

Hartford Primary School

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Dear Parents and families

A very happy new year to you all and a warm welcome back to the Spring Term! Many thanks for your positive comments about school's Christmas celebrations and also for all your good wishes and generosity towards school's staff.

2RB will be dining at this Friday's Golden Table, they earned 62 tokens in the last few weeks of term and will be served pizza by the midday team and won't have to queue and can come in first! Well done and congratulations to 2RB!

Next week we will be launching our school's Twitter feed @hartfordprimary; please look out for details next week's newsletter.

Mrs Speed who teaches every Friday in 4NS has secured a full time position in another local school and will sadly be leaving us on Friday 17th February. We have loved having Mrs Speed on our teaching team and will miss her in 4NS and in other classes doing supply. Mrs Nuttall has very kindly agreed to teach full time in 4NS for the remainder of this academic year providing the class with continuity. Huge thanks to Mrs Nuttall for this commitment to school and the children in her class.

After School clubs

A reminder that all After School clubs excluding Mad Science begin this week and will run until week ending Friday 17th February. Mad Science begins next week (Wednesday 18th Jan until Wed 15th March). An updated list of clubs is attached.

This term Friday's TENNIS for Y1, Y2, Y3 and Y4 is oversubscribed. We have therefore made the decision to run it just for Y1 and Y2 this term and Y3 and Y4 next term. We have sent text messages out on Monday of this week to inform you if your child is on the list. Please contact the school office if you require any clarification.

Please note - On occasion some After School clubs are oversubscribed and the school office has to ensure that we process all requests fairly. We feel the fairest way to do this is to provide a deadline and then draw out of a hat once that deadline has passed. If your child isn't successful, wherever possible (eg if the same club is running the following term) we will add them to a reserve list and try to ensure that they get first priority next time around. Thanks for your understanding.

PTA Update

Thanks to everyone for their support with the PTA events before Christmas, helping to raise funds for our school.

Profits from the Christmas Fair totalled an impressive £5,817! This amount includes matched funding provision of £2,342 – a huge thank you to Marie Thompson, Sarah Jones and Lisa Dunne for these matched funding opportunities.

We'll confirm the profits from other fundraising activities (film nights, Christmas cards etc) in a future update.

Readers of the Week – for week ending Friday 16th December

<u>EYJD</u> Grace K and Anya B	<u>1SM</u> Alice O and Eden M	<u>2RB</u> Taylor D and Sam K	<u>3AP</u> Max D and Olivia D	<u>4NS</u> Gemma C and Tom W	<u>5MH</u> Mia B and Harvey M	<u>6CL</u> None Chosen
<u>EYKR</u> Clara P and Isabella H	<u>1NC</u> None chosen	<u>2SG</u> Ronnie D and Sam C	<u>3LM</u> Sam M and Ivy H	<u>4HR</u> Geethan A and Evelyn	<u>5SH</u> None chosen	<u>6MW</u> None chosen

Dates for this term

- Friday 13th Jan Year 4 Celebration Assembly 2.45pm
- Friday 20th Jan Year 3 Celebration Assembly 2.45pm, Y3 Cake Sale and second-hand uniform sale straight after school
- Thursday 26th Jan KS2 Theatre Trip (due back to school approx. 6.15-6.30pm)
- Friday 27th Jan Year 2 Celebration Assembly 2.45pm
- Tuesday 31st Jan PTA Meeting 6.00pm – all welcome. Agenda to follow
- Friday 3rd Feb Year 1 Celebration Assembly 2.45pm
- Wednesday 8th Feb EY Stay and Play 9.00 - 10.00am
- Friday 10th Feb EY Celebration Assembly 2.45pm, EY Cake Sale and second-hand uniform sale straight after school
Golden Table
- Friday 17th Feb Year 6 Celebration Assembly 2.45pm
- Break up for February half term
- Monday 27th Feb Return to school
- Friday 3rd March Year 5 Celebration Assembly 2.45pm, Y5 Cake Sale and second-hand uniform sale straight after school
- Friday 10th March Year 4 Celebration Assembly 2.45pm
- Friday 17th March Year 3 Celebration Assembly 2.45pm
PTA Pamper Evening
Golden Table
- Wednesday 22nd/ Thursday 23rd March Parents Appointments – afternoon and evening appointments will be available
- Thursday 23rd March EY Stay and Play 9.00 – 10.00am
- Friday 24th March Year 2 Celebration Assembly 2.45pm, Y2 Cake Sale and Second-hand uniform sale straight after school
- Friday 31st March Year 1 Celebration Assembly 2.45pm
- Break up for Easter holidays
- Tuesday 18th April Return to school for Summer Term

Celebration Assembly

This Friday it is Year 4’s turn to host Celebration Assembly in the main hall starting promptly at 2.45pm, Mrs Speed and Mrs Rowland look forward to seeing you then.

Kind regards

Miss M Fairweather

Headteacher

Respect, Aspiration, Responsibility and Pride

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AMENDMENTS TO SCHOOL RECORDS

Child’s Name _____

Class _____

Teacher _____

Please amend details for my child as follows (e.g. phone number, address, contact details):
