

**Pound Hill Infant Academy - Term 2 – Week 3**  
**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2023**

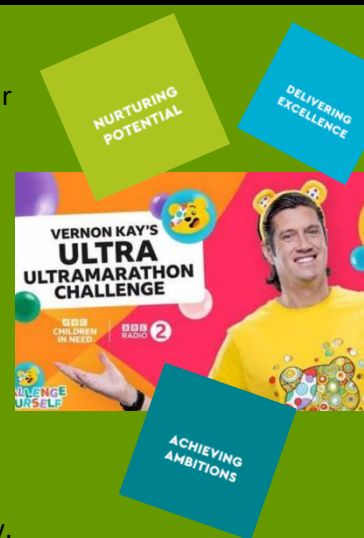


Dear Parent/Carer,



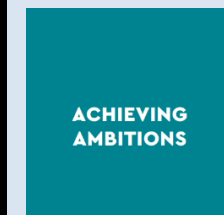
This week the Charity Committee planned and facilitated their Children In Need event – ‘Wear something that makes you happy’. It was delightful to see so many pupils expressing their character and uniqueness whilst understanding that this was also in aid of Children In Need. Thank you to everyone who donated to this worthwhile cause.

In addition, in assemblies, the children learnt about the incredible efforts of Radio 2 DJ, Vernon Kay, who during this week ran 110 miles from Leicester to Bolton, in aid of Children In Need. His superhuman efforts is a true example to the children of how you can achieve any challenge when you set your mind to it. It was agreed, by the Charity Committee, that the academy would send a Gold Award to Vernon Kay for demonstrating all the academy values and behaviours!



I wish you all an enjoyable weekend and we look forward to welcoming you back to the academy on Monday.

Mr T Jordan  
Principal



CONGRATULATIONS to Harry, in Year 2, for his magnificent achievements during a national Irish Dance Festival last weekend. Harry has previously demonstrated his amazing dance talents in assembly and we are delighted that Harry continues to pursue his love of dance.



**Love Reading**



When Little Mae was a child, she dreamed of dancing in space. She imagined herself surrounded by billions of stars, floating, gliding, and discovering.

**Congratulations to all our Weekly Class Celebration Winners**

**Care Respect Independence Perseverance Success**  
**Reception:** J Clarke , A Bella-Pham and A Squirrel  
**Year 1:** E Dempsey, O Rowe and T Williams  
**Year 2:** O Ford, E Ali and I Haaziq



PHIA Pupil numbers	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> November	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> November	Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> November	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> November
<b>Reception: 90</b>	Flu Immunisation for pupils with parent consent only	Makosinski Class London trip	Spotts London Trip	- Takahashi London trip	- Festive Jumper Preloved Sale
<b>Year 1: 90</b>					- Christmas shopping event 7pm
<b>Year 2: 90</b>	Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> November	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> November	Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> November	Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> December
				- Storytime and Festive Fair Donation Day	Wreath Making Workshop (adults only event)

**SAVE THE DATES – WINTER PERFORMANCES –**

You will be able to reserve two places. So, we can accommodate everyone, the performances are repeated. More details to follow with booking information soon!

**RECEPTION** – Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December 9.15am and Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December 9.15am

**Year 1** – Monday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2.15pm and Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 9.15am

**Year 2** – Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2.15pm and Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 9.15am

**Academy Events dates for the diary:**

- **The Immunisation team will be visiting the academy on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November** to offer your child the flu vaccination for all pupils who parents/carers have submitted consent only.
- **YEAR 2:** You must apply for a Junior school place from September 2024 for your Year 2 child by the deadline of 15<sup>th</sup> January 2024. You can do this online via <http://www.westsussex.gov.uk/admissions> If you would like support in completing the application Mrs Davis via the front office will be very happy to help.

**FoPHIA Upcoming Events**

(All subject to having enough volunteers)

- 24<sup>th</sup> November - Festive Jumper Preloved Sale
- 24<sup>th</sup> November - Christmas Shopping Event
- 27<sup>th</sup> November – Thanksgiving – Donation collection for our Community cupboard supported by our Pupil Charity Committee – Give what you can!
- 30<sup>th</sup> November - Storytime and Festive Fair Donation Day
- 1<sup>st</sup> December - Wreath Making Workshop (adults only event)
- 8<sup>th</sup> December - Festive Fair

