



Haseltine News

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Friday, 12th January 2018

Dear Parents, Carers, Families & Friends,

Welcome back after the Christmas break. Happy New Year to you all, especially if I haven't spoken to you personally already. I hope that you have all had a smooth start to the Spring Term and that your children are all happy.

A parent pointed out to me this week that the website was displaying the wrong date for this year's return from the Easter break. We actually return on Monday 16th April 2018.

Please also, don't confuse this year's holiday dates with next year's – we did give these to you at the end of last term, in case you want to book for next year's holidays. Please remember that we will not authorise any holidays during term time.

This week, I launched a competition with the children in our assembly. It is to design a coat of arms to go onto our British Values trees outside of The Haseltine Restaurant. The design needs to represent your family's views on these values and what these values mean to you. For example, if your family really believes in equality for all and mutual respect for everyone, then this needs to come across in the design. It needs to be as visual as possible, so likely winning designs will mostly consist of pictures and perhaps words or captions; they won't consist of lots of writing. At the bottom of the coat of arms, there is a space for you to put your family name, or even invent a family logo or motto. The template for the coat of arms is attached to this newsletter.

The closing date for this competition will be Friday 27th January and the prize will be a board game for the family to play together. (There'll be one prize for EYFS/KS1 and one for KS2). All entrances will be displayed on the trees.

Good luck! I look forward to seeing your designs.

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "S. Anderman". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Sara Anderman
Headteacher

Family assemblies this half term:

1Mc – Friday 26th January at 9.30 in the middle hall.

3S – Friday 2nd February at 9.30 in the middle hall.

4J – **Thursday** 8th February at 9.30 in the middle hall.

School Dinners/Packed Lunches

Don't forget it is crucial that you don't keep swapping the type of lunch your child has – it becomes very tricky for our office and our kitchens if you do.

In 'exceptional' circumstances, please make sure that you inform the office (and pay, if you need to) before 10am in the morning each time.

Half Term Holiday

We break up for the half term in 4 weeks on Friday 10th February (please come to school that day) for one week. We return on Monday 19th February.

Applications for Reception Places

Parents of children applying for Reception places (for September 2018) – don't forget that you **MUST** apply this weekend, if you haven't done so already. The closing date is Monday 15th January.

To apply online go to www.eAdmissions.org.uk

Attendance

At the end of the Autumn Term we achieved 96.85%, please remember our aim is to always achieve 96% and above. Thank you to all of those who come to school every day and on time.

Attendance Team

Lewisham BMX track

In a newsletter last term I recommended the Lewisham BMX track to you all.

A parent spoke to me about the fact that this track can sometimes be unsafe for younger children because of some of the older children that go there. The track is also unstaffed, so also be aware of this.

This email came through to me the other day

A promotional poster for the TV show 'LEGO Masters'. The background is a light blue sky with a grey ground. The text 'DO YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO BE CROWNED BRITAIN'S BEST LEGO BUILDER?' is written in red, blocky letters at the top. Below this, the words 'LEGO MASTERS' are written in large, bold, red letters. The central image shows several colorful LEGO creations: a large, multi-colored robot-like figure on the left; a red car with a driver on the bottom center; a green dinosaur on the right; a yellow and black structure on the right; a brown structure in the center; and a yellow and black structure on the left. The bottom of the poster contains text in black and blue, and the 'TUESDAY'S CHILD' logo in the bottom right corner.

**DO YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO BE CROWNED BRITAIN'S
BEST LEGO BUILDER?
LEGO
MASTERS**

Do you love to build awesome creations? We are looking for brick obsessed pairs of all ages to register interest in a second series of 'LEGO MASTERS' on Channel 4 to find Britain's most talented amateur builders.

Please email build@tuesdayschild.tv to register your interest. If you are under 18 please ask a parent or guardian to email on your behalf. Unfortunately, we won't be able to answer all the requests individually. Applicants must be 9+.

TUESDAY'S CHILD

Just in case anyone is interested!

Name: _____

Class: _____

