



HALLAM FIELDS JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Staffing changes

We would like to wish Mrs Sibley all the best as she leaves us temporarily this week to start her maternity leave to have her second child. Mrs Carr will be covering Mrs Sibley's SENCO responsibilities whilst she is on maternity leave.

We would also like to welcome Miss Gration back from her maternity leave this week. Miss Gration will be covering Maths teaching in year 5 and planning and preparation time for teachers across the school.

Welcome to Mrs Batty, our new School Business Assistant who will be working in the office in the morning. Mrs Batty replaces Mrs Oxley who left us before the half term break after a number of years in school.

Sporting Activities and Achievements

We would like to share our recent sporting success and we would like to take this opportunity of congratulating our children on their impeccable behaviour and good sportsmanship whilst representing our school during these events.

- Year 5/6 Football—1st—entered into the Erewash Finals
- Year 3/4 Football— 4th—Played well against tough opposition
- Year 3/4 Futsal—Fair Play Award
- Year 5/6 Table Tennis—Girls 3rd, Boys 2nd—Won 14 games in total

Hankies for Heros

We have been informed (weather permitting), the 'Hankies for Heros' will be displayed on Saturday 10th November between 11-1pm at Victoria Park. If the event cannot go ahead at Victoria Park, the Hankies will be sold after the Remembrance Service inside the Cantelupe Centre adjacent to St Mary's Church from 11.30am until 1.30pm.

Dates for this term:

Monday 11th November	- Remembrance Day marked in school
Monday 11th November	- School Photos
Mon 11th–Fri 15th November	- National anti-bullying week—'Change starts with us'
Wednesday 13th November	- Rowan Class come to lunch (11.30am)
Friday 15th November	- Year 5 Assembly 9.15am
Friday 15th November	- Children in Need—Non-uniform day £1 donation
Wednesday 20th November	- Lime Class come to lunch (11.30am)
Thursday 21st November	- Reading Drop in Sessions for Parents 9am or 5pm booking via Parent Pay
Friday 22nd November	- INSET
Friday 6th December	- Christmas Fair 3.30-5pm
Thursday 12th December	- Panto in Derby (Payment on ParentPay—deadline for payment 15th Nov)
Monday 16th December	- Year 5 Christmas Party
Tuesday 17th December	- Year 6 Christmas Party
Tuesday 17th December	- Lower School (Years 3 and 4) Christmas carols at St. John's Church —2pm
Wednesday 18th December	- Year 3 Christmas Party
Wednesday 18th December	- Upper School (Years 5 and 6) Christmas carols at St. John's Church —2pm
Thursday 19th December	- Year 4 Christmas Party
Mon 23rd Dec—Friday 3rd Jan	- Christmas holiday