

Mount Hawke Academy Newsletter

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Friday 10th February 2017

DIARY DATES

Fri 10th Feb - *Finish for Half-term*

Mon 20th Feb – Children return to school

Tues 21st Feb – Year 5 Stay Safe Workshop

Thurs 2nd March – World Book Day

Friday 3rd March – Family Centre Focus Group All welcome! 1:45pm at MHA

Mon 13th - Fri 17th March - Science Week

W/c 20th March - Parent Consultations

Fri 24th March – Red Nose Day *Non School Uniform & small donation for Red Nose Day

Mon 27th March – Celebration Week

*Celebrating author Michael Morpurgo

ASSEMBLY VALUE

Our next whole School Assembly is

Responsibility

..taking care of your duties, answering for your actions, being trusted by others.

NETBALL WINNERS!

The Netball team have done it again! Many congratulations to Hannah, Devlan, Tom R, Gilly, Jenna, Lia, Betty and Bella, who won three out of four games on Monday, losing to St Agnes by only **one point** on Monday! Well done MHA!



CELEBRATIONS & ACHIEVEMENTS

Fri 10 th Feb	Celebration	Achievement
Mousehole	Hallam	Jared
Godrevy 1	Daisy M	Polly
Trevose 1	Evalyn	Joshua
Class 2	Nancy	Evan
Class 3	Owen	Kai
Class 4	Lucy	Florence S
Ocean	Violet	Byron
Jungle	Stevie-Elik	Oscar
Six	Betty	Alex

JUNGLE TRIP TO THE FALMOUTH MARITIME MUSEUM

Jungle had a wonderful day at The Maritime Museum, on Monday, where they learnt about Viking trade and society. They role played how Vikings would have traded their goods and even had a chance to dress up as Vikings and stamp their own Viking coin. As always they represented the school well with super listening skills and fantastic behaviour.

Thank you to Mrs Webb and the MHA team who went along to help. Many thanks also to our two parent helpers on the day, Mrs Poole and Mrs Boughton, who gave up their day to help on the trip.









OCEAN & YR 6 GO TO SEE 'ANNIE'

On Monday Ocean Class and Year 6 had the opportunity to go and see part of the Richard Lander Production of 'Annie'. We were very happy and proud to see that Oscar and Bryher's sister had secured a staring role, along with Emily C's sister, who was the Police Officer! Both expupils of Mount Hawke Academy, have obviously made a big impression at Richard Lander School already. Thank you to Mrs Meek for organising the visit and for all of the RLS students for sharing their fantastic theatrical talents with us.

YEAR 2 PARENTS VISIT TO SEE PROJECT WORK

Thank you to all of the Year 2 parents who came in to see their children's project work on Wednesday afternoon. We hope that you were all suitably impressed, as we were! Fantastic Rainforest project work Year 2!

SWEDISH MEAT BALLS & BREADMAKING

Thank you to Emma Nice and her team for coming and teaching Year 5 the fine art of cooking. This week Jungle Class have made Swedish meat balls with Chartwells, and bread in class! The smell that was wafting into the corridor was making the entire school jealous!

48 HOUR RULE POLICY

Please note that if your child has been unwell, with either sickness or diarrhoea, they must <u>stay away from school for 48 hours.</u> This policy was introduced to reduce the risk of spreading germs. We know that usually a child feels much better after 24 hours of illness, but that they can easily dip again if exerted. The second day at home is essential, to ensure that your child is fully recovered and ready to learn! Thank you for your help and patience with this matter.

LIBRARY NEWS

A big thank you to the following Year 6s, who have earned their librarian badges by spending 10 afternoons working in the School Library.

Alex, Charlotte, Louis, Jenna, Holly and Tom, you have done a fantastic job! Congratulations! Keep up the hard work.

Jenny Ruse & Janie Poole

RICHARD LANDER CROSS COUNTRY

Thank you to all of children who gave this event their all on Thursday afternoon! As ever, we were truly impressed by the children's running abilities, as were the other schools that attended. Well done to all of our 68 runners! Thank you to all of our MHA staff who helped out on the day, especially Mr Brandreth and Miss Bray. Many thanks also to our parent driver, Mrs Bailey. Another great MHA sporting achievement to add to our Sporting Wall!

A FAMILY CENTRE FOR MHA

We are hoping to make a lottery grant bid for a Family Centre at Mount Hawke Academy. This will be a new building that will be a one-stop place for all your family needs and concerns. We are planning to make this the convenient and safe place for you to contact and meet all the people you and your family need. For instance, health advice, support with parenting skills, benefit advice or housing. This will be a place where we can come together as a community and work together for a better future for our children. Sometimes it might just mean being able to drop in for a coffee and a chat – some of the best ideas come from these meetings. You may have already helped us by completing our survey, thank you! We now need your help and support again to discuss ideas in more detail. We are holding a focus group meeting on 3rd March 2017 at 1:45pm. We look forward to seeing you there and hearing your ideas!

Many thanks

Pip Piper Safeguarding Lead - Mount Hawke Academy

SAFER INTERNET DAY

On Tuesday, Mr Hill hosted a special assembly for Year 3 and above, telling the children about the potential danger of sharing images on line.



It's nearly World Book Day!



How hungry was the caterpillar? What happened when the tiger came to tea? Who lived in the dump? Where did that golden compass lead? ...Are you looking for something to do over half term? Remember that **2nd March** is **World Book Day**. We would love to have new models to display around school, so it would be great if you would make a model at home representing your favourite book to bring in on Thursday 2nd March. Visit http://www.worldbookday.com/ for more information.