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NSPCC Number Day

On Friday, February 3rd, children across Hyde Park Schools dressed up for NSPCC Number Day. Some children wore numbers that had significant meaning to them such as the time they were born, number of siblings, distance to get to school, favourite number etc.

NSPCC Number Day is celebrated annually to raise awareness and much needed funds. The NSPCC is the UK's leading children's charity, preventing abuse and helping those affected to recover.

Please see highlights from the day!



What numbers are important or significant to you?



How many facts can you think of that include numbers? Write as many as you can and hand to Mrs. Caldwell in YR6. Have fun researching.

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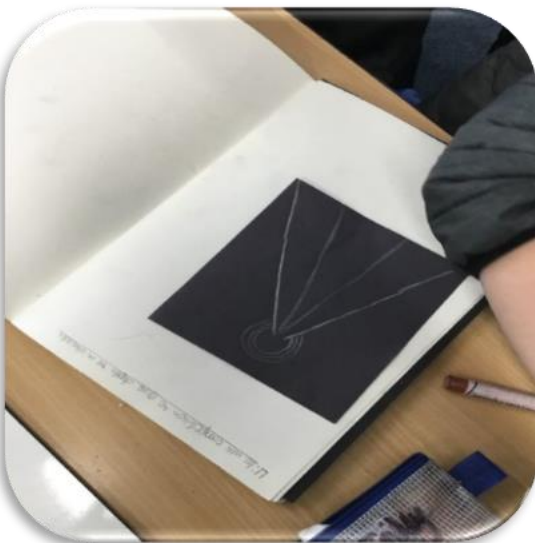
Eco Council

We are proud to have our Eco club participating in the French-English collaborative project, which raises awareness of climate change. This initiative educates young people of the risks and provides with some everyday solutions. Recently, our eco-ambassadors had an amazing opportunity to join other schools across the Channel to participate in the meeting with the researchers from Brest and Plymouth and discussed the matters of nano plastic and pollution in the sea. The children learnt about plastic 'islands', where and what they are as well as the consequences of these for our planet and its habitats. The children are extremely excited to be a part of this initiative as they also get to speak French within these sessions.



Art

Children in Year 6 have continued their learning about Henry Moore. The children looked at how to create perspective in their sketches. They practised using the background for things further away and the foreground for things closer as well as a vanishing point to recreate Moore's tunnel sketch.



Chinese New Year

In recent lessons, children in Reception enjoyed finding out about the Chinese New Year celebration and made masks for the story characters.



Art

In Art, children in Year 2 have been exploring different layers and textures for their final piece. In recent lessons, the children experimented with impasto paints and oil pastels. The children enjoyed their lesson and can talk about the different layers and textures studied.



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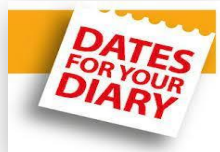
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Science

In Science, Year 1 children are learning a biology strand in their Science lessons, looking at animals including Humans. First, the children drew around friends and then labelled the parts of the body. The children have found this unit of work to be interesting and are able to talk about their



learning.



Feb./March

Monday, 13 th -Friday, 17 th	HALF TERM - Random Acts of Kindness Week
Tuesday, 21 st	Shrove Tuesday
Wednesday, 22 nd	Ash Wednesday
Friday, 24 th	Stand up to Bullying Day! (Linked to British Value: Mutual Respect)
Wednesday, 1 st	St. David's Day
Thursday, 2 nd	World Book Day – Dress as your favourite book character £1 donation
Wednesday, 8 th	Holi Day – Festival of Colours
Friday, 10 th	Career Day – children dressed as their career choice

Thurs 2nd March
7.30-8.30pm



EMOTIONAL LOGIC PARENT INTRODUCTION

Do you want to:

- Know how to help your children build their inner strength to adapt to the changes and challenges in life?
- Explore new ways for your family to communicate and talk about tricky emotional issues?
- Find new ways to deal with others when they feel angry, anxious or stuck?



If so, you are invited to attend a free 60 minute online session. During the session you will be introduced to the Emotional Logic technique and shown how to use the resources to help yourself and others.



Register your interest at elcentre.org

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Lawn Tennis Association

LTA Youth Start is a starter course for kids, consisting of 6 high quality sessions, that introduces tennis to children in a fun and relaxed environment. When you book your course, we will send you an LTA Youth Start kit bundle, which includes:

- A tennis racket
- A set of balls
- A branded t-shirt
- A pair of wristbands

The course starts on February 21st 4pm -5pm and is a 6-week course with a special offer to follow completion of the six weeks for children aged 5-7 years old.

To book please use the link below in order to receive the starter bundle,

<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/TennisForKids/Course/19fc4264-c3d2-4a99-a096-123b5c3aae0b>



Hi5's Club
Hi5's Holiday & After School Club
STONEHOUSE

For children up to 11 years old!

Take the stress out of school holidays with our Stonehouse Hi 5's Club, offering childcare after school and during the holidays to children across the South.

Free backpack when you enrol

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Our Hi5's Holiday Club offers a wide range of activities, both indoors and out, including cultural appreciation days, sports and team games, science, woodwork, arts and crafts, cooking, music and movement, and many more!

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International Women and Girls in Science Day poster competition

This is a special day to recognise the achievements of Women and Girls in Science, and encourage more girls to pursue careers in science. Help us celebrate by making a poster to tell us about one of these women scientists or another scientist of your choice. Return your entry to Mrs Degg by 24th February.



Patricia Bath



Katherine Johnson



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Jane Goodall



Marianne North

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Cedar	Mark
Ash	Freddie
Oak	Roman
Beech	Freddie R
Poplar	Seram
Willow	Aria
Holly	Ohviya
Elm	Ava
Sycamore	Ellie
Keller	Jaijit
Seacole	Violet
Barnardo	Ben
Attenborough	Navin
Curie	Francesca
Hawking	Suri
Ghandi	Erin
King	Blossom
Mandela	Leo
Pankhurst	Kori
Douglass	Lila
Dickens	Harper

Nominations for being a confident learner

Cedar	Edward
Ash	Arthur
Oak	Finlay
Beech	Barnaby
Poplar	Matilda
Willow	Leo
Holly	Amelia
Elm	Sienna
Sycamore	Aliya-Grace
Keller	Olivia
Seacole	Seren
Barnardo	Una
Attenborough	Hartlyn
Curie	Isabella
Hawking	Jayden
Ghandi	Rosie
King	Zayd
Mandela	Joshua
Pankhurst	Pranusha
Douglass	Euan
Dickens	Nasim

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JANUARY WINNERS



HYDE PARK SCHOOLS CREATIVE WRITING COMPETITION

CREATE YOUR OWN IMAGINATIVE PIECE
OF WRITING ABOUT THIS PICTURE.

YEAR 1 – GRACE D

STORY: "GRACE'S AMAZING SPACE ROCKET"

YEAR 4 – ALFIE Q & OSCAR P

STORY: "THE DAY THE ASTRONAUT TOOK OFF"
COMIC STRIP: "OUT OF THIS WORLD"

YEAR 2 – ABIGAIL G

POEM: "LOOK DOWN ON US"

YEAR 5 – SYDNEY B

POEM: "I'D LIKE TO BE AN ASTRONAUT"

YEAR 3 – EMMA H

POEM: "I AM IN SPACE"

YEAR 6 – BRITTO R

STORY: 'VORTEX 2.0'

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**PECULIAR
PETS**




HYDE PARK SCHOOLS
CREATIVE WRITING
COMPETITION

**WHAT WOULD YOUR
PERFECT PECULIAR PET BE?**

IT COULD BE A STORY, A POEM, A COMIC STRIP, A
PLAY SCRIPT, A SONG, A LETTER OR ANY CREATIVE
PIECE OF YOUR CHOICE!

Top 10 WRITING TIPS



- 1 Choose a title that draws attention.
- 2 Find out all you can about your topic.
- 3 Organize your ideas before you begin.
- 4 Add your own style to your writing.
- 5 Include interesting information.
- 6 Make sure you stick to the topic.
- 7 Use words wisely.
- 8 Remember that good grammar counts.
- 9 Reread and revise your writing.
- 10 Enjoy your writing and others will, too!

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