



## NEWSLETTER APRIL 2014

It looks like Spring might finally be here as we end the second term at New Hall, with the sunshine and all of the lovely flowers out. It has been a busy term with many fantastic learning opportunities being provided for the pupils of New Hall—we have seen parent Inspire workshops which always receive such positive feedback, an arts focus week which resulted in some delightful sculptures and many educational trips.

We already have planned some more exciting experiences for the pupils during the Summer term, including an archery day and whole school puzzle challenge day. Further details to follow.

May we wish you all a peaceful, happy Easter holiday.



### Dates for the Diary



**Friday 11 April** - Inset Day

**Easter Holiday** - Monday 14

April - Friday 25 April

**Monday 28 April** - School open

**Monday 5 May** - School Bank Holiday School closed

**Tuesday 6 May** - School open

**Wednesday 7 May** - Reception Grandparent lunch

**Thursday 8 May** - Team Styles Class Assembly

**Wednesday 14 May** - KS1 Grandparent lunch

**Wednesday 21 May** - Internet Safety Assembly & KS2 Grandparent lunch

**Thursday 22 May** - Reception Class Assembly

**Half Term** - Monday 26 May - Friday 30 May

**Thursday 19 June** - Nursery Class Assembly

**Friday 4 July** - Inset Day

**Monday 21 July** - Inset Day

**Summer Holiday** - Tuesday 22 July - Friday 29 August.

## EASTER BONNET & EGG WINNERS



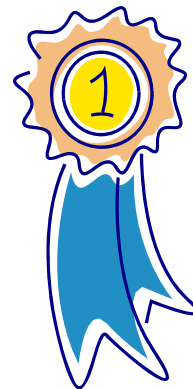
EYFS and KS1 decorated an Easter Bonnet and KS2 decorated an egg. Here are the winners and each received an Easter egg:-  
Nursery - Sienna  
Team Barham - Lily  
Team Preston - Marika  
Team Wood - Issabelle  
Team Styles - Jake  
Team Davis - Kye  
Team Qayyum - Zak  
Team Malanaphy - Sophie  
Team Trevelyan - Cory  
Team Palmer - Kai  
Team Spiers - Jacey  
Team Roberts - Sarah

## FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT



On Monday 31st March, Mrs Palmer and Mr Prichard took the football team to the annual Rotary tournament at Sutton Town FC. Unfortunately New Hall didn't reach the final stage although all the boys played the best they ever have. All players received a medal and a certificate for their hard work. Boys - Mrs Palmer is very proud of you! Also a special thank you to the boys' parents for your support.

## GOVERNORS AWARDS

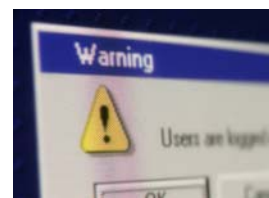


Nursery - Theodor  
Team Preston - Rhianna  
Team Barham - Lexi  
Team Styles - Salihah  
Team Wood - Amelia  
Team Davis - Afia  
Team Qayyum - Vanessa  
Team Malanaphy - Cearagh  
Team Trevelyan - Jamie  
Team Spiers - Liam  
Team Palmer - Charlotte  
Team Roberts - Olivia

## SCHOOL DINNERS

Reminder - with effect from Monday 28th April the price of School dinners will increase to £2.05 per child per day. If you have any concerns please contact the School office.

## INTERNET SAFETY



Reminder - we have had a few parents concerned about their children using the internet at home. We have invited PSCO Nikki Harrison to come along on Wednesday 4 June at 2:45 pm to run a workshop for parents on Internet Safety. Further information will follow shortly.

## EYFS TRIP TO CHURCH

The whole of EYFS walked up to Falcon Lodge Methodist Church for the Easter toddler service held by Deacon Linda. They listened to the Easter Story and sang songs. The children behaved beautifully and represented the school really well.



## TAMWORTH CASTLE

Team Qayyum, Trevelyan and Malanaphy enjoyed a trip to Tamworth Castle. The children met a Tudor Lady and worked as her servants! They also learnt popular Tudor dances and had a tour of the castle, which included a very spooky trip to the dungeon.



## HOUSE CROSS COUNTRY

On Wednesday 9th April, all children from EYFS to Y6 took part in our House Cross Country competition. It was fantastic to see all of the children having a go, doing their absolute best and showing such positive attitudes towards the event. The results are in...

4th place Bracebridge  
3rd place Longmoor  
2nd place Wyndley  
1st place Powell  
Congratulations Powell!



### Reminder:

There seem to be some pupils who are coming into school everyday in inappropriate footwear.

Trainers are not part of our daily school uniform.

NO trainers, NO heels.

Our school policy also states that no jewellery is to be worn for health and safety reasons. Children will be asked to remove jewellery if they come to school with it, and we will not accept any responsibility for any loss.

### School Rules

Our school rules were devised by School Council and state:

RESPECT YOURSELF, OTHERS AND THE ENVIRONMENT