

# Hannah More Primary School Newsletter

## 19th November 2021



Hello everyone

This week we saw lots of 'Acts of Kindness' around school and in the community. There was cake-making, sweeping, planting, litter-picking, gift exchanging and much more. Read the class news and speak to your child to find out more. Thanks to Miss Skinner for organising this week, which helped us to think about our school value of Nurture.

Our recent Parents' Voice meetings have also focused on our school values. The second of these meetings was on Tuesday evening and was really well attended. Thank you to Bern Leckie, one of our school Governors, who facilitated this session. You can read the notes from both the in-person meeting and the Zoom meeting on the website:

[Notes from Zoom meeting 16.11.21.pdf \(hannahmore.org.uk\).](#)

On Saturday 27th November we are running a welcome morning for some Afghan families. If you are interested in coming along to join in with some sports and craft activities, please email [hannahmorep@bristol-schools.uk](mailto:hannahmorep@bristol-schools.uk).

We are planning some festive events and details will be in this newsletter and next week's as well. These events are lots of fun for children but are also an important chance for our community to get together as well. Feedback from the Parents' Voice meetings shows how much missed these events have been over the difficult past 20 months. Parents' help – especially with events like our disco and the bike breakfast – is much appreciated. Please let us know if you'd like to get involved or contact the PTA on [hannahmorepta@gmail.com](mailto:hannahmorepta@gmail.com).

Have a restful weekend,

Best wishes,

Sue Ramsay,

Headteacher.

# SUPERKIDS!



Year 1:

Yahya

Year 2:

Yusuf and Ibrahim

Year 3:

Salman

Year 4:

Chayon and Samsam

Year 5:

Mushtaaq and Mahamed

Year 6:

Yoonis and Hassan



# Christmas Disco

Wednesday 8 December - 5:30pm start

Games, music, refreshments and crafts!

## Family Food Boxes

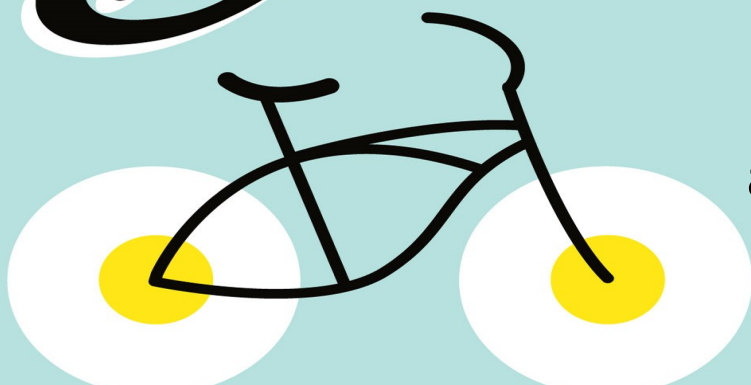
If you would like to request a food box, please do so by emailing

[friendsofhannahmore@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofhannahmore@gmail.com)

before Saturday 4th December

# Bike

BREAKFAST



Get your puncture mended or your brakes fixed. Before school, 8.00-8.45 in the playground and after school until 4.00.

**Free breakfast!**

# Holy Spokes!

- bike service & maintenance -

**Friday 3rd  
December**

## Reception

This week Reception drew the characters and setting from our story 'Little Red Riding Hood' in drawing club this week. We learnt a new poem called 'Breezy Weather'. As mathematicians we learnt about different ways to show 1 2 and 3 and drew our own representations. At home, can you draw or show me 1 2 and 3 in different ways? Add a photo to tapestry!

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Year 1 had a busy week! We enjoyed being actors with Travelling Light. For Acts of Kindness Week we planted bulbs and weeded the beds at the front of school. As mathematicians we enjoyed learning how to read and write number sentences with + and - symbols. As historians, we compared old and new toys. Please read with your child 5 times a week. Practise counting forwards and backwards to 20. Practise number bonds to 20.

## Year 1

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Year 2 had a terrific week this week! We made cakes and cards for Acts of Kindness Week for Windmill Hill City Farm to thank them for such an amazing school trip. We explored plants as scientists and wrote a brilliant setting description of the village in our book. Please read with your child 5 times a week. Practise counting forwards and backwards from 100. Practise adding 2 digit and 1 digit numbers e.g.  $36 + 7$  using the partitioning method.

## Year 3

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Year 3 continued reading the story 'The Pebble in My Pocket'. As mathematicians they worked hard learning their times tables and completed the maths times table challenge! We also enjoyed making puzzles for the elderly and thought about how we can be kind and caring to others around us. Please practise the 2, 3 and 5 times tables. Please encourage your child to read every day in a fluent voice.

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Year 4 As authors we learnt to use inverted commas and wrote setting descriptions. As mathematicians we added and subtracted lengths of different units. As historians we learnt about the Bronze and Iron Age. Help at home by getting your children ready to learn the 8 times tables!

## Year 5

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This week Year 5 showed off their kindness by helping out in the community. We took a trip to the St Pauls adventure playground and helped litter pick and clear leaves, then had a little play of course! Please help your child with their times tables.



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This week Year 6 really enjoyed making things for our partner class—year 3. We learnt to do long division in maths and really enjoyed reading 'Wolf Wilder'. Please help your child with their times tables and ensure they know all the words on the spelling list.

## Road Closure

**Monday 29th November - Barton Road will be partially closed during the day and may affect journeys to and from school.**

### Mums' fitness every Monday !

- Mondays 9-10
- All fitness levels welcome
- Friendly women-only group
- In the Sports hall



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## Holiday Activity Days run by Bristol Sport

**We have some fantastic sports days over the Christmas holiday.** Days will run from 9.30-3.30, packed lunch will be provided. Ball games, team games, football, gymnastics and more! You will be able to choose two days. These sessions are for Y1-Y6 children. More information & booking forms will be sent home in December.

**You will be able to choose 2 days. The dates we hope to run are:**

**Monday 20, Tuesday 21, Wednesday 22, Thursday 23 December**