

# HATHERLEIGH COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

24th November 2017



### PARLIAMENT WEEK QUIZ WINNER

Congratulations to Molly Snellgrove for winning our parliament week quiz.

### YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL

Alastair from Encompass will be coming in on Monday to do a presentation about the residential for Year 6 parents and children. The talk will start at 2.30pm in the Music Hall.

### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

All clubs finish week ending Friday 1st December. Before and After School Childcare will continue as normal until the end of term.

### CHRISTMAS SALE

The school will be holding the Christmas Sale for the children on Thursday 14th December. For those new to the school, the idea is that the children can buy a present for someone at home which they can wrap up as a surprise. If you wish your child to take part in the sale, please could they bring in any unwanted gifts or anything from home that is new and unbroken that can be recycled as a gift for other children or parents. If the children do not bring in anything for the sale, they will be unable to buy a gift. Please could money be sent in in a sealed envelope or named purse on the morning of the sale with a maximum of £1.

### CHESTNUTS CLASS

Chestnuts are still collecting cardboard tubes (kitchen roll or gift wrap tubes) please. We are also running low on general 'junk' for our junk modelling box.

### SELF HELP KEEPING CHILDREN AND FAMILIES WELL THIS WINTER.

Public Health England released their new 'Keep Antibiotics Working' campaign. The campaign focuses on the encouragement of the public to take self-care measures, as a first line treatment rather than unnecessarily taking antibiotics. The message being that antibiotics will not work for simple illnesses such as colds, influenza, stomach bugs etc. The need for taking antibiotics in some illnesses remains essential, however the campaign is being driven because taking antibiotics when you don't need them increases resistance to antibiotics and therefore increases the risk of developing infections. These infections become resistant to being easily treated with antibiotics. This is particularly significant for our children and young people.

A website address for you to look at is : <http://www.e-bug.eu/>

**CHRISTMAS DATES**

**Friday 8th December**  
Non-uniform Day & Christmas Fair 6pm at School

**Tuesday 12th December**  
2pm YrR,1&2 Christmas Performance at the Community Centre

**Wednesday 13th December**  
2pm Yr 3&4 Christmas Performance at the Community Centre

**Thursday 14th December**  
Christmas Sale  
Christmas Lunch

**Friday 15th December**  
2pm Christmas Carol Service led by Yr5&6 at the Parish Church  
Last Day of Term

**What's on next week?**

**Monday**  
Last Swimming Lesson for Yr1&2  
2.30pm Yr6 Residential talk by Encompass


**Tuesday**  
Thrive Family Session 5

**This Week's Learners of the Week**

Orla Pease  
Billy Dawson  
Hugo Packer  
Jude Campbell  
Sophie King  
Imogen St James  
Ava Brannagan  
Emily Hooper  
Isaac Keast

**CHILDREN IN NEED**

A huge thank you to everyone who supported our Children in Need Non-Uniform Day. We raised a Spotacular total of £378.00



Thank you for supporting the **Poppy Appeal**

We raised £207.49



Letters Sent Home This Week			
Date	Year	Subject	Return
15/11/17	Year R,1 &2	Christmas Performance Costumes	6/12/17
23/11/17	All Pupils	Christmas Lunch	1/12/17
24/11/17	Invitation only	Summer School	1/12/17

**FILM CLUB REVIEW WINNERS**

William Cottle for his review of The Kid  
Isla Field for her review of Neverending Story

**BIG STORY IS GOING ON A JOURNEY—Everyone Welcome to Come Along!**

On Monday 27th November Big Story presents their Nativity 'The Greatest Journey' in the Music Hall at 3.40pm. Parents, family members, carers, friends, and any others wanting to see what we get up to are invited to come and watch. It will be followed by a festive Bring and Share Tea, so please bring along something savoury or sweet to contribute to the feast. It would be helpful if you can try not to arrive too early, as we need a little time to run through what we're doing before everyone gets there. For any more information, please contact Rev. Ruth Hansford (10837 810 314, [maggiethecat@waitrose.com](mailto:maggiethecat@waitrose.com)).



You are invited to celebrate Jesus' love at...

The three churches united Christmas party for kids!!

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> December at  
Hatherleigh Community Centre, 7-7 pm.

Disco !!  
Party Food!!  
Activities!!  
Games!!



Crafts

Raffle

Fun & Games

Tasty Treats

\* Tombolas \*

Santas Grotto

Sledge of Surprises

Hot Chocolate Bar

Join us 6-8pm

Friday 8th December

Hatherleigh Community Primary School

# CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Free Entrance All Welcome

**Wolf's End**  
A play by MED Theatre's Young Company

SATURDAY 2ND DECEMBER  
MORETONHAMPSTEAD PARISH HALL

SUNDAY 3RD DECEMBER  
SOUTHPARK COMMUNITY CENTRE, BUCKFAST

7.30PM  
TICKETS £7 / £5

**SANTA RUN**

WHEN  
SUNDAY December 3rd  
Register from 9 for 9.30 start

WHERE  
OCRA PAVILION IN THE PARK,  
OKEHAMPTON  
Festive drinks and food available

CHILDREN  
ADULTS OF ALL  
AGES,  
FAMILIES

GET IN THE  
MOOD FOR  
CHRISTMAS

2.5KM & 5KM  
RUN & WALK  
OPTIONS

£1 FOR ADULTS,  
CHILDREN FREE  
DONATIONS FOR  
LOCAL SPORT

ORC  
Okehampton Running Club

OCRA  
sport • art • fitness • activity  
play • adventure • dance

in partnership with  
fusion

Hatherleigh PTFA presents a magical family evening

# THE POLAR EXPRESS EXPERIENCE

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December  
5.30pm for 6pm start  
Hatherleigh Community Centre

£2.50 per person, popcorn, hot chocolate and a gift

Tickets in advance siblings welcome  
Come in your pyjamas!!