

Newsletter No.15

16th March 2018



Falconer's Hill Academy



Broadening Horizons

Dates for the Diary

March

Monday 19th Parent/Carer consultations

Tuesday 20th Parent/Carer consultations

Friday 23rd Year 3 Swimming

Parent/Carer Drop in Planetarium

Tuesday 27th Primary Music Festival

Wednesday 28th Rainbow Fair 2pm

Thursday 29th Last day of school

April

Monday 16th School reopens

Bikability for Year 5

Friday 20th Year 3 Swimming

Wednesday 25th Book Fair (times TBC)

School Council

Easter Egg Appeal – Donations Required!!

The School Council would like your help!

We are kindly asking for your donations of Easter Eggs to aid our campaign. We would like to use your donations to support Greenacres with the work they do with local families.

We hope you can help and thank you for your support.

Easter Egg Competition

The School Council thought it would be fun to do a little egg decorating competition this Easter. The idea is the children decorate a hard-boiled egg at home and bring it in to school during the week beginning 26th March.



On Thursday 29th March we will announce the winners/runners up of the egg decorating competition. There is a 50p entry fee and there will be prizes for each class.

The eggs can be decorated however you like, Easter themed, super heroes, patterned, animals etc. We are really looking forward to seeing what your children can create!

Attendance for this week

Hawk 3	95.86%	Eagle 5	92.67%
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Merlin 3	99.00%	Buzzard 5	93.33%
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Kite 4	97.50%	Kestrel 6	95.56%
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Peregrine 4	98.33%	Osprey 6	95.00%
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ParentPay

We currently use ParentPay for you to book and pay for your child's school meals. We will be rolling this out as a platform for you to pay for all school trips and breakfast club in the next few months. Our target will be that by the 30th April 2018, our school office will be CASHLESS! At the moment we have 57% of children registered on ParentPay. If you have not registered your child on here yet and require your login, please contact Mrs Carlill in the school office.



Please remember to visit our school website regularly for useful information <http://www.falconershillacademy.co.uk/>

Twitter: @FalconersHill Facebook: Falconer's Hill Academy

Calling all green-fingered parent/ carers...

We have an exciting project starting here at Falconer's Hill Academy. We are refurbishing and re-branding the V.I.P area into a sensory garden, which will be utilised with the purpose of stimulating the senses. The stimulation will occur with the use of plants and the materials that will engage the sense of sight, smell, touch, taste and sound. We are hoping that this garden will be beneficial to both children and adults. It will provide a calm space and opportunities for both children and adults to learn new skills and about the environment around us.

We are trying to keep the costs to a minimum and use as many donated and recycled materials as possible.

As the garden season is fast approaching we are seeking support, if you can help with a donation from the list below or some time to help with the project, we would love to hear from you.

We have devised a wish list for parents and local businesses. It consists of things we would like in order to move the project further. If you can help, please don't bring it in straight away, contact Mrs Whittle who will have an up to date status on each item.

Bark for story telling area approx. 2 tonnes

Sundial

Bird bath

Bird boxes

Brushwood screening

Herb plants

Seeds

Compost

Pallets for a bug hotel

Canes

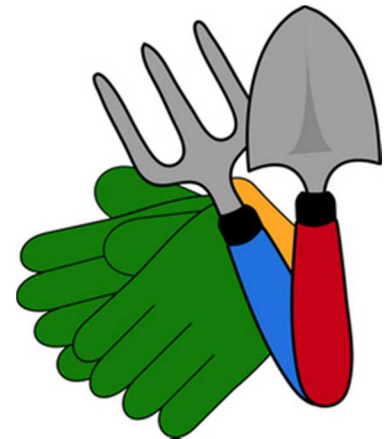
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Do you have anything else that you think would be of any use?

Would you like to make a donation on behalf of your family?

We know that many of these items will be hard to sources, but do you know someone or a business who would be willing to make a donation or donate some of the items?

We will be using the garden as place to keep in touch with nature, a relaxing place to sit and think,



Falconer's Got Talent

Talent Show

Tuesday 26th June 2018
START @ 5.00PM
At Falconer's Hill Academy

Tickets £2.00 PER PERSON

Refreshments available
 Raffle



We are offering a

Parent Drop in Session

Come join us for a coffee and a chat

on Friday 23rd March

at 2:45-3:15 pm

In The Planetarium

Autism Concern's Family Support Team

Autism Concern's Family Support Team can advise and support parents, carers, professionals and people on the autism spectrum. It is not necessary to have a diagnosis to access our services, which include:

- Emotional support
- Behavioural advice
- Signposting to community services
- Understanding autism spectrum conditions
- Support with filling in benefit forms and applications

To contact the Family Support Service:
 Email: iag@autismconcern.org
 Or call: 0808 808 9090 or 01604 239404
 (free from landlines)



Charity Number: 1062611

FACT Northampton

A support group for the families of children and young adults with an autistic spectrum disorder, Asperger's syndrome and ADHD.

Meetings:
 the second Wednesday of each month
 (term time only), 7.30 - 9.30pm.

At:
 Cedar Road School (Broadway Entrance),
 Cedar Road, Northampton, NN3 2JF



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