

Hardwick Green Newsletter – March 2022



Dear parents and carers,

Another busy month at Hardwick Green; lots of exciting things going on, as ever!

Mr Yates, who you may recognise as he has been working as a teaching assistant in Year 6, has been appointed as our new Site Manager and has started this role immediately. Congratulations, Mr Yates!

Chris Story

Principal

Notices and messages:

REMINDER: Red Nose Day – 18th March:

What's big, red and back on Friday 18 March 2022? Red Nose Day of course! That's right, we're going annual, and Hardwick Green will be joining in the fun.

We will be having a **fancy-dress** day to celebrate Comic Relief, and there will be fun and informative activities taking place in each class.

You can donate 50p to take part via our JustGiving page through the QR code above.



Beat the Street!



Beat the Street is a **free, fun, walking and cycling game** which gets staff, pupils and their families out and about in the local area, having fun and keeping healthy. The Stockton-on-Tees game runs from 2nd March to 13th April 2022.

Beat the Street is designed to get children and communities moving by helping people to make small changes, such as walking or cycling to school every day, to improve health and help embed physical activity into everyday life. So far 1.5 million people and

4,500 schools have taken part in games across the UK and beyond. Evidence shows that the programme really helps adults and children become more active.

Children have had an assembly on this and have received their game cards. Every point earned helps Hardwick Green move up the league table – we would love to beat the other schools on the estate! To read more, visit:

<https://www.beatthestreet.me/>

As of press, we had achieved 18,190 total points with 139 active players! Wow!



Success



Motivation



Ambition



Respect



Trust

CAMHS Parent & Carers online workshops

Please see the flyer from CAMHS about FREE online parent & carer workshops that you can take part in.



Jigsaw PSHE theme of the week:

Now we can do whole-school assemblies again, we are having a PSHE (personal, social and health education) assembly each week on a Monday morning linked to our work in class.

Each week has as a special theme that you can discuss with your children. I'll share it on here each week.

This week is: eat a healthy diet!

Ask your child - what will they do this week to make a healthy choice?!

The Big Legal Lesson:

Next week, children will be taking part in 'The Big Legal Lesson' from Young Citizens. They will be learning about how laws are made, why they are important, and what can happen if they are broken!



What else is going on?:

Our website is full of information you might need such as term dates, school dinner menus, dates and times of special events etc. You can access it here:

<https://hardwickgreenacademy.org/>

Remember you can see on Class Dojo's Class Story and on Twitter what's going on in each class! There are lots of exciting learning opportunities each day.



@HardwickGreenPA – School's Twitter

@HardwickMrS – Mr Story's Twitter

You can then find each classes' account from here!