



Hudson Primary School & Family Wellbeing Centre

Weekly Newsletter for Families



Friday 18th June 2021

HUDSON SCHOOL NEWS - Headteacher; Niki Craddock

This week has been our art themed week, with a real focus on an artist who created a local masterpiece we should all be familiar with - Antony Gormley. The children have embarked on all kinds of art projects beginning with researching his work - we hadn't realised just how much he had completed, including the Angel of the North! This has truly inspired the children and staff and we have now created an Antony Gormley gallery in our school hall. Please see the photos on ClassDojo the work was spectacular!

Next week we celebrate our annual Hudson Bake Off and this year's theme is *something to accompany a cup of tea*. I know the children adore this week, they love to explore and research the options, design their own based on this research and their tasting experiences and then evaluate and critique to come up with the best version to present in the competition. Above all else they enthusiasm to create a proud piece of culinary delight and see the reactions of the staff when they taste it brings such joy. Normally we would have a finale in the hall as a whole school assembly, unfortunately this isn't yet possible. We will record as we visit each class across the afternoon and then try and merge something together so you can all see too.

This week the government announced their delay in lifting the COVID preventive measures and restrictions. This did not go the way any of us hoped for which was frustrating and upsetting for all. As a school we have to work to even tighter restrictions than those set for the general public and the guidance as ever is confusing as it is general and not specific to Sefton, Sefton then resubmit it to reflect our local data, so if we are looking more at risk then our guidance is tighter. At the moment groups of 30 outdoors is looking likely for schools at events but this may not be possible for Sefton schools so I am still waiting for a definitive answer to the questions I am getting about sports days and graduations. As soon as I know I will communicate this through the newsletter and ClassDojo, so please stay tuned in!

We have a first school sports competition of the year next week - Cross country running at Maricourt. This is a 3.30pm start and children will need to be in their school PE kit. Only one adult is allowed at the venue per runner, please see Mr Roberts for more information if your child has been selected to run.

PREPARE FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday

- **The Hudson Bake Off week**
- Swimming for Elder class at the Meadows pool, all return back at school at 3.10pm
- Cross country school competition 3.30pm Maricourt

Tuesday

- Homework back in to teachers to be marked, re-set and sent home on Friday

Friday

- Relax Kids session with Year 6
- Homework sent home today



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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.

Our **Behaviour Charter Champions** are:

Little Acorns Class 2 year olds (Mrs Spafford & Team): Ava A M

Little Acorns Classes 3 and 4 year olds (Mrs Kelly & Team): Eleanor H

Maple Class (Miss Chapman & Team): Scarlet Kelly

Yew Class (Miss Goodwin & Team): Tommy S

Sycamore Class (Mrs Whitelaw & Team): Tiana S

Silver birch Class (Miss Morrissey & Team): Zara G

Elder Class (Mr Roberts & Team): Harley P

Oak Class (Miss Cavanagh & Team): Jamie B

Chestnut Class (Mrs Macpherson & Team): Jamie W

Rowan Class (Mrs McNally & Miss McCann): Aws A-K

We can also not forget to mention and give praise to those who have demonstrated **Excellence within their learning, our EEE winners!**

Little Acorns Class 2 year olds (Mrs Spafford & Team): Dominic L

Little Acorns Classes 3 and 4 year olds (Mrs Kelly & Team): Henry T

Maple Class (Miss Chapman & Team): Harper I

Yew Class (Miss Goodwin & Team): Kaiden K

Sycamore Class (Mrs Whitelaw & Team): Ryan L

Silver birch Class (Miss Morrissey & Team): Daisy W

Elder Class (Mr Roberts & Team): Ada E

Oak Class (Miss Cavanagh & Team): Whole Class

Chestnut Class (Mrs Macpherson & Team): Bobby Mc

Beech Class (Miss Birtwhistle & Team): Oliver W

Rowan Class (Mrs McNally & Miss McCann): Whole class

Be sure to ask your child to tell you all about the work they have displayed or discussed proudly in school this week.

Our Hudson Reading Challenge and EYFS Nursery Rhyme Certification really helps us to reward those children taking Literature seriously. This is a real challenge and we love to celebrate these achievements throughout the school year. We will be rewarding this again so plan to get started soon!

Our final award is our **Kindness cup** - and this week it goes to **the whole of my Hudson Team**. It has been a hectic couple of weeks at Hudson with lots of support needed for children and families along with plenty of meetings and extra responsibilities asked of our school. The team have all stepped in supported each other brilliantly, despite the difficulties the world is under they don't falter and they go the extra mile.

Don't be afraid of change

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

Names in school items - Please could you check that summer uniform is labelled please, lots of families looking for items that are identical to other children's without a name in it!

Attendance - Please can I remind everyone how important it is to let the office know why your child is absent! Either ring and leave a message, use the app or lastly dojo. We need to know exactly why/how your child is unwell. The nature of the illness is vital, especially at this current time. Please make sure you have a read all of the guidance sent out via dojo regarding the different covid tests and when to use them.

Please note the school APP is no longer in use Classdojo is the place to go for updates!

Have a lovely weekend, take care everyone! Niki Craddock and Team



SCHOOL EVENTS 2020-2021 - SUMMER TERM

Week	Date of event	Event title and details
21 st June	Friday 25 th June	The Hudson Bake Off - A cup of tea and a treat We will see who the baking champions are for the year.
28 th June	ALL WEEK	School Sports Week including PSHE focused work on Health and relationships Time to get active! Children can wear their school PE kit indoor/and outdoor kit only all week.
28 th June	Tuesday 29 th June	Sports Day
28 th June	Friday 2 nd July	Race for life A sponsored event for the whole family. Children will run 3km for cancer research, a charity that means a lot to our local community. Come and cheer the children along as they cross the line on our school field.
5 th July	ALL WEEK	Assessment week
5 th July	Friday 9 th July	Hudson's Got Talent show It's performance time again at Hudson. This is a fantastic variety performance and a chance for our amazing children to show off their talents.
12 th July	ALL WEEK	Transition starts for all Hudson children - getting ready for the new year ahead It is time for our children to meet their class teachers and get familiar with their new classroom environment for after the summer holidays.
12 th July	Thursday 15 th July	Nursey Graduation Celebration A beautiful ceremony for our Nursery children moving on into their Reception class in September.
19 th July	Monday 19 th July	School End of Year reports go home It is time to review the years learning and progress, all children will bring home their report envelope today.
19 th July	Wednesday 21 st July	Leavers Assembly A beautiful ceremony for our Y6 children moving on to their new Secondary school in September.
19 th July	Wednesday 21 st July	Report drop in time or a chance to meet the new class teacher from 3.30pm If you have any queries about your child's report this is an opportunity to drop in and chat with the class teacher. Pending 14 th June announcement
19 th July	Thursday 22 nd July	End of Year Praise Assembly The end of the school year has arrived - a time of reflection
19 th July	Thursday 22 nd July	End of year - school finishes at 1pm today Please remember that today your child needs collecting at 1pm and unfortunately there will not be any Willow den after school care available.