



Edition 7

St. Hilary's Friday Notes

Friday, 2nd March 2018



ST HILARY'S AND THE PHILOSOPHER'S STONE



What is freedom?

Mrs M Price



NOTES FROM MRS WHITTINGHAM - YOUR HEAD



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Dear Parents,

The 'big' red staircase has taken a rather unwelcome break this week as we heeded the weather warning and closed school on Thursday and Friday. As I am sure you will be aware, the decision to close was a difficult one. However, it goes without saying that the safety of the children, parents and staff is of paramount importance to us and we are not prepared to compromise this.

The beginning of the week was bitterly cold and Dimi and team worked tirelessly to ensure the grounds remained safe. The boys and girls had shorter playtimes but it was delightful to hear their squeals of delight and excitement when it snowed. Of course, for many of the children it is their first experience of snow - I hope that you have enjoyed some time together and that it has not caused too much inconvenience. As Shaun Fenton, Headmaster of Reigate Grammar, was reported as saying in yesterday's Times, snowballing, sledging and building snowmen will have created life long memories for the children.





Poppy (Y6) was well prepared and I am sure the delightful hat she has knitted has come in very handy over the last few days. Many thanks to Amber (Y6) for the delicious sweet treats and wafers she gave to me to celebrate Chinese New Year and the Year of the Brown Dog. Gong Xi Fa Cai, Amber. Congratulations go to Alice (Y5) for her informative and thought provoking presentation on animals in captivity she has completed independently at home. Well done, Alice. It made impressive viewing.



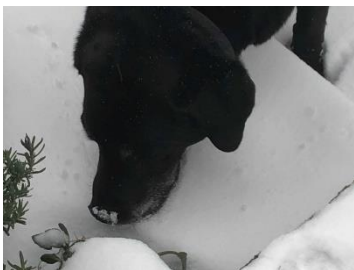
The week has also brought some disappointment as sporting fixtures had to be cancelled. We hope to reschedule World Book Day but I did enjoy seeing the photo of those pupils who decided to dress up anyway and have a quiet read at home. At the moment, I understand that Godalming Festival is due to go ahead at the weekend. Please do take great care as the forecast indicates that driving conditions will remain hazardous on Saturday and Sunday.



Our assembly at the beginning of the week (which now seems a long time ago!) was about 'hope' and that there is always light at the end of the tunnel. I am sure that many of us are now looking for the light at the end of the tunnel and hoping for an end to the artic conditions and the opportunity to return to our normal routines. Ronnie has certainly been nonplussed by the weather and hasn't ventured past the back door step!



Enjoy the weekend. I look forward to seeing you at the gate on Monday morning.



Mrs Jane Whittingham

SPORTS NEWS

Saturday 24th February 2018

U10A Netball tournament @ St George's Junior School

5th place

Captain: Emma W



On Saturday 24th February, the U10A team braved the cold and competed in a netball tournament at St George's Junior School. There were 11 teams competing and there were 6 in our section. In the first game against Holy Cross, our hands were still getting used to the cold and we hadn't found our flow. After the disappointment of losing the first match, we began to play much more positively. There was some good shooting from Derryn and Isobel, and some strong passing through the centre third and into the circle. Lucy and Alex defended well. The results were:

St Hilary's v Holy Cross	Lost 1-5
v St Pirans	Won 5-2
v St Catherine's	Drew 3-3
v St George's 'A'	Won 4-2
v GHS	Lost 1-2

We finished 3rd in our section and played 4th place in Group 2 which was St Teresa's, convincingly winning 7-1.

We then had the 5th/6th play off against St George's As and won 4-2.

We finished in 5th place overall.

Well done everyone!

Emma W - A team captain

WEEK'S MENU FOR w/c 5th MARCH

The Pepper Pot

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>Main hot meal</p> <p>ALL Italian lasagna served with herby garlic bread</p> <p>G/F</p>	<p>Main hot meal</p> <p>Steamed fish & pakchoi parcels served with new potatoes & broccoli</p> <p>G/F</p>	<p>Main hot meal</p> <p>Slow cooked steak pie with puff pastry top served with mash potato and fresh carrots</p> <p>G/F option</p>	<p>Main hot meal</p> <p>Oven baked sausages served with creamed potatoes baked beans/peas</p> <p>G/F</p>	<p>Main hot meal</p> <p>Classic fish and chips sweet corn /mushy peas tomato sauce</p> <p>G/F</p>
<p>Vegetarian Hot meal</p> <p>Warm cheese and chive Qiche</p> <p>G/F</p>	<p>Vegetarian Hot meal</p> <p>"To Go" Jacket potato filled with Cheese, beans tuna & mayo</p> <p>G/F</p>	<p>Vegetarian Hot meal</p> <p>Courgette fritters served with chilli jam</p>	<p>Vegetarian Hot meal</p> <p>Camembert and cranberry Filo parcels</p>	<p>Vegetarian Hot meal</p> <p>Tomato & basil goats cheese loaf</p> <p>G/F</p>
<p>Jacket Potato Bar</p> <p>Traditional Jacket Potato with a choice of hot or cold filling</p> <p>G/F</p>	<p>Pasta Bar</p> <p>Freshly cooked pasta served with chef's sauce of the day</p>	<p>Jacket Potato Bar</p> <p>Traditional Jacket Potato with a choice of hot or cold filling</p> <p>G/F</p>	<p>Pasta Bar</p> <p>Freshly cooked Pasta Served with chef's sauce of the day</p>	<p>Jacket Potato Bar</p> <p>Traditional Jacket Potato with a choice of hot or cold filling</p> <p>G/F</p>
<p>Dessert</p> <p>Syrup sponge served with creamy custard</p> <p>G/F option</p>	<p>Dessert</p> <p>Fruit filled meringues</p> <p>G/F</p>	<p>Dessert</p> <p>Frosted topped ginger sponge</p> <p>G/F option</p>	<p>Dessert</p> <p>Raspberry ripple mousse</p> <p>G/F</p>	<p>Dessert</p> <p>Chocolate crispy</p> <p>G/F option</p>

