

Haddenham Community Junior School

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Here at ...

High standards and harmony

Attitude and aspirations

Determination and discovery

Dedication and diversity

Enthusiasm and enjoyment

Nourished and nurtured

Honesty and happiness

Achievement and awareness

Motivation and memories.

Learners of the Week

3BT Caleb Glasgow

3H Tom Usher

3S Louis Stone

4OD Henry Rose, Maggie McLoughlin

4W Maddie Ashby, Khaya Mthombeni

5B Joseph Munday, Montana- Monet Marshall

5E Dan Meddows-Taylor, Edward Wright

5S Phoebe Morley, Eddie McLoughlin

6CA Benedict Davies

6P Lily Jeffrey

Wales groups:
Ella Wilson, Zoe Carbray,
McKenzie Wheatley, Charly Kingston, Alex Hodson, Flo Smith



Vale of Aylesbury Local Plan

VALP Exhibition

There will also be a public display of the VALP in Haddenham village hall on Monday 11th July (i.e., for one day only, from 11.00am until 8.00pm).

Meeting

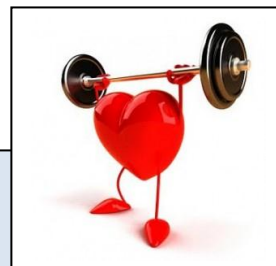
The parish council, in collaboration with Haddenham Village Society, will be holding a public meeting to discuss the implications of the draft VALP on Thursday 28th July. It is hoped that this meeting will put the VALP into context, and help residents to understand the criteria on which they would need to base any comments that they submit to AVDC. (NB: there are specific planning criteria on which comments of support or objection can be based — any other "personal opinions" will simply be ignored).

The parish council is very keen to involve local residents and to encourage as many individuals as possible to write to AVDC with their comments.

Charity work

Last week's cake sale, organised by Y6 raised £217.75. £40 of this has gone to the Edinburgh Zoo for Annabelle's panda and the remainder to the Helen and Douglas House Hospice in Oxford.

After the Y5 Skipathon, £120.87 has gone to the British Heart Foundation



Charlie the dog by Lili Price 6CA

As most of us know, moving up day is coming and for the current Year 6's that means a new school. Lord Williams is the closest secondary school to HCJS so the majority of us will be going there in September. Mrs Matthews and her specially trained dog, Charlie, came from Lord Bills to visit us. The puppy had

spent two years being taught to listen to pupils reading with his head on their laps – very clever! The real reason Mrs Matthews came was not only to bewilder us by the sweetness of their dog, she was there to answer the questions that the students going to the school wanted to know. It was quite interesting to compare Lord Williams and the secondary school I am going to in September, Aylesbury Vale Academy. There were obviously some similarities but also some differences. All the pupils going to Lord Bills are very lucky and I must admit I am slightly envious.



Jaguar Maths in Motion Final

Last week four of our marvellous children; Ellis Durden, Jack Meddows-Taylor, Dan Meddows-Taylor and Montana-Monet Marshall went to the finals of the Jaguar Maths in Motion Challenge at Gaydon, Oxfordshire. They competed against teams from as far away as Spain and Glasgow! They came 12th out of 16 Junior teams – something about putting too much fuel in their car! Very well done for making it so far.



Facebook

Sorry to end on a moan but this week it has become apparent that a number of the children have Facebook accounts, some with parental complicity. Your children are vulnerable and at risk if they use social media. Below are the terms and conditions for registration. You are not allowed to have a Facebook account under the age of thirteen. Please delete these accounts. They will have enough years ahead of them dominated by technology – please send them out to climb trees in the meantime (risks are also associated with tree climbing...)

Registration and Account Security

Facebook users provide their real names and information, and we need your help to keep it that way. Here are some commitments you make to us relating to registering and maintaining the security of your account:

1. You will not provide any false personal information on Facebook, or create an account for anyone other than yourself without permission.
2. You will not create more than one personal account.
3. If we disable your account, you will not create another one without our permission.
4. You will not use your personal timeline primarily for your own commercial gain, and will use a Facebook Page for such purposes.
5. You will not use Facebook if you are under 13.
6. Etc. etc.

Dates for the diary

Friday 8 th July Y5 to Green Park activity centre PTA FreezePop Friday
Tuesday 12 th July Move up day
Friday 15 th July Y6 Leavers' Assembly 9:10 am Sports Day 1:30 pm followed by PTA barbecue
Monday 18 th July School Talent Show PTA discos
Wednesday 20 th July 9:15am Celebration and Merit Assembly
Thursday 21 st July Break up 1:30pm
1 st -5 th August Haddenham Playscheme