	6
Year 2	94.3%	2
Year 3	97.9%	2
Year 4	98.1%	3
Year 5	99.2%	4
Year 6	99.6%	6
Overall	95.9%	31

Attendance is a priority at Howes. We need to improve our attendance in order to achieve Good at our next Ofsted Inspection. Please work with us to ensure that your child arrives at school on time and attends every day.



Non Uniform Day: Friday 21st October To support Stand Up To Cancer. We are asking for donations of 50p. All proceeds will be sent to support the work of SU2C. Thank you.

Thank you

Cheylesmore Ward Forum

Cheylesmore Ward Forum will be held at Howes Primary School from 7pm-9pm on Tuesday 18th October. All members of the Howes Community are welcome to attend.



20th October Flu vaccinations for Years 1, 2 and 3

20th October Parents Consultations

21st October Year 6 Class assembly 9am

21st October Non Uniform Day

21st October Friends of Howes Cinema evening 3:20-5:30pm

24th-28th October Half Term School Closed



- 2nd November Year 3 and 4 visiting the Roman Fort
- 3rd November Individual photographs
- 4th November Year 5 Class assembly 9am
- 11th November Year 4 Class assembly 9am
- 16th November Friends of Howes Meeting 6pm at school
- 18th November HIU Class assembly 9am
- 18th November Children In Need
- 18th November Coffee afternoon 2-3pm
- 25th November Non uniform
- 25th November Friends of Howes discos



- 5th December FS/KS1 dress rehearsal 9:30am
- 6^{th} and 7^{th} December FS/KS1 performances 2pm
- 8th December Choir/Guitar assembly 9am
- 9th December Jenni's Dance Club assembly 9am
- 9th December Friends of Howes Christmas Fair 3:30-6pm
- 12th December Whole school visit to Christ Church 1:30pm
- 13th December Christmas Jumper/T Shirt Day
- 13th December Christmas Dinner
- 14th December Friends of Howes meeting 6pm at school
- 14th and 15th December Christmas Craft days
- 16th December End of term
- 17th December 2nd January Christmas Holidays



3rd January- Start of term for children

20th- 24th February- Half term

7th April- End of the Spring term



24th April- Start of term for children

1st May- Bank Holiday- school closed

29th May-2nd June- Half term

5th-9th June- Training week for staff, school closed to children

25th July- End of the summer term