



Dear Parents / Carers,

I had the pleasure of attending the Parent Council meeting on Tuesday to discuss the upcoming year and fundraising opportunities throughout the year. This is a very important group within our school as they provide a clear voice and crucial funds to support our pupils. The Parent Council are always looking for new members and aim to meet once a half term (but with Christmas looming, their next meeting is sooner). On Tuesday 3rd October, there will be a 'Getting To Know You' meet and greet in the hall giving all parents with pupils old and new to the school a chance to chat together. Stambridge is oversubscribed and so, for the last two years, we have received many new wonderful families to our school and it would be fantastic to see new members to our Parent Council. Hopefully many of you will join them for tea, coffee and biscuits in the hall from 2:50pm next Tuesday.

Mrs James

Best attendance of the week goes to
Octopus Class with 95.71%
Whole school attendance: 94.6%
(target 97%)

The sensory garden is beginning to take shape. Thanks to the gardening company for their hard work this week.

Even though both of her boys have moved onto secondary school, Kian and Oliver's Mum, Kerry, donated a tree to the sensory which arrived this week. A wonderful surprise!

Women's Refuge collection

A great idea from Sophia's Mum this morning to extend the collection to cover baby clothes and items. Such a great idea that we are going to keep the collection open for another week. Thank you!

School drop off and Collections

Please ensure your child arrives in school by 8.55 ready for registration.

If you are going to be late please telephone the school office. Please also inform the office if your child is being collected by someone else.

Class Dojo

This website lets parents of children from Year 1-6 see the wonderful work and tasks their children have been producing this week. Please note – any parents sending messages through the platform will not be responded to as it is a website to share updates of work and lessons. Should you wish to speak to your child's teacher, then please make a request through the office.

Stars of the Week

Crab – Dylan

Turtle - Blake

Octopus - Issy

Nautilus - Lillyann

Reader of the week – Jasmin

Mathematician of the week – Isla, Alina and Phoebe

This weeks 100% attendance with no late mark.

Fraya, Scarlett, Tyler and Lillyann

Golds this week

Olivia and Lacey for not giving up when adding 2 digit numbers vertically
Charley for amazing partner work when doing talk for writing.

Platinum this week

George for resilience and perseverance with his math challenge- a great achievement

The Trust held its first Parent Forum Tuesday 26th September and it proved most valuable. Thank you to the parents that attended; discussions included the new term dates and the provision of SEN. We hope that our next meeting at Hearts House, Wickford, on the 9th January 2018 will have representatives from more schools - please let the Trust office know if you would like to attend by emailing Mrs Partridge on admin@heartsacademy.uk. Unfortunately we will have a limit on space and can only accommodate three parents from each Trust school.

Congratulations to the new Academy Ambassadors.

Issy, Isabella, Keira, Alina, Charley, Junior, Lillyann, Mitchell and Yasmin
and

Congratulations to the new School Council

Alina, Ava-Joyce, Harley, Henry and Jessie

Daily Mile

100 miles this week. Well done. We are near Manchester.

Upcoming dates

Thursday 5th October - V.E day street party lunch
Friday 6th October – Harvest Festival (letter to follow)
Tuesday 10th October – Individual School photos
Wednesday 18th October – Flu vaccination

Next week SCHOOL DINNER MENU – Week 2

Head Boy and Girl corner

This week has been packed full with learning. Well done to the new School Council and ambassadors you all will be great! A massive good luck to Noah and Blake with their new journey

Bella and Finley ☺

