

# Parents' Newsletter 13

Wednesday 23rd March 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

## Inter School Football Competition



Yesterday Mrs Munns and I took 7 boys and 7 girls to Foxhills Infant School to take part in an inter school football competition against other New Forest Schools. The children all played really well and were a credit to the school. We saw some amazing goals, some superb tackles and some fantastic defending. My thanks go to Mrs Munns for training the teams and to Lee Burch, an FA Skills coach, who delivered football training sessions to children in Year 1 and 2 last term.



## PTFA Quiz



Thank you to our PTFA members, in particular our quiz masters, Mr and Mrs Reeve, who organised another fantastic quiz on 10<sup>th</sup>

March. The £120 raised is going towards our new break time play equipment.

## Mothering Sunday Gift Wrap



**Reminder:** This Friday the PTFA have organised another Mothering Sunday Gift Wrap. Please remember to send your child into school with a named plastic bag if they are taking part in the wrapping.

## New Play Trail



### **Advance Notice:**

We are very excited that our new play trail is being installed during the Easter break. In preparation for this, our existing play trail is being removed the week before Easter. **During the week of 3<sup>rd</sup> April**, children in **Yellow Class** will be entering the school in the mornings via their front entrance (the way they go out at the end of the day) and **Blue Class** will be entering school via the side gate of the Red Class garden (the way they exit school every day).

## New Parent Governor

Sadly Mr Hall has handed in his resignation as a Parent Governor. We would like to thank him for the time he has spent as a Governor at Manor. We now have a Parent Governor vacancy, if you are interested in this post, please speak to Daniel Reeve, our Chair of Governors or myself.

And finally...

Don't forget that it is Red Nose Day on **Friday 24th March**. In exchange for a donation children can come to school dressed in non-uniform.



Best wishes,

**Michelle Hale**  
Headteacher

Diary Dates

Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	Red Nose Day 2017 – non uniform day in exchange for a donation
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	9.10am Blue Class Assembly
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Disco 3.15pm – 4.30pm – more details to follow
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Lunch – more details to follow
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> April	1.30pm Easter Service followed by Easter Egg Hunt – all welcome
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> April – Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> April	Easter Holidays
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> April	First day of the Summer term
w/b Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> April	Book Week – more details to follow
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May – Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 2 SATs start – 2 weeks
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> May	Walk to School Week
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Praizin' Hands – Road Safety
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	INSET Day – School closed
29 <sup>th</sup> May – 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Half term
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Start of Summer term 2
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 1 Phonics screening and Year 2 resits all week
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> June	Class photos
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Praizin' Hands
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Last day of the Summer term Leavers lunch / assembly
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> July	INSET Days – School closed

PTFA Calendar of Events

Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Mothering Sunday Gift Wrap
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Hat Competition
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	Quiz Night
Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Summer Fayre
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Quiz Night

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