# Heckington St Andrew's Church of England Primary School Newsletter

## 10th May 2018

#### Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to say a huge thank you to everyone for your support with The Big Pedal. I am very pleased to announce that we came in 61<sup>st</sup> place in the country overall; 3<sup>rd</sup> place regionally and in an amazing 1<sup>st</sup> place in Lincolnshire! This is a huge achievement and everyone should be extremely proud! As a reward for our excellent performance, Dr Bike (aka Mr Moody) has arranged for a special treat for the children; on 21st May we will be treated to a BMX demonstration show by world class BMX rider, Joe Sproat. There will then be the opportunity for some KS2 children to take part in four 20 minute skills workshop.

The children in Reception, KS1 and Year 3 had a fab morning of cricket yesterday with a cricket coach from All Stars Cricket. They had a great first experience in cricket and I'm sure that we have found some future cricket stars!

Thank you for your support last week for the mini marathon. We were very lucky with the weather and the children all really enjoyed themselves. Hopefully it might have inspired some of them to run the London Marathon when they are older! If you haven't already sent in your sponsor money, could you please send it in tomorrow. We will let you know the total amount raised next week.

Finally, the children really enjoyed the Rhubarb Theatre performance of Sidney's Shed last week. Thank you to the PTfA for arranging this treat for the children.

Yours sincerely Mrs J Bentley

### School Uniform orders

The PTfA have accounts with both of the following uniform suppliers. To order just log in and search for Heckington St Andrew's Primary School.

www.kidsandcodirect.co.uk www.nationwideschooluniforms.co.uk

Further information can be found in the Office.

Please could all Year 1 children bring in an old sock on Monday so that they can make sock puppets.

We are pleased to welcome Thomas Scarboro to our school community. Mr Scarboro is a PGCE student who will be working in Year 3 until 27th June.



Attendance Award! For w/c 30th April Rockstar went to Year 4 for 99.2% attendance—well done Y4!

House points for w/c 30th April

Red—1246

Green—1180

Yellow-1180

Blue—994

### **DIARY DATES**

This week:	
10-16th May	Book Fair—3 for 2 books!
11th May	Y3/Y4 rugby festival
12th May	PCSO road safety talk for YR
14th May	New entrants meeting, 6pm (2018/19 YR)
14-18th May	SATS

### Next week:

18th May 21st May 22nd May Trailblazer PTFA meeting, 6pm at school Y1 Open Classroom, 9-10am

## **Return Slip Reminders:**

Rugby Festival Y6 Chuch Festival permission slip Bottle Buddi interest slip

## Book Fair

We will be holding a 3 for 2 book fair in school for the next week as follows:

Thursday 3.30-4.30 Children's Centre

Friday 8.15-8.45 Playground

Friday 3.30-4.30 Children's Centre

Monday 3.30-4.30 Children's Centre

Tuesday 8.15—8.45 Children's Centre

Wednesday 3.00-4.00 Children's Centre

Please come along and bag some bargains, while raising money for the school.

# **Rounders** Club

Please note that Lacrosse Club has now changed to Rounders Club.

It will run on Thursdays, 3.30-4.30pm for KS2.

Sign up at:

heckingtonstrewscofe.parentseveningsystem.co.uk

Interest was high for this one, so log in soon to reserve a place!

## Reporting absence

In advance:

If you know in advance that your child will be absent from school please fill in a Leave of Absence Request Form, available from the Office or on our website. If the absence is for a medical appointment we will need to see an appointment card, letter or text. If the absence will be due to exceptional circumstances please provide as much detail on the form as possible.

On the day:

You can ring the Office on 01529 460633, pop in and see Mrs Riddell or Mrs Drayton if you are coming in to school, or email us at: absence@heckington.lincs.sch.uk

## Parking outside School

Please help to keep our children safe by not parking in the yellow exclusion zone outside school (or on the pavements!). We have had several near misses when the entrance to the Social Club car park has been compromised by people parking on the road near it.

