

# Little Heath Primary School News

Keeping you up to date

July 2018

## NEARLY THERE!

We are nearly there!

In the run up to the end of term we have a very busy few weeks with some exciting activities planned.

It is important to maintain the high levels of attendance in the run up to the end of term so that the children do not miss these important transition days to prepare them for the move to their new class.

## BUILDING WORK

The improvements to school have now started and making progress. We will be having a number of deliveries to the site over the coming months and where possible we are trying to restrict these to before and after school. However, there will be times when this is not possible and we would like to reassure you that the safety of the children, staff and visitors to the site is paramount.

We do apologise in advance for any inconvenience caused by this work and we will try and keep the disruption down to a minimum for both the children and parents.



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

INTERNET SAFETY ASSEMBLY

9th July

YEAR 4 ANGLO SAXON DAY

10th July

YEAR 6 APPRENTICE

11th July

SUMMER MUSIC EVENING

11th July 6.30pm

SECONDARY TRANSFER DAY

12th July

MEET THE TEACHER

July 12th 4.30pm and 6.00pm

SHARING ASSEMBLY

16th July

STEEL PANS

18th July

YEAR 6 PRODUCTION AND

LEAVERS PARTY

19th July

YEAR 6 LEAVERS ASSEMBLY

20th July 9am (Year 6 parents only)

END OF TERM

20th July at 2pm

SCHOOL STARTS

5th September

## YEAR 6 APPRENTICE



Year 6 will be holding their annual Apprentice event on Wednesday 11th July.

The children have a variety of services and products to sell in a team effort to make the most money. All money raised will be donated to a chosen charity.

Every child will have an opportunity to look at the stalls and join in the fun but should they wish to buy any of the products or services for sale on the Apprentice afternoon, they will need to bring a small amount of pocket money to school that day.

## STEEL PAN WORKSHOP



We are very excited to be bringing the Steel Pan Workshop to Little Heath on Wednesday 18th July.

The workshops will be interactive, educational, entertaining and uplifting and the children will have a very enjoyable and memorable experience.

## SUMMER MUSIC EVENING

On Wednesday 11th July some of our children will be performing to their parents, a selection of music that they have been working on in their music lessons.

If your child would like to learn the Piano or the Violin, please contact the school office to join the waiting list.

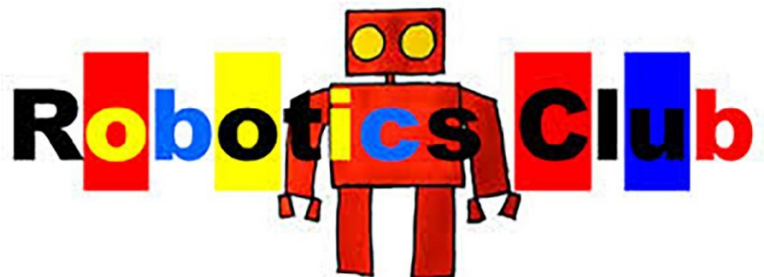
## ROBOTICS CLUB & LEGO CLUB

HG Education will be running Robotics Club for KS2 children and Lego Storyteller Club for KS1 children in September.

The Clubs will run on a Monday after school until 4.30pm

Please visit their website [www.hg-education.com](http://www.hg-education.com) for more information and keep an eye out for letters to sign up this week.

This is run on a first come first served basis, so don't delay, sign up today!



## IMPORTANT DIARY DATES

You will have noticed an email this week notifying you of changes to the published term dates for 2018-2019.

Please note that these changes are for the **next academic year** and that there are no changes to the end of term arrangements for 20th July 2018.

### 2018 – 2019 TERM & HOLIDAY DATES

#### AUTUMN TERM 2018

Monday 3rd September - INSET DAY  
Tuesday 4th September – INSET DAY  
Term dates: Wednesday 5th September  
– Friday 21st December  
Half-Term Break: Monday 29th October  
– Friday 2nd November

#### SPRING TERM 2019

Monday 7th January – INSET DAY  
Tuesday 8th January – INSET DAY  
Term dates: Wednesday 9th January  
– Friday 5th April  
Half-Term Break: Monday 18th February  
– Friday 22nd February  
Easter Break: Monday 8th April – Monday 22nd April

#### SUMMER TERM 2019

Tuesday 23rd April – INSET DAY  
Term dates: Wednesday 24th April – Tuesday 23rd July  
Monday 6th May – May Bank Holiday  
Half-Term Break: Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May  
Wednesday 24th July –Occasional Day

## AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

After school sports clubs will change after the summer holidays.

Monday—Badminton - Years 3-6

Tuesday—Netball—Year 5&6

Wednesday—Rugby—Years 3-6

Thursday—Football—Years 3&4

Friday—Football—Years 5&6

Letters will be sent out before the end of term.

## SWEET TREATS CLUB

An exciting new club is coming to Little Heath in September!

Our weekly 'Sweet Treats' club will run every Tuesday after school, from 3.30pm—4.30pm. The club will run half termly through the year.

Children will have the opportunity to learn different techniques for piping and decorating cupcakes as well as making some delicious sweet treats. And even better, they can bring their creations home to share with family and friends!

Please look out for the letter which will be coming home next week.



## HOME TIME COLLECTION

I would like to remind parents that if for some reason you are unable to collect your child from the classroom then the teacher must be informed of who will be collecting their child.

I have been made aware that on some occasions parents have rung another parents in their child's class to collect them. This practice must now stop and children will only be handed to another adult if the parent contacts the school office or the class teacher to inform them of the change.

As teachers do not always access their e-mail during the school day if the parent wishes to inform the teacher of the change through this method it will need to be done the day before – otherwise parents will have to contact the school office in person or by phone who will then inform the class teacher no later than 2.00pm.

Thank you for your co-operation.

## WHERE ARE YOU JOHNNY JAMES?

Firehorse Productions will be visiting Little Heath on Monday 9th July to present an assembly on Internet, Personal Safety and Cyber Bullying.

They have an excellent script which has been approved by Childline, Kidscape, Home Office Crime Prevention and various Police forces.



## KEEPING YOUR CHILDREN SAFE

Please could we remind you that use of playground equipment is not permitted by any child at the start and end of the school day.

Please encourage your children to refrain from using the equipment and climbing on the railings to ensure their safety.

Thank you for your co-operation.



## CHESS CLUB

REMINDER to return your chess club replies by the end of term. First come first served. Limited to 20 places. Years 2-6 only.

