#### **HEATHFIELD NEWS**

# 22<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER 2019 SCOTLAND ROAD CAMPUS

Heathfield

Attendance for the Scotland Campus for last week was 95.6% Green is good! – Let's make sure all our classes this academic year are in the green and hit our target of 96.5% or above Congratulations to the Toucan class who achieved 99.2% attendance last week and have won £9.92 for their class money bank! Dolphins Foxes Badgers Hare Seahorses 91.4% 94.8% 94.4% 98.3% 96.15% Toucans Parrots Lions Tigers Jaguars Flamingos 97.7% 99.2% 97.8% 94.4% 92.3% 97.8% If your child is too poorly to attend, please let us know on the first day of absence on 0115 9155725

### BOOK FAIR – THURSDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER

You are invited to Bookwagon's popup book fair on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November, with a wide variety of wonderful children's books selected by experienced, independent booksellers.

Every book has been read and loved by Bookwagon. One day only!



# All books sold at prices discounted for Heathfield Primary and Nursery School. Card and cash payments accepted.

<u>Children in Need:</u> Thank you to everybody who supported the Children in Need day. We raised £536.63 at the Scotland Road campus alone





### Heathfield Winter Fair Friday 6th December 2.30pm

On **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December** we will have our annual Winter Fair in the school hall from 2.30pm.

If any parents would like to help with the fair preparation, then please join Miss Papp on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November at 9.15am for a hot drink and wrapping session.

Don't forget that raffle tickets are now on sale at the school office!

Thank you for all your non-uniform day donations for our upcoming Winter Fair.

<u>Hand, Foot and Mouth</u>: Unfortunately, we have a number of children in school who have Hand, Foot and Mouth disease. We have contacted the Public Health Agency and they have advised that children need not be excluded from school if they feel well enough to attend.

There is no need to wait until all the blisters have healed as it is not the blisters that spread the disease. Keeping your child off for longer is unlikely to stop the illness spreading.

Hand, foot and mouth disease is passed on to other people through coughs, sneezes and bodily fluids.

To reduce the risk of spreading hand, foot and mouth disease:

- Wash your hands often with warm soapy water and teach children to do so
- Use tissues to trap germs when you cough or sneeze
- Bin used tissues as quickly as possible
- Do not share towels or household items like cups or cutlery
- Wash soiled bedding and clothing on a hot wash
- Thank you for your continued support

**<u>Reminder: KS2 Photographs:</u>** Parents/carers of children in Flamingos, Toucans, Parrots, Tigers, Jaguars and Lions classes should have received the proofs for their child's school photographs. If you would like to order photographs, please do so by **Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2019**.



Lost Property: We seem to have accumulated a huge amount of lost clothing in the school hall. We will be sorting through the items today to try and identify their owners. Any remaining items will be put out for parents to look through, on Monday and Tuesday next week, under the shelter on the KS2 yard. Any items that are left on Wednesday morning will be donated to charity.

## PLEASE CAN PARENTS/CARERS CHECK THAT ALL ITEMS OF CLOTHING ARE LABELLED

**<u>Reminder, Badgers, Foxes and Hares:</u>** On Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December KS1 will be going to see the Pantomime, Cinderella, at Nottingham Theatre Royal. We will be travelling by coach, leaving school just after lunch and are expected to arrive back at school for approximately 4:30pm. This will be confirmed nearer to the time once the theatre can confirm a running time. On this occasion, school will be paying for the trip



and there will be no cost to yourselves. We may require parent helpers, which will be confirmed nearer the time, but please let us know if you able to help.

Thank you KS1 team.

**Reminder, Parents/Carers Evening:** Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December is Parents Evening, from 3:30pm to 7:30pm. This will be a great opportunity to find out how your child is getting on in school and to look at their work and progress they have been made. Appointments are made on a first come first served basis so please complete the slip attached or speak to your child's teacher as soon as possible to arrange an appointment. We hope all parents are able to attend, however if you are unable to make the 4<sup>th</sup> December, please speak to your child's class teacher to arrange an alternative appointment.

**<u>Reminder, Dolphins trip to the Snow Dragon:</u>** On Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November, Dolphins are going to go and see the Snow Dragon at the Lakeside Theatre. The trip will cost around £12 per child. However, with funding provided by school we can reduce this price to **£5 per child** which includes the theatre ticket (normally £8.50) and travel.



The performance will start at 1.30 so we will leave school after lunch and will be back by the end of the school day. Please return the reply slip and the £5 per child to the office as soon as possible.

We have no parent tickets left for this performance.

## Reminder: Music Parent Workshop – Year 4 Strings



We would like to invite parents of our Year 4 children to a Music Workshop on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> Dec. Please ask your child which group they are in.

Group 1 – 9:15am – 10:15am (mostly Toucans)

Group 2 – 11:00am – 12:00pm (mostly Flamingos)

Please return the reply slip below should you wish to attend. Kind regards, Miss Dickson



Please do not send your child to school with nuts or any products containing nuts. We have a number of children in school with a nut allergy and the safety of our children is paramount. Always check the ingredients of products such as chocolate spread before including them in your child's packed lunch. We have had a recent incident where chocolates brought into school for a birthday contained peanuts. Luckily, these were intercepted by staff and not given to children.

**REMINDER:** Sign up to School Gateway as Heathfield becomes CASHLESS: Thank you to those of you that have signed up and are now using School Gateway to make payments. As we start and become a "cashless" school, all future payments will need to be made via the app, online bank transfer or credit or debit card.

**Please make sure that you download the app**: If you have a smartphone, please download School Gateway from your app store (Android and iPhone). If you do not have a smartphone you can still pay online via the website <u>www.schoolgateway.com</u> The app shows the same information as the website PLUS it saves the school the cost of a text message. **Please follow the following instructions to register and receive your PIN.** 

- 1. Click on "**New User**". Fill in the email address and mobile number and press the "**Send PIN**" button. You will then be sent a new PIN number by text.
- 2. Enter **PIN** and press "Login" you will then see a message allowing you to receive notifications from Heathfield.
- 3. Click on the "home" icon and you will have a payment request for dinners, paid clubs, trips, etc. Click
- on "My Payments" and you can then make online payments, and view balances.

If you are unable to register it may be because your details do not match those we have on file for you therefore please contact the school office who will check your details with you. Parents paying for Breakfast and Afterschool Clubs – please bear with me as their sessions are still in the process of being added. Thank you.

# Reply Slip for the Dolphin's Theatre Trip:

I would like my child	from the Dolphin class to take part in the trip to the
Lakeside theatre on November 29th 2019.	

I enclose a £5 contribution

Signed...... Date.....

### Reply Slip for Year 4 Strings Parent Workshop:

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### Reply Slip for the Yr 1&2 Trip to see Cinderella:

I would like my child......class to take part in the trip to the Theatre Royal Panto, 'Cinderella' on **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2019.** 

I would be able to help if needed.

Signed...... Date.....

### Reply Slip for Parents' Evening in KS1 and KS2 – Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December

Child's name.....Class.....

Appointments are in 10 min slots. Please indicate a preferred time band and we will try to meet your request as best we can.

DATE	3.30-4.00	4.00-4.30	4.30-5.00	5.00-5.30	5.30-6.00	6.00-6.30	6.30-7.00	7.00-7.30
Wed 4 <sup>th</sup>								
Dec								

I cannot come to school at this time and would like another appointment. Please indicate which day/s would be preferable.

Signed:\_\_\_\_\_

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### Reply Slip for Parents' Evening for children in Dolphins – Wednesday 4th December

Child's name.....Class.....

Appointments are in 10 min slots. Please indicate a preferred time band and we will try to meet your request as best we can.

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I cannot come to school at this time and would like another appointment. Please indicate which day/s would be preferable.

Signed:\_\_\_\_\_

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### Reply Slip for Parents' Evening in Seahorses – Wednesday 4th December

Child's name.....Class.....Class..... Appointments are in 10 min slots. Please indicate a preferred time band and we will try to meet your request as best we can.

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I cannot come to school at this time and would like another appointment. Please indicate which day/s would be preferable.

Signed:\_\_\_\_\_