The FenHil News

'Respect, Honesty, Kindness and Collaboration'

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to another year at Fenstanton and Hilton Primary school. I hope you all had wonderful summers and are refreshed for a new term. There have been many changes over the summer and school is feeling an exciting place since being back.

PTA News

Our PTA has been voted 'Best PTA' by the readers of Term Times, which is a magazine for families. This is so exciting and completely reflective of all the wonderful work our exceptional PTA do. Becky and Bev will receive an award next week in a presentation by one of the Term Times team.

Meet the Teacher

Next Wednesday at 5pm you are invited to a presentation by your child's teacher. This is a new meeting that we have started to inform parents of the routines that take place in class, learn about the curriculum your child will be learning this year and ask general questions. I will put a DVD on in the hall for those of you who cannot get childcare for school aged children. If you have more than one child you will need to decide where to go or one parent go to each classroom. Each class' powerpoint presentation will be sent home as well.

Uniform

It is wonderful to see the children come back to school looking so smart. For a full list of our uniform, including PE kit please refer to our website. If you would like help purchasing uniform please talk to the office as this is something we can help with.

KS2 Classes

Our Key Stage 2 classes have new names now, chosen by the children.

Year 3 – Wolves, Year 4 – Penguins, Year 5 – Polar Bears, Year 6 (Mrs Cooper and Mrs Fewster) - Turtles, Year 6 (Mrs Snooke and Mrs Carminati) - Pandas

Lunchtime Co.

Our new caterers have been a real success this week, the food is delicious and the children have loved the variety of home cooked fresh food. All children in Years R, 1 & 2 are entitled to a daily infant free meal. Meals for juniors costs £2.30.

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The menu is accessible via the school website under community tab/ school meals. For parents whose children are now Year 3 please pay via SIMS Agora which is used for all school payments. If you haven't registered previously then please contact the school office.

Sibling Rivalry Workshop

On Friday 21st September at 9am Jane Reynolds will be holding a workshop at school on 'Sibling Rivalry'. You will need to sign up to this, there is a maximum of 12 people. Please sign up at the office.

Parental help

We welcome parental help in school, please talk to your child's teacher if you would like to volunteer. There are a variety of roles that you can take on. Mrs Mckay would like somebody to help with the art resources if any parents are keen to help around the school. You will need to be school DBS checked so please visit the office after discussing with your child's class teacher.

Waitrose

Thank you to those of you who spent money in Waitrose and put their token in our pot. We received a cheque for £500 over the holiday which will go towards our new library. Amazing!

Fun Times

Fun Times are now situated in school, the children are loving being on site and Fun Times are very welcome in our school community.

Important Dates

Meet the Teacher: Wednesday 12th September 5pm

Kind regards,

Claire Worth,

Headteacher