

Mill Hill Matters

★ Newsletter

2017-18 Edition 2 21st September 2018



Well done!



To Leo Taggart, Cole Stooke and Herbie Hand from Dahl class who were superstars during their visit to Waterstones. They were so attentive and answered all the questions so eloquently. Thank you to Leti and Waterstones for our visit.

Stars of the Week



William Walsh
Oliver Gibas
Abigail Antcliff
CherCADE Wintersgill
Koben-Lee King-Wood
Amelia Rose Burn
Caiden Burn
Leo Taggart
Kyle Thompson
Riley Tyler x2!



Attendance w/c 14.09

Donaldson	97.3%
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Jeffers	98.1%
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Rosen	92.7%
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Dahl	96.4%
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Fine	95.7%
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Rundell	95.2%
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House Team Winners

w/c 3.09.18 **BLUE**

w/c 10.09.18 **GREEN**

All house members will receive a treat at lunchtime!

NEW CLASS DETAILS

This year, to highlight how highly we value reading, our classes are named after famous authors.

Rec Mrs Grainger - Julia Donaldson

Year 1/2 Mrs Button & Mrs Newby - Oliver Jeffers

Year 2 Mrs Withington - Michael Rosen

Year 3/4 Mr Warden - Roald Dahl

Year 4/5 Mrs Harvey - Anne Fine

Year 6 Miss Buxton - Katherine Rundell

Dinner Money

North Yorkshire policy states that **school meals should be paid in advance**. We are asking that parents adhere to this as, sadly, some children last year accrued debts which remain unpaid despite continued requests.

As a school, we cannot afford to subsidise school meals for those who do not pay.

Debts will be forwarded to NYCC Legal Services.

Whole School Attendance

95.9% causing concern

Attendance

Unfortunately, parents are still persisting in taking holidays during term time and this is having a seriously detrimental effect on our attendance data.

Children cannot make progress if they are not in school.

Please note that such holidays will be treated as unauthorised and, as such, will result in fines being issued to both parents, separately, by North Yorkshire County Council.

New faces around school....

...we welcome Mrs Harvey as class teacher for Year 4/5. She is already settling in to Mill Hill with her new class!



We say farewell to....



....Mrs Bond who, after many years, is moving on at the end of the month to a new position at the Leisure Centre. We wish her well in all that she chooses to do.

Mrs Bond has played a significant role in sports events and running School Council as well as being a HL Teaching Assistant.



On Friday, 21st September we will be supporting this worthy cause by wearing jeans alongside school uniform in exchange for £1.00.



Don't forget we have BREAKFAST CLUB open every morning from 8am.

No need to book, just accompany your child to the Meeting Room where you will be met by Mrs Cole.

Cereal, toast and fruit juice for only £1!

Dates for your diary....

19th Sept FOMHS Meeting 3.15pm

21st Sept Jeans for Genes Day

27th Sept A mysterious yet exciting surprise for all!!

1st/2nd Oct Parents Evenings

26th Oct Staff Training Day - School Closed

9th Nov Winter Craft Fair

16th Nov Children in Need

23rd Nov Individual Photographs

7th Dec Influenza Immunisations

12th Dec Nativity afternoon & evening