



Haughmond Federation

Friday 1st March

Federation Dates

SISN Dates in blue

HJS Dates in red

MARCH

4th Sponsored Read Assembly

4th EYFS2 Parent Workshop:

Writing Green Class 2pm

5th Y2 Roald Dahl Drama

Workshop

6th EYFS2 Parent Workshop:

Writing (All Reception Classes

5pm-5.45pm)

7th EYFS2 Parent Workshop:

Writing Pink Class 2pm

7th World Book Day

7th Y3 Book Event

8th EYFS2 Parent Workshop:

Writing Lilac/Yellow Classes 2pm

11th Year 1 Parent workshops

Turquoise

12th Year 1 Parent workshops

Purple

13th/14th Parents Evenings

13th Class 9 Parent Lunch

15th Non-Uniform Day— Easter

Egg Donations

15th Year 1 Parent workshops

Blue

20th-22nd Y2 Parent Workshops

Maths Orange Class 1.45-2.45

(also 4-5pm)

20th Class 8 Parent Lunch

21st Y2 Parent Workshops:

Maths Red Class 1.45-2.45

22nd Y2 Parent Workshops:

Maths Silver Class 1.45-2.45

25th EYFS1 Parent Workshop

Maths

26th EYFS Parent Workshops:

Maths Games 1.45-2.45

28th EYFS Parent Workshops:

Maths Games 1.45-2.45

28th Belvidere Music Festival

28th Gymnastics Competition

APRIL

2nd Parents Evening

3rd Class 7 Parent Lunch

3rd FunRaisers Bingo

4th Parents Evening

8th Easter Service

8th Easter Egg Hunt

15th—26th Easter holidays

MAY

6th May Bank Holiday

If you would like any further information for the events listed above then please contact the schools directly. More details will be printed in the newsletter closer to the actual event if applicable.

This Half Term's Value is Patience

"Patience is not the ability to wait, but how you act while you're waiting" - Joyce Meyer



Message from Miss Peters, Executive Headteacher

We are very proud to have received the following letter announcing that we have won the Peter Cates Trophy for Primary School Achievement.

Dear Headteacher

Shropshire Schools' Sports & Athletics Association

The John Beswick International Awards Evening

The Shirehall, Abbey Foregate, Shrewsbury

Every year the SSSAA recognises the significant achievement of young people participating in sport at the annual awards evening held at the Shirehall. In addition to the individual awards, there are a number of other presentations. This is a very popular event and is recognition of the tremendous work and commitment of the young people but also the teachers, coaches and parents.



I am very pleased to inform you that the Executive Committee have awarded the Peter Cates Trophy for Primary School Achievement to Haughmond Federation. This award will be presented at the International Evening.

Congratulations to everyone involved in the process

Yours sincerely,

Sean McCarthy

Sports Development Officer

Nut Policy

Please can we remind all parents that Haughmond Federation operate a nut free environment within both schools to prevent allergic reactions in the children and staff.

Therefore, please be mindful with packed lunches and avoid using nut spreads in sandwiches and providing snacks that contain nuts. Many thanks

Shrewsbury Academy Gates

We would like to make parents aware that Shrewsbury Academy are to keep the gates locked at the entrance behind the church from 25th February as a safeguarding measure. The front and back entrances plus The Lantern gate will remain open. Please contact Shrewsbury Academy on 01743 276700 if you have any queries.

Many thanks

Autism West Midlands

Rising to the Challenge – 2019 Workshops – Shrewsbury

29th March at 9:30 am - 17th May at 12:30 pm

A series of six workshops during March, April and May for family carers who really want to understand their child's autism.

This course is funded by Shropshire Council and Shropshire's Clinical Commissioning Group so places are only available for family carers living in the Shropshire Council area.

About the Course

Families attending this course will gain greater confidence in living with autism and feel better equipped to manage the difficulties they are experiencing. All participants will have the opportunity to share their experiences and take away ideas, strategies and resources as well as information about Autism West Midlands' Information and Support services and other local sources of help.

All sessions take place on Fridays (9.30am – 12.30pm) at:

The Lantern, Meadow Farm Drive,

Sundorne, Shrewsbury,

Shropshire,

SY1 4NG

Booking Information: To book this event please visit 1000 sit the eShop:

<https://shop.autismwestmidlands.org.uk/collections/events/products/rising-to-the-challenge-2019>

Parents and carers must be resident in the Shropshire Council area.

Please provide your mobile number when booking so that they can send you a text reminder.

Cost: £10 individual or £15 per couple.

If the cost is a barrier to you attending, please contact us:

E: shropshire@autismwestmidlands.org.uk

The course consists of 6 sessions as follows.

Friday 29th March (9.30am – 12.30pm)

Autism as a Spectrum

- Exploring the world of autism
- The individuality of children on the spectrum
- How autism is diagnosed

Friday 5th April (9.30am – 12.30pm)

The Sensory World of Autism

- Sensory Processing
- How children with autism experience their senses
- Improving sensory experiences for your child

Friday 12th April (9.30am – 12.30pm)

Exploring Communication

- The developing communicator
- How your child with autism communicates
- Communication ideas for your child

Friday 3rd May (9.30am – 12.30pm)

Helping your Child Develop Social Skills

- How children develop social skills
- Social skill difficulties in autism
- Promoting social skills with your child

Friday 10th May (9.30am – 12.30pm)

Understanding and minimising difficult behaviours

- Anxious behaviours and autism
- Coping strategies for dealing with autism related anxiety and anger outbursts
- Strategies to help your child regulate their emotions

Friday 17th May (9.30am – 12.30pm)

Happiness and Wellbeing

- Practical strategies to promote self esteem and wellbeing for your child
- Reflection time





SISN



Donations of Plants & Seeds



We kindly ask all parents and the surrounding local community for any seeds, plants, bulbs, plant cuttings, top soil and compost that could be given to the school. Any donations would be most gratefully received and would be used in various school projects with the children. Thank you in advance.

Y1 & 2 Space Projects



We would like to thank all of our children in Years 1 and 2 and their parents who completed a space project! There have been some amazing displays and the children should be very proud of themselves! Well done!



Severdale Academy and Sundorne Infants Sports and PE partnership

Over the past 12 months Sundorne Infants have been working in partnership with Severdale Academy to deliver PE sessions to children across both schools.

Our aim has been to ensure all children have the opportunity to engage, enjoy and achieve together.

This term our Year 1 Blue Class have been working closely with Year 1 and 2 Class L8 from Severdale; focusing on rugby activities which include ball handling, attacking, defending and communicating.

All of the children have shown great team work together developing their agility, balance and coordination to engage new skills and play competitive games.

Excellent work and well done to Blue Class! And to our friends at Severdale.

Also can I say thank you to Miss Osman and Jayne for their support throughout

this partnership, it really has been a great success for everyone involved.



Attendance –for the week beginning Monday 11th February

The national average is 96.3% - has your child's class beaten this target this week? Well done to **Purple Class** for having the best attendance!

Class	Attendance	Class	Attendance	Class	Attendance
Yellow	89.7%	Turquoise	96%	Silver	94.8%
Green	90%	Blue	93%	Red	89%
Pink	96.3%	Purple	99.7%	Orange	98.3%
Lilac	86.7%				

If you have any concerns or questions please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Maddox (Head of School)
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