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28<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

**Gingerbread Man Reading Open Morning**: We were pleased to welcome parents and other family members to Reception's reading open morning. Children thoroughly enjoy welcoming their family into school and were proud to share their learning. Our new outdoor learning area proved popular with all, despite the chilly weather. Look out for photos coming soon on our website.

Alice in Wonderland: Years 1 to 6 were treated to a fabulous performance of Alice in Wonderland by the M&M Theatre Company. The actors – with tremendous displays of energy – brought this classic to life, turning our hall into a theatre complete with changing sets and lighting. Children study this book in Year 4 so it was great for them and the upper juniors to revisit, and it has introduced the story to our younger years. We were lucky to be able to book the performance at a discounted rate and this has been very well supported by parental contributions which is much appreciated and allows us to look for other opportunities in the future.

**#KNOwknifecrime Initiative:** Hatton Hill is a member of the Strand Partnership, a group of schools who work together to promote good practice and opportunity for our children. On Wednesday, ten of our Year 6 pupils (accompanied by Miss Taylor and Mrs Frazer) took part in a mini marathon passing a baton between 23 schools in the local area to raise awareness of knife crime and the benefit of bleeding control kits. A bleeding control kit can help provide support for the bleeding caused by knife injuries to make the difference for a victim to survive an attack. The kits were developed by the Major Trauma Centre at Aintree University Hospital. Sadly, there are many victims of knife crime who are simply young people in the wrong place at the wrong time, but I find it reassuring that if the worst happens there is a practical solution which will help save lives. Local schools hope to raise enough money to place a bleed control kit in our local area. If you would like to make donation, you can do so via School Money. Thank you.

**Celebrate:** We are keen to celebrate the wider successes of our children, such as hobbies, interests, achievements and community work. The *Celebrate* section of our website allows us to celebrate such achievements and we would welcome new contributions. Simply email a photo with a little explanation and we will add it to our gallery. You may even inspire someone else to take up an activity! <u>https://www.hattonhill.co.uk/page/celebrate/136207</u>

**Happy Learning:** As always, our first assembly of the term focussed on the importance of good behaviour and attitude within school and why rules are important. Children were reminded that rules are in place to create a happy, safe, orderly and fair environment where everyone can thrive. It is important that children are set high expectations and so we will 'pull children up' on even small matters in a kind way. Where children do not respond to prompts to improve behaviour, they will receive a 'broken rule'. At Hatton Hill we receive an excellent level of support from parents and these good relationships help your children to thrive. The good news is that the vast majority of children behave extremely well and to recognise this, we will be awarding 'Happy Learning' points on Class Charts and stickers to younger children where behaviour has met our standards all week. Please celebrate this achievement with your child(ren) and be proud.

Yours faithfully, Mrs Anna James Headteacher

## Week Commencing: Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2024

Monday			
-	Bikeabililty	Year 5	
	Lunchtime Sports Club	Selected classes (rota)	
	Indoor PE lesson – remember shorts & pumps	Year 3	
	Indoor PE lesson – remember pumps!	Reception	
	Outdoor PE lesson		
15:15-15:45	RM Maths Club	Selected Children	
15:15-16:00	TTRS Club	Year 4	
15:15-16:00	Maths Games Club	Year 2	
Tuesday			
	Bikeabililty	Year 5	
	Indoor PE lesson – remember shorts & pumps	Years 1 & 6	
	Lunchtime Sports Club	Selected classes (rota)	
15:15-15:45	RM Maths Club	Selected Children	
15:15-16:00	Phonics Club Year 2 – selected child		
15:15-16:00	Handwriting Club Year 1 – selected child		
15:15-16:00	Dance Club Year 2		
Wednesday			
	Bikeabililty	Year 5	
	Indoor PE lesson – remember shorts & pumps	Years 2 & 5	
	Outdoor PE lesson	Reception & Year 3	
15:15-15:45	RM Maths Club	Selected Children	
15:15-16:00	Multi Sports Year 2 – selected childr		
15:15-16:00	Phonics Club Year 1 – selected childre		
15:15-16:15	Singing Club Juniors		
15:15-16:15	Footy Match (away) Team		
Thursday			
	Lunchtime Sports Club	Selected classes (rota)	
	Indoor PE lesson – remember shorts & pumps	J3	
	Indoor PE lesson – remember pumps!	Nursery	
13:30-15:30	Swimming	<b>J</b> 4	
15:15-15:45	RM Maths Club	Selected Children	
Friday			
	Lunchtime Sports Club	Selected classes (rota)	
	Ozobot Club	Year 6	
	Yoga	Selected children	
	Indoor PE lesson – remember pumps	Reception	
	Outdoor PE lesson	Years 1, 2, 4 & 5	

## This Week's Menu

## \*\*\*Dinner money must be paid in advance. £2.53 per day/£12.65 per week \*\*\*

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Meatball in Gravy	Sausage	Roast Chicken	Deep Filled Meat &	Jumbo Fish Fingers	
Vegetables	Baked Beans	Gravy	Potato Pie	Baked Beans	
Creamy Mash	Creamy Mash	Baton Carrots	Green Vegetables	Chipped Potatoes	
	Yorkshire Pudding	Roast Potatoes			
Tomato & Herb Pasta	V Quorn Mince &	V Lasagne	V Chunky Quorn	V Cheese & Tomato	
Crispy Salad	Onion Gravy	Crispy Salad	Curry	Quiche	
	Green Beans	Crusty Bread	50/50 Rice	Garden Peas &	
	Creamy Mashed		Naan Bread	Sweetcorn	
	Potato			<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Jacket Potato	
Or					
Jacket Potato with	Jacket Potato with	Jacket Potato with	Jacket Potato with	Jacket Potato with	
Various Fillings	Baked Beans	Various Fillings	Baked Beans	Various Fillings	
Deli Bar (Y3,4,5&6)	Deli Bar (Y3,4,5&6)	Deli Bar (Y3,4,5&6)	Deli Bar (Y3,4,5&6)	Deli Bar (Y3,4,5&6)	
Or					
Mini Orange Biscuit &	Delight	Chocolate Sponge &	Frozen Yoghurt or	Lemon Drizzle Cake	
Fruit Slices	_	Chocolate Sauce	Fresh Fruit		
Plus the option of Fresh Fruit <b>Drinks</b> :				Fruit juice or fresh water	