



HAYES MEADOW PRIMARY SCHOOL

Spode Avenue, Handsacre, Rugeley, Staffs WS15 4EU

'Be the Best We Can Be'

Newsletter

22nd September 2017

N	R	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Max	Nancy	Amelia F	Amelia L	Maisie S	Jayden	Jack	Caitlin



Team Points

Well done everyone!

Team point totals this week are; Red Team = 306; Yellow Team =247;
Blue Team=229; Green Team =322.



Yoga Bugs in School



The whole school enjoyed a day of Yoga last Thursday! Yoga Bugs after school club starts on Monday 25th.



Are you eligible for Free School Meals?

We are asking parents/ carers to assess their eligibility for free school meals. Although children in Reception and KS1 are already entitled to universal free school meals, it is vitally important that you register your eligibility for free school meals so that we can claim additional funding for your child whilst they are at this school. This is called 'pupil premium funding'. This funding helps towards purchasing a variety of additional resources to support the education of your children.

Your child could be eligible for free school meals – and accordingly pupil premium – if you receive any of the following benefits:

- Income support
- Income based job seekers allowance
- Income based Employment and Support Allowance
- Child tax credit and no working tax credit with a household income of less than £16,190
- Universal Credit
- The 'guarantee' element of State Pension Credit
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999

You can apply online at www.staffordshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmealsapplication

Please ask Mrs Clarke in the school office for more information.

Macmillan Coffee Morning

We will be holding a coffee morning on Friday 29th September to raise money for the Macmillan Charity. We would like donations of cakes brought into school by 9am on Friday morning. The coffee morning will take place between 9.10 and 10am for parents/ carers.

During the day we will also have a cake sale for the children at breaktime. Please send them with small change to purchase a cake of their choice.

Many thanks

Fundraising

We would like to wish Benjamin the best of luck for the 1st October when he will be completing a 'Ride 4 Health' cycle challenge which involves riding 20 miles! Benjamin is completing this challenge to raise money for the British Heart Foundation and would like to raise his target of £150. If you would like to sponsor Benjamin please visit his just giving page.

Headlice in school

Please check your child's hair carefully over the weekend as we have had some cases of headlice in school this week.

Dates for your diary

29 th September	Macmillan coffee morning for parents/ carers 9.10 – 10am Cake sale for pupils during the day. Donations of cakes would be gratefully received.
Tuesday 17 th October	Parent Consultations – letters to follow – 3.30 – 5.30pm
Wednesday 18 th October	Parent Consultations – letters to follow – 3.30 – 8pm
Wednesday 18 th October	Academy Photos – Individual pupil photographs to be taken today.
20 th October	Break up at usual time for Half Term.
30 th October	INSET day – school closed for pupils
31 st October	Pupils return to school
13 th November	Year 5 at Laches Wood
17 th November	Children in Need
11 th December	Production Week – further details to follow
Tuesday 19 th December	Break up for Christmas at the usual time.