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Welcome back to the second part of the Spring term. It is a short but busy term with lots of things planned. We have already had a visit from our Hertfordshire English partner and our Hertfordshire Maths partner. They have visited lessons and seen our pupils learning. We hope our pupils and all of you have a lovely term.

Parents Evening Booking Now Open

You are now able to book your Parents Consultation appointment. Please follow the link <https://southhill.schoolcloud.co.uk/> or contact the school office to assist you. The deadline for booking your appointment is Friday 8 March.



Medication in School

Please can we remind you that if a pupil is to take medication at school, this must be handed into the office and a sheet must be completed. If the medication is prescribed, it must be handed into the office in the original packaging with the date, child's name etc on it. If a child is to use cream of any kind for a rash, this must also be handed into the office and a sheet completed. The office team will then hand it to the class teacher.



Thank you for your co-operation.

International Languages Day

In our assembly on Tuesday, we recognised and celebrated International Languages Day. We celebrated the wealth of different languages that we speak in our school community. Pupils were encouraged to say hello in a different language. In the photograph you can see some of the pupils who shared the languages they can speak. We sang a polish song together which was a lot of fun! How many ways of saying hello do you know??



Coffee Morning—11.03.24

Our next targeted coffee morning is planned for Monday 11 March at 9am and this will be for Parents of SEND children. Come and enjoy a coffee and meet other parents. We look forward to seeing you.



Year 6 Allocation Day—01.03.24

Good luck to all of our Year 6 students who find out which secondary school they have been allocated. We hope that you have been allocated the school you wanted to attend. Don't forget to respond to your allocations.



Eco News

Eco Warriors and friends entered a competition at the end of last month. They have learnt about using Eco Light bulbs and why this could save money and energy. They created posters, which we sent to the company that organised this competition. All entries received a tote bag and Rishika



has won a £25 Amazon voucher as her poster won second place. Well done to all.

Y5 Author Visit—Lockers Park School

Year 5 had an enjoyable visit to Lockers Park to meet the author MG Leonard. MG Leonard grew up in Hemel and her brother and sister attended South Hill! She shared the opening chapter of her new book, Feather, which Year 5 highly recommend!



Class News - Beech

On Monday we started with English, where we learnt how to build up vocabulary for writing. "I didn't know we can get so many new words from a thesaurus", one child said. We are also continuing to read the book "The Day I fell into a Fairytale" in our Guided Reading sessions and we had a great role play on Wednesday between the two main characters Lana and Harrison.



Grammar Corner—Wrens

Reception book of the week was The Tiger Who Came To Tea and the children spent the week reading and writing about tigers and learning how to retell the story. Then on the last day a lot of tigers turned up to class. They enjoyed roaring and growling all day!! They also decorated some yummy biscuits and invited their special adults to a tea party. Reception children are very good at telling the story now.



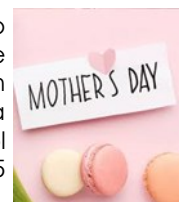
Forest School

Year 1 role played the story of The Three Little Pigs in Forest School and then built their own homes from natural materials.



PTA Mother's Day Shop—07.03.24

Our PTA will be running a Mothers Day shop on Thursday 7 March. Your child will have the opportunity to purchase a gift for mum or an adult of their choice. Each gift, including a card, is £3. Pre-order your gift via the School Gateway app by midnight, Tuesday 5 March. Cash may be accepted on the day, but we cannot guarantee availability.



Football—South Hill V Hammond 15.02.24

The lions needed to win this game in order to go through to the next stage. They did it convincingly. After a tight first half they were winning by 1-0. The second half was a more one sided affair, with a flourish of goals. A very solid performance from the team, winning 5-0.

Yours sincerely
Miss Wellbelove
Headteacher

<p>Attendance Attendance matters Every student, every </p>	
<h3>South Hill Weekly Attendance</h3> <p>Our target is 97% for the whole school</p>	
Wrens	91.4%
Robins	94.6%
Goldfinches	94.6%
Sparrows	96.7%
Owls	95.7%
Kingfishers	94.2%
Ash	90%
Beech	97.1%
Holly	94.2%
Maple	93.3%
Oak	85.4%
Silver Birch	98.3%
Sycamore	94.8%
Hazel	87.9%
Whole school	93.4%

March	
Tuesday 5th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y6 Hazel—Basketball @ sport centre. Pe kit required. Deadline for Prepayment PTA Mother's Day Shop.
Thursday 7th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> World Book Day—Non uniform day PTA Mother's Day Shop £3 each
Friday 8th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KS2 Girls football day @ Longdean School—invited students only Clubs letter sent out to parents for summer term. Parent Consultation Booking Deadline.
Monday 11th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bikeability Week Y5 Coffee morning—SEND parents 9-10am Girls football v Greenway—home
Tuesday 12th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y6 Creative Workshop at Abbots Hill School
Wednesday 13th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Owls Class assembly Rocksteady Concert 2pm Parents welcome
Thursday 14th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y1 Whipsnade Zoo Trip KS2 Cross Country
Monday 18th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y3 Natural History Museum trip
Tuesday 19th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y6 County Athletic—Invited children only
Wednesday 20th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y3&4 Production 2pm—Parents Welcome
Thursday 21st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y3&4 Production 6pm—Parents Welcome. Wrens Parents Consultation 9am—12pm.



Star of the Week	
Wrens	Violet
Robins	Maya– Sofia
Goldfinches	Ciel
Sparrows	Nazmi
Owls	Grayson
Kingfishers	Jaike
Ash	Harrison
Beech	Myles
Holly	David and Bertie
Maple	Jake
Oak	Alicia
Silver Birch	Eva
Sycamore	Harrison
Hazel	Coby

House Points	
Gade	3875
Lea	3775
Bulbourne	3700
Colne	4075

Attachments	
⇒	PTA Mother's Day Shop
⇒	<p>Please click on the link below to access all attachments Access to all attachments or copy paste the link below https://www.southhill.herts.sch.uk/newsletter</p>