



# HAYES MEADOW PRIMARY SCHOOL

Spode Avenue, Handsacre, Rugeley, Staffs WS15 4EU

'Be the Best We Can Be'

## Newsletter

8<sup>th</sup> March 2019



### Team Points

Well done everyone!

Team point totals this week are; Red Team=198; Yellow Team =217;  
Blue Team=296; Green Team =176.

### Headteacher's Awards

N	R	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Logan	Blake	Edward	Charlie	Emily	Jacob	Julia	Ruby



### Stars of the Week!

Today in assembly the teachers gave out special 'star of the week certificates' to the children to celebrate their fantastic work and achievements! Their work or certificate will appear on our celebration board in the hall this week. Well done to all our stars!

### Pancake Day



Nursery making pancakes!

### Cross Country Competition

On Wednesday 6th March our cross country team took part in The Hart school Primary Cross Country championships. Our children were absolutely phenomenal and came 2nd out of 11 schools! This was a huge achievement considering that we were by far the youngest team there! Most schools had fielded a team of only year 5 and 6 children, and many of them looked like giants lining up against some of our year 3 and 4 pupils. However, all of our children gave 100% effort to place themselves within the top 5 in their individual races! This ensured that on points we were in 2nd place overall.

Ebony Harding (year 4) competed in the first race and came first! This inspired the whole team to achieve some amazing personal bests! Julia Skibinska (year 5), also came first in an amazing run! Ben Isherwood and Annie Chambers (year 5) produced gutsy runs to come 2nd in their races. Olly Brown and Nicolas Gajdosech (year 3) looked like David facing Goliath in their races to produce an amazing 3rd place from Olly and 4th from Nicolas! Mackenzie Terry (year 6), produced an impressive sprint finish to pass several children to achieve 5th in his race! Layla Minshall, Natalia Skibinska, Charlie Robinson (all Year 5) also produced their best ever times to come 5th in their individual races.

We couldn't be prouder of all the children who competed. Their behaviour on and off the track was fantastic and their team spirit was truly wonderful.

Mrs Whetton

## World Book Day

The children had a lovely day dressed in their pyjamas and sharing stories with one another.



## Red Nose Day – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March

For Red Nose Day this year we have set the children a challenge! They are going to be completing a dance-a-thon from 9.15am through to 3.15pm in the afternoon! We would like them to wear comfortable clothing and trainers or pumps to make it easier during the day. If this clothing is red, that would be great too! Mr Yates has split everyone into small groups so that we can try and keep the dancing going all day! Good Luck Hayes Meadow! Mrs Dukes will also be making some special Red Nose Day biscuits on Friday for dessert.



## Special Menu – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March

All day Breakfast menu will be served for lunch on Thursday.

This will be pork sausage, bacon, omelette, hash brown, baked beans and toast. For dessert there will be chocolate orange crispy bar, fruit slices and yoghurt.

## Breakfast Club

Just a quick reminder that Breakfast Club starts at 7.45am. Please do not arrive before this time as staff are still setting up the hall for the children.

## Competition Winners

A few weeks ago Mrs Parker set the maths challenge to design a new space for the children in school to use. The area is in between the hall and the IT suite and currently is just a slabbed area. We had some fabulous entries and were very impressed with how carefully the children thought about their designs. Mrs Parker and I could not decide on just one winner as there were a few designs we thought could be combined to create a lovely area for the children to use.

The winners were announced today in assembly and are Alfie in Year 6, Annie in Year 5, Lauren in Year 4 and Isla in Year 3. Well done children, you will all receive a £5 book voucher and help create the design for the children in school.

## Dates for your diary

21.03.19	Year 5 visit to Black Country Museum
25.03.19	Year 6 to Kingswood
27.03.19	Mother's Day Celebration
03.04.19	Pupils to Methodist Church for Easter Celebration
03.04.19	Spring Music Concert 6-7pm (more details to follow)
12.04.19	Break up for Easter
13.05.19	SATs Week
27.05.19 – 31.05.19	Half Term
03.06.19	INSET day – school closed to pupils
04.06.19	Pupils return to school