# Hornsea Burton Primary School

'A Special place to learn and succeed together'
October 2017
Newsletter



**Celebration Assembly** 

6<sup>th</sup> October 9am 13<sup>th</sup> October 9am 20<sup>th</sup> October 9am



SHOW AND SHARE Friday 27th October 9am

#### Attendance in School so far

We continue to closely monitor attendance and punctuality on a daily basis. If your child is late for school, please make sure you bring them to the front entrance as you will be asked to complete the signing in book giving the reason why they are late.

Please note that children who have 100% attendance and are at school on time will be given a prize at the end of a half term, a full term and a whole year.

For your information, please find below the current % attendance for the whole school and each year group (target 96.6%).

YEAR GROUP	HORNSEA		
	BURTON		
R	95.6%		
Y1	97.1%		
Y2	97.1%		
Y3	94.7%		
Y4	97%		
Y5	94.5%		
Y6	95.6%		
Whole school	96.2%		
NUMBER OF PUPILS			
BELOW 90%	8		
NUMBER OF PUPILS			
BELOW 95%	13		
NUMBER OF PUPILS			
LATE BUT BEFORE	16		
9.30AM			
NUMBER OF PUPILS			
LATE BUT AFTER 9.30AM	Zero		
NUMBER OF PUPILS ON			
ATTENDANCE ACTION			
PLAN	Zero		

<sup>\*</sup>We are closely monitoring attendance and punctuality and attendance action plans will be put into place for families if punctuality continues to be an issue (as advised by the Local Authority).



#### Parent drop in session this half term with Mrs Shiels

Friday 27th October 9.30-10.30am

#### Parents as Partners



#### OTHER THINGS THAT ARE HAPPENING/DATES FOR DIARIES:



9<sup>th</sup> October Open The Book perform to whole school Reception children vision screening tests



 $10^{\rm TH}\,\rm October\,11.30am$  Roary the Tiger coming to our whole school assembly led by Tigers Trust

16<sup>th</sup> October 2.15pm PTFA meeting



23<sup>rd</sup> October Open The Book perform to whole school

24th October 9am Harvest Festival Assembly



26<sup>th</sup> October Flu Immunisations in school 27<sup>th</sup> October 9am Show and Share 9.30-10.30am Parent drop in with Mrs Shiels

Children and staff break up for half term holiday Friday 27th October 3.20pm.

Children and staff return to school Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November

6<sup>th</sup> November 1pm Open the Book perform to whole school

13<sup>th</sup> November afternoon Active Citizens Anti-Bullying Workshops with each class across the school (as part of Anti-Bullying week)

Bullying (online and face to face) is an issue that children need to be equipped to address.

In one day the workshops spread an "all different, all equal" anti-bullying message and share fun Active drama techniques to help prevent bullying - while unifying the children through the activity itself.

The workshops are facilitated by professional actors who are also experienced in working in primary schools. The professionals know how to quickly build trust among the group and adapt to their specific needs.

These sessions run between 35 and 60 minutes for EYFS and KS1, and up to 90 minutes for KS2.

#### **Workshop Content**

The children use drama-based games and facilitated storytelling exercises to:

**Explore** and celebrate what makes them, and others, unique.

**Identify** different types of bullying.

Imagine how bullying makes other people feel.

**Learn** to see themselves, others and their relationships from different perspectives.

**Discover** that they can identify problems and take individual and/or collective action to prevent bullying.

**Create** a 'Creative Conclusion' by working as a team and embodying many of the qualities they've been learning about, such as openness to alternative viewpoints

and willingness to challenge the status quo.

#### RESULTS FROM PARENT GOVERNOR SECRET BALLOT AT HORNSEA BURTON

#### MRS SHEPHERD 8 VOTES

MRS JONES 21 VOTES

Many thanks to all the Parents/Carers who sent in ballot slips and also to Mrs Chadwick who was the independent Parent who was scrutineer during the ballot count.

Therefore, Mrs Jones is now Parent Governor for the School.

The Governing Body is looking forward to welcoming her onto the Board of Governors and working with her in the future.

I know both Mrs Shepherd and Mrs Jones have joined the PTFA so we look forward to having their support with this too.

GOVERNORS MEETINGS DATES COMING UP NEXT





Finance Committee
11<sup>TH</sup> October 9am at Skipsea and also 13<sup>th</sup> November 1.15pm at Skipsea

LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT AND OUTCOMES FOR PUPILS COMMITTEE 8<sup>th</sup> November 1.15pm at Hornsea Burton

#### TIME TO CELEBRATE

Since the last newsletter, the following pupils have received certificates:

LUNCHTIME AWARDS - Makaila and Kerry

#### **Pen Licence**

The following children have been given a pen licence:

Harley

Lucie

Caitlin

Abbie

Abigail

Courtney



## Thank you for your support on Jeans4Genes Day

### THE DIFFERENCE YOU MADE

They help disorder-specific charities and patient groups to deliver inspiring projects and support services for children affected by a genetic disorder in the UK.

The monies raised on Jeans for Genes Day provide grants for day-to-day support, equipment, nursing and patient support services, and events which bring together affected children and their families. Below are just some of the incredible projects we have funded in previous years.

£36.30 raised Well done.

#### **PTFA**



Many thanks to those Parents and other family members that attended our initial meeting on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October. It was a really productive meeting and lots of ideas were discussed about the sort of things that the PTFA could organise in the future to support the school and most importantly benefit all pupils.

In order to find out what sort of activities Parents and Carers and families would support, the PTFA would be grateful if you could complete the sheet and return to the school office.

Thank you