



## SUMMER 2 TERM

### NEWSLETTER Week 39: July 15th 2016

Dear Parents/Carers

#### YEAR 6 LEAVERS

The children in Year 6 had an excellent day at Barnsley Bowl on Tuesday as part of their leaving celebrations along with the leavers assembly today. We would like to wish them all the very best for September and for their future. You have all made the Academy proud in your final year with us—GOOD LUCK

#### STAFF NEWS

We are delighted to welcome back Miss Thornton this week after she returned from her maternity leave. She will be working with Year 5 in September.

Mrs Carrington who is both our Lunchtime Supervisor and Cleaner will be going on maternity leave shortly. We would like to wish her well as she waits for her new arrival.

On a sadder note we say goodbye to Miss Mason who has been one of our Lunchtime Supervisors for the past 6 years. We wish her all the very best in her new job and to say Thank you for the service she has given to school.

#### SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPH DAY

Our school photograph day is quite early in the school year when we return—Monday 12th September. Letters will come home to parents on the first day back in school, but with less than a week we thought we'd give you an early notice.

#### SCHOOL MILK

If your child would like to join the school milk scheme in September, please remember that we no longer run this through school and it is now done through School Milk UK. Please contact them directly to join. We recently sent letters and leaflets home with information on how to join.

#### CALENDER

We will sent out a calendar for the new school year in September. Our website has the dates posted should you need them beforehand.

#### AWARDS CEREMONY AT HACA

On Tuesday 12th a number of our children were invited to an Awards Ceremony by Claire Southam at Hemsworth Arts and Community Academy. The year 2 children were presented with their Multi Skills trophy that they recently won and Holly Place and Lewis Jedynak were given an award for Best Sportsman and Sportswoman. It highlighted their outstanding efforts and performance. It was lovely for them both to be recognised for their sporting attributes. Well Done to Everyone who was chosen to attend.

#### MAGIC BREAKFAST

On Tuesday morning the CEO of Magic Breakfast came in with fruit for the children as a special Thank You for running our very successful Breakfast Club. The press came and photographs will be in the local paper and they are also available on Magic Breakfast Twitter Account. We were selected from hundreds of schools throughout the country.

#### MESSAGE FROM MRS WAKEFIELD

As the year draws to a close I would like to thank parents, staff and pupils, for their continued support this year. It has been a 'busy' year with HMI in December, a wide range of various audits within school, moderation of both KS1 and KS2 data, and so the list goes on. It is important to note that through it all we have successfully proven, over and over again, the significant improvements that are now in place across our Academy. This has culminated in success for our KS2 outcomes. We are very proud of our Year 6's and they too should be proud of their results in the KS2 SATs. Through a time of increasing challenge in the curriculum and raised expectations in the tests our children have done incredibly well and the gaps that existed in previous years have now narrowed greatly. We wish them well as they move on to secondary education, whilst also looking forward to the upcoming, even more successful, year that is to come at Havercroft. I wish everyone a wonderful (and hopefully sunny) summer holiday and look forward to continuing the great progress next year.

**Government Target for Attendance in schools is 95% and above. Please help us improve our figure for last year which was below government guidelines.**



### ATTENDANCE WINNERS

The proud winners of the attendance awards over last week were:

#### w/c 27th June—1st July

Reception— 90.45%  
Year 1— 95.81%  
Year 2—90.00%  
Year 3—91.74%  
Year 4—96.54%  
Year 5—98.85% **WELL DONE**  
Year 6—95.00%

#### w/c 4th July—8th July

Reception— 86.82%  
Year 1— 97.42% **WELL DONE**  
Year 2—93.50%  
Year 3— 92.17%  
Year 4—96.54%  
Year 5—90.38%  
Year 6—93.06%

**Attendance for the School Year up to last week was**  
**93.38%**

### Government Target is 95% and above

Across school persistent absences is now set at equal to or less than 90%. Children that fall into that category will have a Red attendance summary sent home & EWO Involvement.

### SCHOOL UNIFORM

Just a reminder that WATERSON'S in Hemsworth is our uniform provider. All Jumpers and Cardigans must have the school logo on them. School shoes must be black and a proper shoe. Please don't waste money buying unsuitable and incorrect uniform.

### BLAZERS

The Blazer collection for the children in Yr 5 will be available on Monday 5th September. Due to Staff Training can I ask parents not to come until after 11.00. School will be open for the rest of the day.

### DINNER MONEY

Just a reminder that from September the cost of a school meal increases to £2.05. Please send the money in an envelope with your child's name and class wrote on the front on a Monday morning.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY SEPTEMBER 2016

Monday 5th September

INSET DAY

Tuesday 6th September

School Opens for the New School Year

12th September

School Photograph Day

Friday 16th September

NSPCC Assembly KSI & 2

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

This week would like to wish

**Pricilla Rocha**  
**Ella Johnson**  
**Michael Ridsdale**  
**Kacey Copley**  
**Georgina Wainwright**  
**Emanuel Dunkley**  
**Lewis Jedynak**  
**Lucas Dunnill**  
**Charley Wright**



**A Happy Birthday to you all.**  
**And during the holidays -**

**Kai Darby**  
**Rylee Beaumont**  
**Jacob Mortimer**  
**Lily Fretwill**  
**Scarlett Fretwell**  
**Joseph Channer**  
**Amber Armitage**  
**Hakeem Clements**  
**Macey—Grey Jedynak**  
**Brogan O'Neill**  
**McKenzie Kilner**  
**Leo Madden**  
**Patricija Natra**

**We hope that you have a wonderful day**

**Hope you have a Wonderful  
Summer Holiday.**  
**See you in September.**

