



# HINS Newsletter No 28 - 2nd May 2025

## Message from Mrs Fynn :

What a lovely day we've had today celebrating the memory of our friend Don Sheppard and learning about the role he played in WWII. We were lucky enough to be visited by Don's daughter and granddaughter who brought a selection of his medals to show us as they shared family memories of Don and his stories. We also had a VE Day anniversary afternoon tea style lunch. In the afternoon, we had a whole school parade with music and dancing on the playground. Thank you for your donations in Don's memory - we have raised a fabulous £157 so far and will send the money to the Royal British Legion. I know we are a little early but next week on the VE day anniversary we have another experience planned for the children (not VE day related) and didn't want to cause confusion.

Thank you to everyone who provided a suggested name for our penguin. The children have all had the opportunity to vote for their favourite name and Miss J will be announcing which was the most popular next week, so keep an eye on our social media pages.

## Holiday Dates -

- 5th May - Bank Holiday
- 26th-30th May - Half Term
- 2nd June - Welcome Back!
- 20th June - Inset Day
- 23rd June - Inset Day
- 22nd July - Last Day of Term - School Closes at 1.30pm - After School Club Closes at 3.15pm

**Dates for your Diary -** please note that details for some diary items is not yet available and will be communicated in due course.

- 8th May - Teach Rex Day
- 9th May - Whole Class Group Photos
- 22nd May - Year 1 Trip to Hyde Hall
- 23rd May - Outdoor Learning Day
- 9th June - 3 Tees Cricket - Year 2
- 18th June - HINS Poetry Competition
- 19th June - Sports Day
- 24th June - World Music Day
- 24th - 25th June - Transition Days
- 2nd July - Class Open Evening 3.30-4.15pm
- 11th July - HINS Local Charity Day
- 15th - 16th - 17th July - Year 2 Leavers Assembly
- 22nd July - Commendation Assembly



## Week 1 Menu - Commencing 6th May 2025

<b>Picnic Tuesday</b>
Ham, Cheese or Tuna Mayo Baguette
Served with Mixed Pasta Salad
Homemade Shortbread and Fresh Fruit
<b>Wednesday</b>
Butchers Pork Sausage or Vegetarian Sausage
Served with Carrots and Creamy Mashed Potato
Cook's Tasty Raspberry Muffins and Fresh Fruit
<b>Thursday</b>
Tomato & Chicken Pasta Bake or Quorn Chicken & Tomato Pasta Bake
Served with Green Beans
Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter
<b>Friday</b>
Fish Fingers or Fluffy Omelette
Served with Chips and Baked Beans
Homemade Jammy Croissant

**Riddle of the Week:**  
I am tall when I am young and short when I am old, what am I?

## Hadleigh Heroes



This week we have a different sort of achievement to celebrate - we have a grown up Hadleigh Hero! Benjamin from Japan Class and Abigail from Wales Class's mum ran the London Marathon last weekend in aid of Haven Hospices! We are sure your family are very proud of you, what an amazing achievement, well done!

Riddle answer:  
A candle



<b>BRONZE</b> 50 reads	
<b>Scotland</b>	<b>Greece</b>
Roman	Edie Me
Carter Su	Elsie G

<b>SILVER</b> 100 reads			
<b>England</b>	<b>Scotland</b>	<b>Sweden</b>	<b>France</b>
Sofia-Mae	Jude	Amelia	Olivia
Gwynnie			Dolly
Evelyn			Eleanor

<b>GOLD</b> 150 reads					
<b>England</b>	<b>Scotland</b>	<b>Sweden</b>	<b>France</b>	<b>Japan</b>	<b>Kenya</b>
Ella	Ava N	Maddison	Agnes	Harriet	Toby
	Olivia		Amelie	Ronnie W-P	Stanley
					Martha
					Oliver

<b>PLATINUM</b> 200 reads		
<b>Sweden</b>	<b>Japan</b>	<b>Kenya</b>
Ellie-Lee	Ronnie Y	Genevieve
	Ivy-Pearl	

# WELL DONE!

## Certificate of Achievement:

Explorers:	Jacob	Sweden:	Ellie-Lee
England:	Benji	France:	Jaxon M
Wales:	Elsie A	Brazil:	Sebastian
Scotland:	Mason	Japan:	Judah
Greece:	Tommy G	Kenya:	Poppy

## Attendance Heroes:

Greece:	Oliver
Sweden:	Rāfi
France:	Mia
Brazil:	Finley
Japan:	Ronnie W-P
Kenya:	Clara

## Star of the Week:

Explorers:	Rini	Greece:	Lilly	Brazil:	Charlie S
England:	Maddie	Sweden:	Rāfi	Japan:	Cinar
Scotland:	Carter Si	France:	Mia	Kenya:	Persia
Wales:	Amiah				

## Class Attendance Award:

The class with highest attendance this week was France with 99%. Well done to them! Unfortunately, 4 classes did not reach our 96% target. Our overall attendance was 95.9%

Greece -	94.8%	Brazil -	94.6%
Sweden -	95.2%	Japan -	98.3%
France -	99%	Kenya -	93.7%



Hadleigh Infants and Nursery school Parents association together with Moji Entertainers present...



## SCHOOL DISCO

THURSDAY 15TH MAY 2025

Reception 3.15pm – 4.15pm

Year 1 4.30pm – 5.30pm

Year 2 – 5.45pm – 6.45pm

Tickets are **£4.50 each** and are **only available to be purchased in advance**. In addition to the disco, included in the ticket price will be a drink and a small snack.

If you would like to purchase a ticket for your child please complete the following form and pay either by bank transfer or cash by Friday 9th May 2025.

<https://forms.gle/3p4Hvr7FNRQX5dti8>

### Bank Transfer

£4.50 via Bank transfer quoting your child's full name as the reference to:

Account name – Hadleigh Infants and Nursery Parents Association  
Account number – 21464960  
Sort code- 30 13 51

### Cash

Exact money only as no change can be given in a sealed envelope with the following information:

Childs Name  
Class  
Payment amount enclosed

**The form and payment will both need to be received or your child will be unable to take part**

Reception children may bring a change of clothes to school for the disco which they will change into at the end of the day. They will be taken to the disco after school and will be taken back to their usual classroom to be collected at 4.15pm.

Year 1 & 2 should arrive at the disco start time ready in their party clothes at their normal class room will be collected from the same location.

If you can volunteer to help at any of the discos, please indicate this on the form. Due to numbers we will only contact those who are required to help.

**PLEASE NOTE WE WILL NOT BE ISSUING PAPER TICKETS**

### DISCO GOOGLE FORM

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc379jCid2uk\\_qdz0hEujLh5RsJGC6Opjfwwp2uOI6FD3gc4Q/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc379jCid2uk_qdz0hEujLh5RsJGC6Opjfwwp2uOI6FD3gc4Q/viewform)



## Meet our Safeguarding Team



Mrs Lucy Fynn  
Designated Safeguarding Lead



David Turner  
Safeguarding Governor



Mrs K Strickland



Miss K Ryan



Miss L Selley



Miss M Hoath

### Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads

#### Are you concerned about a child?

- ◆ Make a note of your concern including the date & time
- ◆ Contact the school and speak to someone in our Safeguarding Team, you can also raise concerns anonymously by contacting the hub.
- ◆ Always share your concerns



#### Children & Families Hub For members of the public:

- If a child or young person is in immediate danger, call 999.
- If you're worried that a child is being abused or neglected, call the Children and Families Hub on **0345 603 7627**. This phone line is open Monday to Thursday 9am to 5:30pm, and Fridays 9am to 4:30pm.
- Out of hours or bank holidays, call the emergency duty team on 0345 606 1212.