



Haughmond Federation

Friday 8th March

Federation Dates

SISN Dates in blue

HJS Dates in red

MARCH

11th Y1 Parent workshops Turquoise
12th Y1 Parent workshops Purple
13th/14th Parents Evenings
13th Class 9 Parent Lunch
15th Non-Uniform Day—Easter Egg Donations
15th Y1 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

1st Class 9 Wroxeter Trip
2nd Academy Photography—Class & Year 6 Leavers
2nd Parents Evening
3rd Class 7 Parent Lunch
3rd Class 8 Wroxeter Trip
3rd FunRaisers Bingo
4th Class 7 Wroxeter Trip
4th Parents Evening
5th Y6 Swimming starts—Group 1
6th Shrewsbury Junior Half Marathon
8th Easter Service
8th Easter Egg Hunt
9th Y5 Production—times tbc
10th Y5 Production—times tbc
15th—26th Easter holidays

MAY

6th May Bank Holiday
24th Sports Day

JUNE

7th Y6 Swimming starts Group 2

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

"A moment of patience in a moment of anger saves you a hundred moments of regret." – Anonymous



Message from Miss Peters, Executive Headteacher

Yesterday was a wonderful day across the Federation celebrating all things to do with books. There were lots of fantastic book character costumes from the children and adults and throughout the day at both schools children would regularly "Drop everything and read."

There were also assemblies and lots of book related activities happening in classes and there was an excited buzz all around the buildings.

Some children in Year 3 came back into school at 5pm to take part in a Books at Bedtime. This event was very successful and there were many positive comments from those that attended. We are hoping to do more of these in the future.

Thank you to everyone who contributed and supported World Book Day to make it such a lovely day. Please look out for your World Book Day vouchers so you can go and get your free book and continue enjoying books together at home.

Non-Uniform Day



We will be having a non-uniform day across the Federation on Friday 15th March. We kindly ask for donations of Easter eggs so we may use them as prizes for Easter Bingo on 3rd April. As it will also be Comic Relief that day, the children are still welcome to wear red noses and other appropriate merchandise. Many thanks

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

LTS/Cleaners

We currently have vacancies across the Federation for:

Lunchtime Supervisors

Cleaners

These positions would be for an immediate start. The Cleaner positions are available either before or after school. Please ask at the school offices for an application form or for more information.

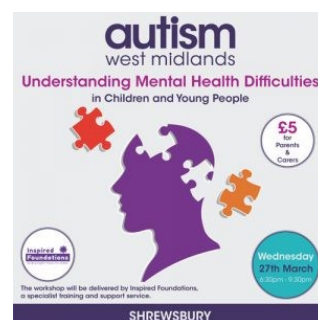
Understanding Mental Health Difficulties in Children and Young People – Shrewsbury

This evening workshop will cover: What is mental health? Different types of mental health difficulties. How can we identify mental health difficulties in children and young people. Strategies for supporting children and young people who may have mental health difficulties. Signposting to specialist support. The workshop will be delivered by Inspired Foundations, a specialist training and support service. Date: Wednesday 27th March 2019 Time: 6:30pm - 9:30pm Location: The Lantern, Meadow, Farm Drive, Shrewsbury, SY1 4NG Cost: £5

Booking Information: To book this event please visit the online shop: <https://shop.autismwestmidlands.org.uk/collections/events/products/understanding-mental-health-difficulties-in-children-and-young-people-shrewsbury-march-2019>

For more information please contact the Shropshire team:

E: shropshire@autismwestmidlands.org.uk



Autism Advice Session – Shrewsbury (Evening Sessions)

Would you like some specific advice about autism and your child? Free one to one advice and guidance for parents/carers of individuals on the autism spectrum. Please book a 45 minute appointment in advance. Please do not bring your child with autism to this appointment. This session runs on Thursday Evenings: Thursday 14th March 2019 Thursday 11th April 2019 Thursday 9th May 2019 Thursday 13th June 2019 Thursday 11th July 2019

Booking Information: to book this event or for more information please contact the Helpline Team:

T: 0121 450 75 75

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Understanding Your Child with Autism – Shrewsbury

A free one day course for family carers of children with autism or being assessed for autism. This practical session will give you the opportunity to share experiences and take away ideas, strategies and resources. Topics covered include autism as a spectrum condition, communication in autism and making sense of behaviour. Places are only available to family carers in the Shropshire Council area

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HJS



Boys U9 7 a-side County Cup

The Year 4 boys team were involved in the second round of the County Cup on Wednesday 6th March. The boys were grouped with Redhill, Mereside and Church Preen. Redhill were up first, HJS played very well they had a lot of the attack but were unable to score and the game ended 0-0. In the second game against Mereside HJS again played very well. They went 1-0 up midway through the game it was Harvey, who scored, sweeping the ball neatly into the corner. HJS continued to create chances but were unable to add to their lead so the game ended 1-0. In the final game HJS knew if they won they would be guaranteed a place in the semi-finals. HJS dominated the game having lots of chances through Charlie, Alfie and Ollie.



The breakthrough came in the second half when Charlie crossed the ball into Harvey who played Alfie in to score. HJS continued to create chances but 1-0 was enough to win the game and finish top of the group!

In the Semi-Final HJS faced Condoover. In a tight first half HJS defended well but also created their own chances. It was in the second half where HJS began to really dominate the ball. They created chance after chance but couldn't find the net. With seconds remaining Harvey had the opportunity to score the winner but his shot went just wide! The fulltime whistle went and this meant a penalty shoot-out! After the first 3 penalties the shoot-out then went into sudden death...

Jacob stepped up to take his penalty, slotting the ball home to the right of the keeper. Now it was Condoover's turn, the Condoover player took a good penalty with the ball looking to go high into the net when Antoni jumped up and tipped the ball onto the crossbar! HJS were through to the Final!!! The final, will be played, at Shrewsbury Town F.C on Saturday 11th May.

Well done boys you were magnificent!!

Team: Antoni, Jamie, Liam, Alfie, Sam, Jacob, Harvey, Ollie and Charlie

Kwik Cricket 4th March

The Year 4 cricket team took part in a Kwik Cricket tournament at the Sports Village on Monday. The team played very well playing against four other schools. In the first game HJS played Meole Brace and lost by just 5 runs, a great effort considering none of the team had played before. They then came up against Greenfields and again played very well this time coming out winners by 18 runs. Highley were up next and HJS batted first scoring lots of runs and came out eventual winners by just 1 run! In the last game against, unbeaten Pontesbury, HJS played well but not well enough to beat a very good side, losing by over 20 runs. A huge well done to the whole team coming in joint second place overall.

Team: Toby, Tulip, Violet, Alfie, Jamie, Junior, Jacob, William, Liam and Ollie



School were delighted this week to receive this email from a neighbour.

I am writing to you as I feel you need to be informed of two young boys from your school that showed immense respect and care for the environment outside my house last night. A recycling tub had tipped over in the wind and blown all the recycling bottles, jars etc across the public grass area. I saw the two boys picking them up and kept going back and forward to the recycling bin with arm loads until the grass was clear. They suddenly vanished from sight before I had chance to tell them what a fantastic job they had done and how responsible it was. My daughter/grandson recognised the two boys from school so I feel they need to be acknowledged by the school for their kind heartedness and positive, responsible actions.

The two boys are Jacob (class 8) and Jamie (class 2). HJS is very proud of these two boys and their actions.

Attendance –for the week beginning Monday 25th February

The national average is 96.3% - has your child's class beaten this target this week? Well done to **Class 12** for having the best attendance!

Class	Attendance	Class	Attendance
1-Miss Beard	94.6%	7-Mr Norman	96.7%
2-Miss Felton	97.2%	8-Mr Price/Mrs Rowsell	92.3%
3-Mrs Hill	92.8%	9-Mrs Baines-Price	92.9%
4-Mr Tombleson	93.9%	10-Mrs Leather	98%
5-Mrs Downes	94.7%	11-Mr Powis	93.7%
6-Mr Davies	97.6%	12 – Mr Heard	99.3%

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