

Headteacher's Bulletin

Dear Parents,

I'd like to say a big thank you to everyone who visited the Book Fair during parents' evening week. In total we sold £1140.12 worth of books which means that we have raised £624.07 to invest in reading materials for the school. It is great to see the buzz that is created by children choosing books and knowing children get so much pleasure from reading makes me very proud.

Thank you for your support.
Matt Hickey
Headteacher



Friends Of Highwood Events

Saturday 9th December
Winter Fair from 10.00am to 12noon
Thursday 14th December
Second Hand Uniform Sale

Jolly Jam Jars!

Don't forget your Jolly Jam Jars for the Winter Fair! Jars can be filled with party favours, sweets, bubbles, small toys, etc. Prize available for the class with the most filled jars!



Dates for the Diary

December

KS1 Performance

Tuesday 5th – morning

Wednesday 6th – afternoon

Thursday 7th – morning

Foundation Sing to Parents

Tuesday 5th – 9.30 – 9.45am

Wednesday 6th – 2.00 – 2.15pm

Thursday 7th – 9.30 – 9.45am

Year 6 Maths Parent Workshop

Thursday 7th – 3.30 – 4.30pm

Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 15th – all day

Last Day of Term

Tuesday 19th at **1.30pm**

(no After School Club on this day)

Maths and Literacy

? Workshops +

Some dates for next year's diary! The following dates have been set for Year 4 and 5 Literacy and Maths workshops, all from 3.30 – 4.30pm:

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Year 5

Literacy: 17th Jan 2018

Maths: 7th March 2018

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Year 4 =

Literacy: 8th Feb 2018

Maths: 8th March 2018

Drop off and pick up

Please remember that parents need to wait in the playground for their children at the beginning and end of the day, not in the corridor between Foundation and KS1. This is to ensure the safety of all the children and to keep the area clear for access and passing through.

School Christmas Lunch

Christmas Lunch will be on Wednesday 13th December. If you have not already ordered a main turkey or vegetarian meal then your child will need to bring in a packed lunch that day.



SCHOOL GAMES

Highwood highlights!

Pupils from Years 3 and 4 took part in the Wokingham Sportshall Athletics event at Bohunt School. Teams were made up of 9 girls and 9 boys from 12 schools, and our team made Mr Edwards proud with their behaviour and participation. We are currently waiting in anticipation for the results!

The final of the Tag Rugby Six Nations tournament has now been held and Highwood came second in our tier, gaining a well-deserved promotion. Well done team!



We are now a **nut-free school**. Please be vigilant and ensure that your child does not bring **any** nut products into school, including those such as chocolate Nutella spread or food cooked in nut oil or containing **any** traces of nuts.

