

Hudson Primary School & Family Wellbeing Centre



Weekly Newsletter for Families

Friday 17th May 2019



HUDSON SCHOOL NEWS - Headteacher; Niki Craddock

It has been all go at Hudson this week and I know next week is looking pretty much just as busy if not busier, this weekend is very welcomed!

The children have really done us proud with their attitude towards school and learning, the SATs and other assessments have been ongoing throughout school - it is not the best form of measuring who or what a child is all about but unfortunately it is something that we have to abide by. Hopefully the children have not been affected too much from this and the lighter activities that have been going on after testing have helped soothe and add a bit more school enjoyment to the week. Next week will be much more Hudson like, with lessons back to normal and a bit more fun and appreciation built in. I know two classes in particular will be rewarded for their dojo point earning and celebrating on Friday afternoon! All children attending school will also be receiving a congratulatory surprise from our PTFA at the end of the school day on Friday ☺

We have a big farewell next week as we say goodbye to Miss Cook in Maple class, Miss Day will be returning from her maternity leave and Miss Cook will be moving on to her new and very local Primary School - St John Bosco. Miss Cook is a part of our Hudson Family so although we are immensely proud of the teacher she has become, and very sad to see her leave us, this is not a permanent goodbye, we will be wishing her good luck and saying big thankyou's but we know she is not too far away and we will see her often. On behalf of the staff, governors, families and children I thank her for the amazing work she has done and the impact she has had within our team and for our children. Good luck Little Cook!

Final week of the term

Monday

- 2pm Swimming for Elder Class, with a return to school by 3.40pm
- 2.45pm Whole School Assembly with Mr Murphy

Tuesday

- 2.45pm School council meeting with Mrs Craddock

Wednesday

- Deyes High visit Y6 for a transition talk
- Pm Active Sefton Smoothie making with Silver birch class
- 2.45pm Singing assembly with Mrs Macpherson
- 5pm Performing Arts Meeting
- 6pm Full Governor Meeting

Thursday

- Maghull High visit Y6 for a transition talk
- Pm Healthy Habits learning sessions with Active Sefton for KS2
- 2.45pm Whole school assembly with Mrs Craddock

Friday

- MADWABBIT day - all walk to school, no cars in Moorhey! Own clothes for walkers ☺
- Maple class Special party and Sycamore class Dojo Point PJ party
- 2.45pm School Celebration assembly
- Last day of term - school returns on Tuesday 4th June

CELEBRATORY NEWS - EVERYONE EXPERIENCES EXCELLENCE...

Friday brings us smiles, and celebrations. This week join our team in giving due praise and recognition to our shining stars of excellence and champions of behaviour.

The children who have stood out exceptionally well for demonstrating aspects from our behaviour charter, our very own **Behaviour Charter Champions** are:

Little Acorns Classes (Miss Chapman, Mrs Spafford & Team): Dolly D and Ethan F

Maple Class (Miss Cook, Mrs Scott and Miss Wynne): Abigail H

Yew Class (Miss Latham Talbot and Team): Thomas H

Sycamore Class (Mrs Whitelaw and Ms Leppert): Charlie S

Silver birch Class (Miss Morrissey and Mrs R McNally): Jack P

Elder Class (Mr Roberts and Mrs Dillon): Grace W

Oak Class (Miss Marl, Mr Barker and Mrs Dillon): Millie D

Hazel Class (Mrs Macpherson and Miss Goodwin): Charlie S

Larch Class (Mr Murphy and Team): Whole Class

Chestnut Class (Mrs McNally): Whole Class

We can also not forget to mention and give praise to those who have demonstrated **Excellence within their learning - our EEE winners!** Those who have truly excelled and impressed are:

Maple Class (Miss Cook, Mrs Scott and Miss Wynne): Daisy W

Yew Class (Miss Latham Talbot and Team): Mark F

Sycamore Class (Mrs Whitelaw and Ms Leppert): Layton P

Silver birch Class (Miss Morrissey and Mrs R McNally): Korey W

Elder Class (Mr Roberts and Mrs Dillon): Amelia Mc

Oak Class (Miss Marl, Mr Barker and Mrs Dillon): Poppy K

Hazel Class (Mrs Macpherson and Mrs Dower): Evie S

Larch Class (Mr Murphy and Team): Whole Class

Chestnut Class (Mrs McNally): Whole Class

Be sure to ask your child to tell you all about the work they have displayed proudly in school and shared today.

Our new awards to celebrate are our Hudson Reading Challenge Certificate. This is a real challenge and we love to celebrate these achievements throughout the school year.

Those who have met the challenge this week are:

Bronze - No certificates today

Silver - No certificates today

Gold - Daisy W

Our final reward is our **Kindness Cup**, and this week our ambassador of kindness is:

The Howard brothers for their thoughtfulness and caring attitude towards a family member in crisis this week, they handled themselves exceptionally well 😊 Hudson is so incredibly proud of you!

Attendance and Punctuality are high agenda targets of importance for Hudson, we love to celebrate and praise those children who get 100% attendance each half term. Please help your child achieve this and encourage them to get to school on time each day to get the most out of all that is on offer.

SAFETY NOTICES

Please be aware that the parking outside of school is limited, but we need to be considerate of the neighbours and not park over driveways or on grass verges.

This can be extremely hazardous and you could be fined, it is also causing the residents great stress!

We are a community school that thrives on building respectful relationships with our community.

In the Maghull Community pages of social media the school is being badly advertised for careless community parking, please help to eradicate this.

NEWS FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE TEAM - Administrator; Chris Cook

Telephone Calls - Between 12.45pm-2.30pm every day from Monday 6th May - the school telephone will now go straight to answer machine with all messages retrieved by 2.45pm. Families are welcome to come to the school office if an enquiry is urgent. Reminder our phone lines open from 8.30am - 4.30pm (apart from above exclusion). After this time there is still the option to go directly through to our Willow Den afterschool care.

PGL - 5th - 7th June Caythorpe Court.

The holiday should be paid for in full by now. There are a few outstanding health forms that have not been returned so copies have been given to those children for return on Monday please.

Any queries then please come and see me.

Thursday Drama Club - Will now finish at 4.30 as the 'performance' has been put on hold until September. Games and confidence building activities will still continue during this club. If you have any questions, then please speak to Mrs Walton.

Trips - please make sure you have paid for any up and comings trips for your children via ParentPay, thank you.

School app login details - hudsonparent

schoolapp

please register

PTFA News: Secretary; Vicki Garside (registered charity no: 1156873)

We are just over five weeks away now from our Summer Fair on Tuesday 25 June. In addition to the fun games, stalls and outside sellers, you will also be able to come to us and order your new logo uniform! Our next meeting on Wednesday 12 June will be our preparation meeting, with lots of jobs to do, so if you are able and willing, please pop along to help us get the job done quicker! Alternatively, if you can help at any point on the day at either of the Sports Days, please let us know. Finally, thank you for supporting us with your donations last Friday, these really do help us to make a difference for the children.

MUSIC TUITION NEWS

We are looking to refresh our music tuition for next year (starting September). Currently we offer small tuition 2 - 4 in a group for 20 minutes lessons within the aspects of vocals, piano/keyboard, drums and guitar. These sessions take place during the school day and are currently paid for weekly by parents at a cost of £3.50 per session for each discipline. The sessions are open to all children from Reception age through to Year 6 and the tutors are all reputable skilled teachers from Sefton's Music Service.

If this is something you would like to commit to could you need to call in to the school office (or send an e-mail) as we will be collecting the names of children in order to book in the necessary time allocation, based on the needs of the families. Please note we will only be taking names for the rest of this term as we will need to get an agreement in place for June, please do not assume that because you did it this year that we will already know you want to do it next year, you must still sign up and tell us!

So far for next year we have only have 5 children signed up for guitar, 3 for piano and 1 for drums! There are only 5 more school days to get signed up ☺