



Newsletter

Icklesham Church of England Primary School



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Issue 8

Icklesham's Got Talent!

Well done to everyone who took part in Icklesham's Got Talent! All the acts were amazing! The finalists performed to the whole school this afternoon and will go on to entertain the residents at Five Villages on Tuesday 5th November for their celebration day.

Business Ambassadors (report by Annie)

This week myself, Harrison and Maizie had our first Business Ambassadors trip. We went to Hastings Contemporary Gallery and the Fishermen's Museum. Hastings Contemporary Gallery was amazing because we liked asking questions about paintings by Victor Willing and looking at Quentin Blake's pictures, we saw how creative he is. We found out that Hastings Contemporary (previously called The Jerwood Gallery) is a charity funded by Arts Council England. Then we went to the Fisherman's Museum. As we stepped inside we saw a giant fishing boat called a Lugger which was built in Hastings in 1912 and fished until 1954. Before that the building was a museum. It was opened as a church for the fisherman in 1854.

Cross Country (report by James and Oscar)

The first round of this year's cross country 2019 took place on Wednesday and it was full of fun and excitement and we even had more people than last time! Three people qualified, they were Cody, Fynn and James who all came in the top four. The next round is at Ark Alexander. The course is about the same size and will be a challenge for us all!

Parent Consultation Meetings

There are still places available for our parent consultations held the first week after half term on:
Tuesday 5th November 3:30 - 5pm
Wednesday 6th November 8am - 8:50am
Thursday 7th November 3:30 - 6pm

This is an opportunity to discuss your child's current progress and attainment as well as getting advice on how best to support your child at home. Please sign up in the office.

MDSA vacancy

We currently have a vacancy for a Midday Supervisory Assistant/Lunchtime Play Leader for one hour per day, Monday to Friday 12pm- 1pm. This would be on a temporary basis from November 2019 until July 2020. For further information please see Mrs Barry.

Book Fair

The Travelling Book Fair will be in school from the 6th -12th November. The PTFA will be running the book fair after school. Please come along.

Hastings Museum Competition

Thank you for all the competition entries. The closing date was today. Posters were delivered to Hastings Museum yesterday. Good luck to all who entered.

Thank you

The PTFA would like to thank Icklesham craft fair who have raised £64.85 for the school

School Lunches

A new menu has been sent home today, this will run until April 2020.

Class Awards

Apple Class Mrs Cullingworth

Olivia—making super squares

Violet—super maths work

Satsuma Class Mr Cornes

Fyfe—challenging himself in his writing

Atia—being creative in her writing

Blueberry Class Mrs Maskell

Percy—working hard in writing and maths

Evie—imaginative descriptive writing about dragons

Mango Class Mrs Isaac

Will—fantastic fractions

Liam—perfect poetic writing

Head Teacher Awards

Let Your Light Shine

Apple Class Mrs Cullingworth

Koben—for neat presentation

Satsuma Class Mr Cornes

George—becoming more and more confident in class

Blueberry Class Mrs Maskell

Eileen—being a fantastic student

Mango Class Mrs Isaac

James, Cody and Fynn—qualifying for Cross Country finals

Head Teacher Awards:

Politeness: Autumn, Satsuma Class

Caretaker Award: Blueberry Class —A great effort to keep cloakroom and classroom tidy

Attendance Award: The class with the most children attending 100% all week and on time is: Apple Class

House Points: Church House

DATES Academic Year 2019 / 2020

Here are some dates for your diary. We will update these each week.

November 2019

4th - First Day of Term 2

5th - Icklesham's Got Talent winners going to 5 Villages

5th - Parent Consultation Evening 3:30—5pm

6th- Parent Consultation morning 8-8:50am

7th - Parent Consultation Evening 3:30— 6pm

21st - Immunisations in school

21st - Open Day for prospective parents 5:30-7pm

22nd - Open Day for prospective parents 9:15-10:30am

December 2019

5th— Business Ambassadors for those involved

6th—Christmas Fair

11th—Nativity performance 2pm

12th—Nativity performance 5pm

13th—Christmas Jumper day in aid of NSPCC

18th—Whole School Panto

20th—End of Term 2

Advance Notice Inset Days

Inset Days so far for 2019-2020:

Wednesday 4th September 2019

Monday 1st, Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd June 2020

One further Inset day is yet to be decided. We will of course let you know as soon as possible.

East Sussex Term Dates for 2019-2020 can be found on the East Sussex Website <https://www.eastsussex.gov.uk/>