



Weekly Bulletin

With kindness, respect and gratitude, together we aim high in all we do

Headteacher's message:

This week started off on a high with some of our Y6 children showing prospective parents around school. The tour guides were all brilliant and impressed the parents with their confidence and knowledge of the school. Thanks also to parents who bought books at this week's book fair and for the generous food donations to Helsby Food Bank. Next week we look forward to our Reception Grandparents afternoon (Monday at 2.15pm).

Adam Khan—Headteacher

Homework Survey

Thanks to parents who have already contributed to the Homework survey. If you haven't yet taken part, please access it from [this link](#). It should only take you 5-10 minutes. Your views are appreciated, the survey will be closing on the 13/10/23.

National Poetry Day

We celebrated National Poetry Day today with each class learning, reciting and performing a poem. They all did a fantastic



Contact details:

Please contact the school office to notify or request absence at: admin@hillside.cheshire.sch.uk

or call **01928 722 991**

Website links: [School website](#) [Absence request](#)

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Foodbank

Helsby Hillside Families managed to donate food weighing at 151.8 kg (last year 147.08kg), so thank you very much!



Our class representatives also helped pack up your donations before being taken to the food bank.



Poppies for remembrance

Please can your child bring in a plastic bottle on Monday from your recycling box, (if you don't have one perhaps a neighbour or friend would have one). It can be any size but ideally a fluted base, see photos.



Your child will use it to make a poppy to be displayed in 'Hillside's Remembrance Garden' next month.

Important Dates 2023:

October 17th and 19th—Parents' Evenings (booking closes 12/10 at 4pm)

October 20th—School closes for half term

October 31st—School re-opens to children after half term

December 6th—KS1 Christmas Production 2pm

December 7th—KS1 Christmas Production 6.30pm

December 13th—KS2 Christmas Production 2pm

December 14th—KS2 Christmas Production 6.30pm

December 15th—Carols around the Tree at St Paul's at 1pm

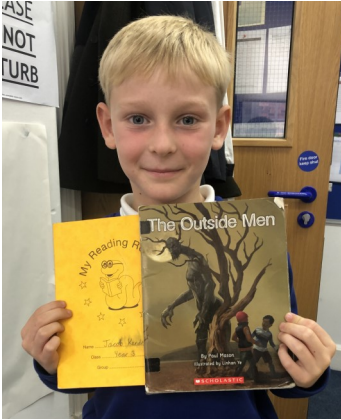
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A great week for the Kendricks!

Well done Ava Kendrick (Y6) who was awarded player of the match at the weekend. Ava was also the team captain!



Brother Jacob (Y3) has also been aiming high in his reading. This week progressing two book bands. Well done Jacob.



Celebrating children aiming high

Hillsider Awards, Star Readers and Lead Learners were celebrated on Monday. Next Monday, we will be celebrating and appointing a new Lead Learner in each class for the week as well as Star Writers and Star Mathematicians.



We also announced the winners of the Book Fair design a book cover competition. Each receiving a £5 book voucher.

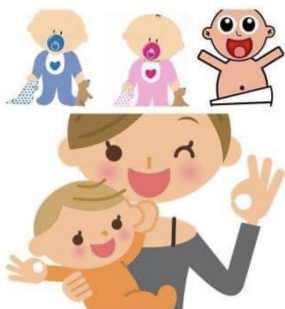
Community Events:

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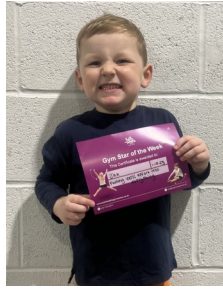
- ST PAUL'S CHURCH, HELSBY
- TUESDAYS 9:15AM – 10:30AM
- ALL WELCOME

• **FREE ADMISSION**
WITH COMPLIMENTARY

For further details contact:
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Double celebration for Jax



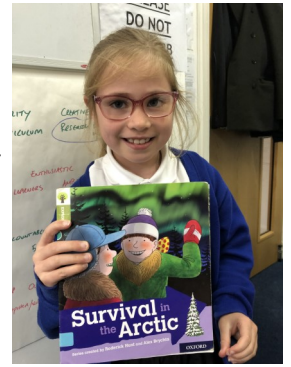
Jax (Reception) has had a good week. Not only was he awarded Gymnast of the week last Sunday at his gymnastics club, he was also awarded a stripe promotion in Judo. Well done Jax!



Super Reading Progress in Y4



Congratulations to Toby and Emilia (Y4) for continuing their reading success and moving up two book bands.



Tag Rugby Champions!

Huge congratulations to our Y5/6 Tag Rugby team who came first at Thursday's Frodsham and Villages Tournament—beating Norley in the Final.



Parents Evenings - Tuesday 17th and Thursday 19th October.

Please remember to book your parents evening appointments, the booking system will be closing 12th October at 4pm. If you do not know your password, there is a link on the login screen to reset your account. If it is your first time logging in you will need to click the link on the login screen to create an account. To do either of these you will need to use the email address attached to your parent account.

Friends of Hillside

Our PTA, The Friends of hillside can be contacted on:

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