Hannah More Primary School Newsletter 26th May 2017



Hello everyone

What an busy week to finish the term. Sports days were a great success, with some excellent performances and great team spirit. A big thank you to Mr Cook and Miss Stevens for all their hard work. As you may have heard, Beech House were sports day winners - well done to them!

We have been shocked and upset by the events in Manchester this week. Children often feel frightened and powerless in the face of such horror. I know that the teachers of the older children have discussed it in a sensitive way, focusing on the positive and supportive actions and gestures that many people have taken and the importance of playing our own small part in promoting peace in our own community.

At school this week I was especially proud of our mums' drama group. They performed their show 'It's My Life' on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at the acta theatre in Bedminster. It was fantastic! Well done to them. If you are interested in joining this group, talk to one of the mums, or to Ruth. They meet on a Tuesday morning.

In assembly this morning we had a visit from the Scouts. They are planning to start an exciting project here at Hannah More on Thursday evenings, starting in September Before that there will be some taster sessions where you can find out all about Scouts - more information in this newsletter!

Term finishes today and we have a week's break. I hope you have a lovely holiday. Best wishes, Sue Ramsay

Term ends today. Term 6 starts on Monday 5th June. Please note that school will be closed on Thursday 8th June due to elections.



- Reception: Laila-Anne & Ella-Mae
- Year 1: Alma and Nabaa
- Year 2: Salma and Cisman
- Year 3: Jermaine and Valeria
- Year 4: Liban and Lillian
- Year 5: Denny and Makayla
- Year 6: Oceann and Ali



Holiday family fun Tuesday 30 May A hands-on day of fun exploring our fabulous collections and exhibitions through creative activities for the whole family. AT SCRAPSTORE!



Things to do in and around Bristol this half term. . .

Sunday 28 th May (1-5pm)	Whitsun 2017 programme				×
	(Bank holiday) Monday* 29 th May *(1 - 5pm)	Tuesday 30 th May (12 — 5.30pm)	Wednesday 31 st May (12 – 5.30pm)	Thursday 1 st June (12 – 5.30pm)	Sunday June 4th (1–5pm)
Vaterslide (weather permitting)	Dampers (Outdoor cooking)	Wood whittling	Football tournament (now at FRAP)	Popcorn (outdoor cooking)	Karaoke afternoor
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Invisible circus	'Champ' competition	Zipwire soaker	Face painting (Deb)	Painting the structure	InvisibleCircus
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bring £2.50 fo	or this and a little extra All activities are sub ook! (Felix Road Advent	a for the tuck shop. En oject to change and m	an adult. Lunch will be av nail: <u>admin@felixroadpla</u> ay be weather permittin s know what you think? :	ayground.org 19	

JOIN THE ADVENTURE!

A Brand new Scout Group Opening soon!



What: Open evening activities for girls and boys aged 5³/₄ –14, and information for parents Where: Hannah More Primary School New Kingsley Road St Philips Bristol BS2 OLT

When: Thursday 29th June 6pm - 7pm Contact: Georgie Hudd

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scouts.org.uk



Reception

Not only did Reception complete their first 'Sports Day', but they also enjoyed 'Maths Day' too! They had to complete number challenges around the reception area which supported their learning. We can't wait for 'Shape Day'.



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Year 2

The children enjoyed writing different types of poem; including poems with alliteration and riddles. In maths, we developed our estimation skills by using clues, such as the size of containers and our halving knowledge.

Year 4

For Topic, the children enjoyed designing and making electronic games. In Literacy, we wrote some fantastic adventure stories. In Maths, we learned about symmetry. We really enjoyed sports day, as well as our reading for pleasure activities which were all around a lovely book called 'The Tin Forest'.

Year 1

In literacy, we enjoyed performing our poems. In numeracy, we had fun following a recipe to bake cakes. We



enjoyed measuring the ingredients and decorating the cupcakes. In topic we were busy planting different plants and seeds.

Year 3

We really enjoyed performing our version of the Jungle Book! We worked hard making the costumes, learning the songs and rehearsing our lines. We also discussion recapped

texts and drew our own bar charts.



Year 5

It has been an unusual week this week with Mrs Irfan out for 3 days and Miss Wright out for 2 days. But the children got on with their learning with maturity: In Maths, they plotted coordinates on a grid and in Literacy, they wrote adventure stories. Year 5 enjoyed the sports day activities too!



Year 6

In Literacy, we wrote a setting description about a desert scene using our imagination. In Maths, we solved problems with pie charts and carried out a maths rounding investigation. We enjoyed 'reading for pleasure week' where we looked at visual

literacy. In topic, we compared St Philips and the Temple Quay area between 1750 and 1828. We loved sports day and working as a team!



We hope you all enjoy the half term! Please keep supporting your children by reading with them regularly during the holidays. Why not take a book out into the sunshine to read? Or use the Bug Club website or maybe take a visit your local library?