



## Haslingfield Endowed Primary School

### Diary Dates:

- Mon 11 and Tue 12** – Parent Consultation Evenings  
**Mon 11 to Thur 14** – Bikeability – Year 6  
**Tues 12** – World Book Day – Dressing up ‘Bugs and Beasties’  
**Tues 12** – Parent Swimming Resuscitation at 9am in school hall, £4 charge.  
**Thurs 14** - Parent Swimming Resuscitation at 6pm in school hall, £4 charge.  
**Friday 15** – Mr McLeod and Governors Tea and Chat at 9.15am in Staff room, parents welcome. The theme will be ‘Measuring Pupil Progress’.  
**Friday 15** – Wacky hair day, £1 donations for Red Nose Day.  
**Friday 15** – Violin Assembly at 2.45pm, parents welcome.



### Letters sent out to parents this week:

- Easter Lunch flyer, reply by Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March
- Cambridge United Easter Break flyer
- Swimming Club Resuscitation Courses
- Dressing up day – New Date 12<sup>th</sup> March
- Red Nose Day – Wacky hair
- PTFA Swimming Club volunteers



### Dressing up for World Book Day:

We are celebrating world book day on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March. The theme is Garden Bugs and Beasties. Children are invited to dress up and there will be prizes for the best costume in KS1 and KS2.



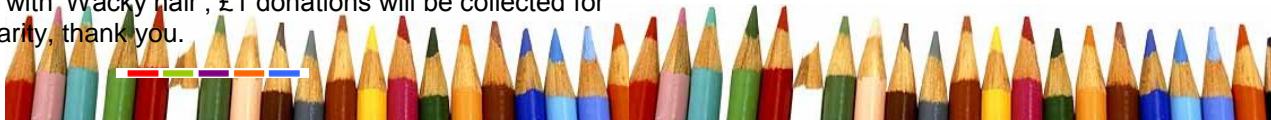
### Life Education Bus:

Following the visit this week of the Life Education Bus for all the children in school, we kindly request £5.50 voluntary donations per child any contributions are still to be made please send into the school office as soon as possible, thank you.



### Red Nose Day – Comic Relief:

Children are invited to come to school on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March with ‘Wacky hair’, £1 donations will be collected for the charity, thank you.



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Website: [www.haslingfieldschool.co.uk](http://www.haslingfieldschool.co.uk)

*Learning and achieving together in a safe, happy environment*

### Well done Young Writers!

We are very proud that eight of our children have had their poetry published! Emily Norman, Joe Beddard, Callum Wilson, Max Zaina, Louise Blandford, Nicholas Wingate, Reece Seppings and Malakai Charles. This is a great achievement – Well done!



### Nearly New Uniform Sale!

The next Nearly New Uniform sale will be on **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March, before and after school**. In preparation, please donate any outgrown/unwanted uniform to the School Office. The focus of this sale is SUN, SUN and MORE SUN – so the absolutely amazing selection of summer dresses and shorts will be on show!! Please browse the rails and bag a bargain, whilst raising funds for the PTFA! Many thanks, PTFA.



### Sunday Club at All Saint's Church Haslingfield

All Saint's Church would like to invite you to their Sunday Club, from 9.30 am - 10.30am every 3rd Sunday of the month - including crafts, stories, singing and fun. They have Family Services on the 1st Sunday of the month. Coming up they also have a Mother's Day Service at 9.30am on Sunday 10th March. All families welcome.

They are on Facebook now and parents can access this by searching for Haslingfield Pilgrims to see what is coming up each month.

Email Contact: Sarah at [sarahurquhart@hotmail.com](mailto:sarahurquhart@hotmail.com)



### Mexican Chilli Night – PTFA:

Tickets are still on sale for this fund raising event on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March, please buy your tickets , £10 each from the school office, after school by library or the village shop.



### Swimming Club – Resuscitation Courses:

Don't forget to sign up for the Resus courses on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> at 9am or Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> at 6pm, sign up in the school office, if you wish to join the Swimming club this summer.



### Ash – Miss Peck and Mrs Campbell:

This week we have been learning all about Jack and the Beanstalk. We have turned our role play area into the Giants castle and made a class beanstalk. We had lots of fun in PE using the wall bars and ropes, and travelled in different ways along benches and mats. We have written postcards to our family describing what it is like at the top of the beanstalk and painted some fantastic pictures too. We have been learning about money and have taken it in turns to be the shop keeper and the customer.

- Literacy – Writing postcards. Writing a sentence about what they can see at the top of the Beanstalk
  - Numeracy – Money
- Show and Tell: Louise and Luke



### Birch – Mrs Lovett and Mrs Lione:

Birch class have had a interesting week. In literacy we enjoyed the story of Harry and the Dinosaurs. We thought about Harry and wrote character descriptions using a spider chart and a mind map. In numeracy we had lots of fun explaining 3D shapes by sorting them using their properties. We also devised our own chart to sort different 3D shapes.

- Literacy – descriptive writing.
- Numeracy – shape.



### Hazel – Mrs Stepney:

This week we have been compiling a 'toolkit' of the things we need to write reports in preparation or our writing next week. We have used IT to create labels using different font sizes and styles and inserting pictures.

- Literacy – To recognise the features of a report.
- Numeracy – To understand multiplication as lots of. To derive division facts from multiplication of 2, 5 and 10.

Show and tell – Chloe, Robert, Bethany, Charlotte.



### **Bourn Players present Disney's 'Beauty and the Beast'**

Hot on the tails of their spectacular success with 'Annie' in 2012 Bourn Players will be performing Disney's wonderful musical this coming Spring at **Comberton Village college** from **21st through to 23rd March** with concessions available on Thursday and Friday.

Booking your tickets early is advisable and can be done through [www.bournplayers.org.uk](http://www.bournplayers.org.uk).

### Hawthorn – Miss Wernham:

It was really nice to have a sunny day at long last so, Year 3 carried out a science investigation into how the length and position of shadows changes between 10 am and 3pm. We found out that shadows are long in the morning then get shorter at midday then start to get longer again towards dusk! Year 4 planned an investigation on soundproofing to see if there are some materials that are better at muffling sound than others. We really enjoyed our 'Life Education Bus' visit on Wednesday and learned so many things about how to look after our bodies properly in a fun and exciting way!

- Literacy- To practise writing in paragraphs. To write persuasive arguments and to take part in a debate.
- Numeracy – To add amounts and find change up to £10. To find factor pairs of 2 digit numbers.



### Oak – Mrs Nussey and Mrs Robichaud:

In literacy we have been making a leaflet on the computer using publisher, for either Dr Xargle's planet to come to Earth or a leaflet to persuade people to visit Wimpole. In maths we have been learning the column method for subtraction. In science we have been learning that sound can travel through different mediums.

- Literacy – To write a persuasive leaflet.
- Numeracy – Subtraction using the column method.



### Beech – Mrs Creamer:

We have set up experiments in science to find out how sound travels through a variety of liquids. In RE we have been thinking about being honest with ourselves. We've visited the Life Bus.

Reminder – Bikeability next week for Year 6.

- Literacy – To revise formal letter writing.
- Numeracy – To identify properties of 3D shapes, lines and planes of symmetry.



### Missing:

Tortoiseshell cat missing in Haslingfield, if you find her please ring 01223 660566.



### Friend of the Week

Alex Baptie, Jake Chrzanowski-York, Tom Birkby, , Emma Banks, Sophie Gledhill and Peter Bowes.

