



NEWSLETTER

Hilgay Riverside Academy Newsletter

November 2017

From the Head Teacher

Dear All,

Welcome back to school after our half term break. Every week seems to be a busy week in the Riverside Federation!

Firstly, a huge thank you for all of the harvest donations. I know the food bank are very grateful for the tins and packets that were donated to them. I would also like to say well done to all of the children who took part in our first Church Service of the year as there was lots of lovely singing and reading from everyone.

This week has been busy with parent evenings and a cross country competition as well as our Noted Liars rehearsal and usual lessons!

Next week we have our Federation Learning Day and Remembrance Day!

Regards,

Sarah Turner



PEGI RATINGS

The rating on a game confirms that it is suitable for players over a certain age. Accordingly, a PEGI 7 game is only suitable for those aged seven and above and an PEGI 18 game is only suitable for adults aged eighteen and above. The PEGI rating considers the age suitability of a game, not the level of difficulty.



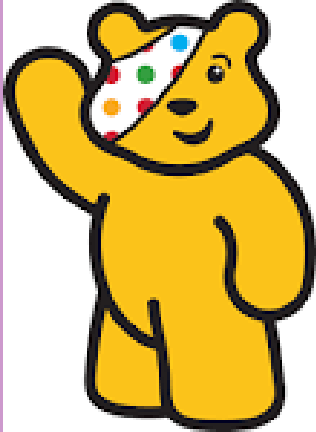
The Riverside Federation Cross Country team.

Cross Country

Congratulations!

Well done to all of the children who took part in the Downham Cluster Cross Country Finals and a special hooray for Archie (from TMB) and Maisie (from Hilgay) who are through to the next stage!

CHILDREN IN NEED 2017



SPOTS AND SPARKLES!

We would like to invite the children to come to school on Friday 17th November in their spotty and sparkly non uniform outfits! We are asking for a donation (we suggest £1) for his non-uniform day which will go straight to Pudsey!! The outfit can be anything from a spotty pair of socks to a sequinned onesie!!!

LOOK OUT FOR PUDSEY IN SCHOOL ON THE 17TH!!!!!!!

Dates for your diary:

November

- 7th - Festival Of Light
- 10th Remembrance Day
- 15th Book Fair
- 17th Children in need (Spots and Sparkle)
- 17th Friends of School - Bingo
- 20th - Flu Vaccinations
- 29th Noted Liars performance (details to follow)

December

- 1st Christmas Family Café
- 3rd Christmas Fair (Friends)
- 12th Nativity (afternoon)
- 13th Nativity (Evening)
- 14th Christmas Dinner
- 15th Pantomime
- 18th-Christingle
- 19th Christmas Party pm)
- Last day of term
- 3rd Jan Children return

Remembrance Day

We have Poppies and other items from the British Legion available in each school for a small donation. On 10th November we will walk to the war memorial, lay a wreath and observe a two minute silence to show our respects to those who have lost their lives in battles throughout the years.

Federation Learning Day

Tuesday 7th November is going to be a Federation Learning Day! This is when the two schools come together and take part in learning experiences away from our usual timetable. This FLD is called Festival of Light and will teach the children about Bonfire Night, Diwali and other celebrations involving light.

Maths

Before half term, 3 of our best mathematicians in Year 6 were invited to Downham Market Academy for a morning of Maths Problem Solving. They had a great time and really exercised their maths brains!