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Hopping Hill Headlines

Date: Friday 2nd November 2018

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Message from Mrs Phillips

Welcome back to the second half of the Autumn term; children have returned full of enthusiasm for learning and have settled well after the break.

On the Friday before half term our year 5/6 netball team were triumphant at the Duston Cluster sports afternoon, a great team effort with Luis as outstanding player. Success in sports also continued this week with children from Key Stage 1 and 2 taking part in new age curling; they were excellent role models for school.

On Wednesday we held an open day for parents looking at Reception places for 2019. Children were so proud as they showed off their school to new children and their families. Many parents commented on their excellent behaviour and attitudes. Selected children in year 6 were exceptional ambassadors to school when leading tours. Teachers were blown away by their presentation skills and maturity as they talked with confidence about their school. Well done we were very proud of you!

As the weather turns colder please ensure children have named coats in school, we are outside throughout the winter months as much as possible at playtimes so correct clothing is essential.

On Friday 9th November children will take part in our own memorial service in school to remember those who fought in the wars, especially focusing on 100 years since the end of World War 1. Children should wear their poppies to school; special assemblies and lessons will take place next week to look back at this time in history.

Have a pleasant weekend and enjoy any fireworks displays



Years 3, 4, & 6 will be visiting the cinema on 7th November, they can bring along a small snack and drink to enjoy while they are there, but please note that family sized sharing bags will not be allowed.

Children now have Reading Log Bookmarks. When they have read three times at home they will get a sticker for their bookmark; when they have 5 new stickers they will get to pick a reward.



Termly Learning Conferences will be held on the following dates, please come along with your child, to meet their teacher, discuss progress and ask any questions you may have:

13th November 3.30pm – 5.30pm

14th November 5.00pm – 7.30pm

Appointments for children in Reception to Year 6 must be booked online at the following website:

<https://hoppinghill.parentseveningsystem.co.uk>

*You will need to enter your child's first name, surname and date of birth
If you need any help logging in please contact the school office.*

We are unable to add children in Nursery to the Parent Evening System, further details to follow next week

**Termly Learning
Conferences**

Dates for your diary . .

5th November School Photographs

7th November Year 3, 4 & 6 Cinema Visit: The Greatest Showman

13th November Year 5 Cinema Visit: Sherlock Gnomes

13th November Termly Learning Conference 3.30pm – 5.30pm

14th November Termly Learning Conference 5.30pm to 7.30pm

22nd November Years 1 & 2 Cinema Visit: Captain Underpants

29th November Year 3 Ukulele Recital 9am

19th December School closes at 3:15pm for the Christmas Holiday

7th January School re-opens to pupils

Please note dates may be subject to change

For information on recent sporting events, please visit the 'Sports

Team Results' tab on our website, or visit our Twitter page, you do not need a twitter account to access this

<https://twitter.com/HoppingHill>

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This Week's Words

Grasshopper

tussle

ready

soak

wry

inflate

Shinobi

recuperate

visceral

rebel

nestle

evocative

Vocabulary Ninja

'Words unlock the doors to a world of understanding'



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Hopping Hill school is committed to promoting the wellbeing and safety of all of its pupils. School staff have clear statutory roles and responsibilities in this. Our Safeguarding policy is available on the school's website and from the office. Michelle White (Deputy Head) is the named Designated Safeguarding Lead. Please do not hesitate to contact her should you have any questions or concerns

If you have received a paper copy, please activate your ParentPay account so that we can send this to you by email and reduce paper usage.

If you would like a reminder of your login details, please contact the school office