# KS2 Great Heath Academy News: Oct. 2019

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Phase Co-ordinators
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Miss R Brett (Y1/2)
Miss P Clark (Y3/4)
Miss T Oakley (Y5/Y6)

Chair of Governors Mr L Hughes

## Staffing

I am pleased to announce that after a rigorous selection process, Miss Clark is now the Phase Coordinator for Y3/Y4, joining Miss Oakley as Y5/Y6 Phase Coordinator. If you have any issues or concerns, please contact the class teacher in the first instance, followed by the Phase Coordinator.

#### **Fundraising**

Thank you all so much for supporting us in our fundraising. During the summer, you raised over £500 through our sponsored read, and we are busy ordering new reading books for the children. On our Hello Yellow day last week, you raised a wonderful £275 for Young Minds to support mental health in young people. Once again, thank you for your generosity.

# **SATs meeting**

Parents of children in Y6 are invited to attend an information session to find out more about the Y6 SATs that their children will be taking in May. If you would like to find out more, see what your child is doing in class and even have a go at a test (!) please join us at 9.10am on Thursday 31st October.

#### **Scooters**

Last year, when we still had the mobile classrooms, some people left scooters around the back of the mobiles, rather than in the bike sheds. Now that the mobiles have been removed, any scooters left on the edge of the playground are a real temptation for pupils! Please can parents make sure that any bikes/scooters are left in the bike sheds, rather than near the playground fence.

### School meals

A new menu will be released later today and will be able to be viewed on our website. The cost of meals is increasing by 10p per meal, making school meals £2.10 each. Please be aware that meals should be paid for on the day or in advance, through School Money. This stops any debt accruing. If you have let a dinner debt build up, please ensure that it is settled over the half term holiday.

# **Achievement and attendance**

Below you will see the winners at our recent writing celebration assemblies as well as the attendance for each class over the past month – well done **Typhoon** class. **The target for attendance is 97%.** 

Class	Writing Star: 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept. 2019	Maths Star: 3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct. 2019	Writing Star: 10 <sup>th</sup> Oct. 2019	Monthly Attendance	
Y3: Hercules	Stanley Ward	Dylan Evans	Ava Flatt	98.1%	•
Y3: Lightning	Juliana Wooten	Declan Gullick	Albert Wisbeach	95.9%	•
Y3: Vulcan	Alayna Sellings	Rhys Thomas	Pippa Evans	96.2%	•
Y4: Galaxy	Annabel Slack	Archie Gallagher	Tayyib Amin	98.7%	•
Y4: Nimrod	McKenzi Sulman		Samuel Elutilo	97.4%	•
Y4 Eagle	Karolina Lange	Magdalena Domosud	Jack Rogers	97.9%	•
Y5: Tornado	Piper Tuffs	Summa Donaldson Natalia Barnikova	Zac Cadman	96.6%	•
Y5: Meteor	Ellie Liles		Isabella Flack	98.5%	•
Y5: Osprey	Izma Ameen	Y5 Maths Stars are from maths groups.	Amalie Turner	95.7%	•
Y6: Typhoon	Evie Swift	Tia-Mackenzi Scott Antonia Jones	Aaliyah Akinbode	98.9%	•
Y6: Hurricane	Zoe Riddell	Amelia Quarton-Murfitt  Madisyn Buckley	Chloe Karam	98.1%	•

### **Term dates**

Children break for half term today and return on **Tuesday 29**<sup>th</sup> **October**. We are closed for staff training on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October. Term ends for Christmas on **Thursday 19**<sup>th</sup> **December**.

Mr A Smith Assistant Principal