

# EDWARDS HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL

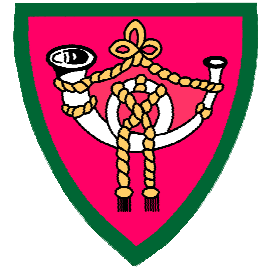
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## Newsletter 15 – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2018



Well done to all those children shown below. They received an award as part of our Celebration this week!

**This week's Headteacher's Award was presented to Sophie P (Herschel)**

Megalosaurus	Brodie M and Olivia-Rose E
Stegosaurus	Tommy E and Sienna M-F
Darwin	Harry M and Kandi S
Goodall	Frankie L and Megan M
Atkins	Poppy-Mai B and Hetty F
Cousteau	Oscar H and Leia K
Bancroft	Lexi-Mae W and Lexi C
Shackleton	Hayden P and Scarlett P
Earhart	Reece F and Riley H
Tesla	Jokubas J and Ilana V
Hawking	Ellie K and Brooke S
Sharman	Cherry L and Daniel D
Fossey	Summer F and Ava C
Herschel	Tyler R and Poppy Willow F



**In assembly today 114 children received a certificate for 100% attendance during the Autumn Term.**

We feel this is an achievement worthy of congratulations - well done!

### Special New Year Lunch Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January

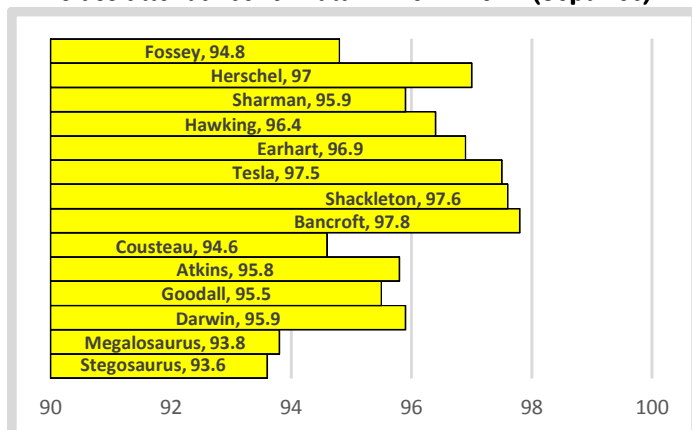
We will be having a special New Year lunch on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January. The menu for the day is:

*Hot Dogs with Ketchup*  
*Premium Butchers Sausage or Vegetarian Sausage*  
*Potato Wedges*  
*Baked Beans*  
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*Chocolate Iced Sponge*  
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*Orange & Blackcurrant, Milk or Water*

(Jacket Potatoes and School Packed Lunch will also be available and should be requested at registration.)

The cost is £2 (for KS2 children) and should be sent into school in a named envelope as normal. We hope the children will enjoy this special lunch.

### Class attendance for Autumn Term 2017 (Sept-Dec)



**1<sup>st</sup> – Bancroft**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> – Shackleton**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> - Tesla**



Please be reminded that the school's Attendance Policy was reviewed by the governing body and has been brought into line with Southend Borough Council's Code of Conduct.

This came into effect on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2015.

**The school is not allowed to grant any leave of absence during term time, unless there are exceptional circumstances. As a result of this policy change, under certain circumstances, Southend Borough Council may decide to issue parents with a Penalty Notice.**

For more information please refer to the policies page on our website (Attendance Policy and Attendance Penalty Notice Document).



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## Reminders for your diary

Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> January	School Nurse Drop-in (8.30-9.30am) Office Meeting Room Year 1 to McColls (am)
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 3 & 4 Girls' Football Tournament (all day) Len Forge Centre Foundation Stage Shared Reading (2.50pm)
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> January	Special New Year Lunch (see menu overleaf)
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	Year 2 Parent Reading (2.50pm)
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January	Year 2 to St David's (pm) Year 3 & 4 Parent Reading (2.50pm) Year 5 & 6 Football Match (3.30pm) at Our Lady of Lourdes
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> January	Foundation Stage Phonics Workshop for Parents (9am & 2pm)
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 1 to Edwards Hall Park (am) Year 6 Reading Workshop for Parents (9.00am) Year 1 Parent Reading (2.50pm)
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 3 & 4 Boys' Football Tournament (pm) Len Forge Centre EHSA Psychic Evening (7pm) KS2 Hall

## Lost Property



We have a great deal of lost property from last term. If you are missing any items please come and see if you can find them as soon as possible – thank you. Lost property not claimed by Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January will be recycled.

## PSYCHIC EVENING

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup>  
January 7.00pm**

Don't forget tickets for our EHSA Psychic Evening are now available from the office at £10 each.

In previous years tickets have sold out so buy your tickets early to avoid disappointment!

If you would like to book a private reading, please contact our EHSA by emailing [ehsa.info@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:ehsa.info@yahoo.co.uk).



## Belfairs Woodland Centre Big Garden Birdwatch

The Belfairs Woodland Centre are taking part in the National Garden Birdwatch on **Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> January**.

Families are welcome to come along between 10am and 3pm when children can:

- 🐦 Make their own bird feeder to keep their garden/local birds happy and well fed
- 🐦 Try out the Woodland Centre binoculars and use the guides provided to spot as many different birds as possible



## School Nurse

Our school nurse will be holding a drop-in session on **Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January**. He will be available for parents who have any health concerns or who wish for their child to receive a hearing or vision test. **Please come along to the office meeting room between 8.30am and 9.30am.**

Next week we are on Week 3 of our School Lunch Menu. For full details of the complete 3 week menu plan please see our website [www.edwardshallprimary.co.uk](http://www.edwardshallprimary.co.uk).

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK THREE	Sausage and Tomato Pasta Sweetcorn Garlic Bread	Various Meat & Vegetarian Homemade Pizzas Sweetcorn/Baked Beans	Gammon Mashed Potatoes Peas/Baked Beans	<b>SPECIAL NEW YEAR LUNCH</b>	Cod Fish Finger Chunky Chips Peas and Sweetcorn
	<b>Or</b> Jacket Potato topped with either: Tuna Cheese Baked Beans	<b>Or</b> Jacket Potato topped with either: Tuna Cheese Baked Beans	<b>Or</b> Jacket Potato topped with either: Tuna Cheese Baked Beans	<b>Or</b> Jacket Potato topped with either: Tuna Cheese Baked Beans	<b>Or</b> Jacket Potato topped with either: Tuna Cheese Baked Beans
	<b>Or</b> Tuna Wrap	<b>Or</b> Ham Roll	<b>Or</b> Cheese Baguette	<b>Or</b> Ham Baguette	<b>Or</b> Cheese Mayo Wrap
Chocolate Cake with Chocolate Custard or Fresh Fruit	Assorted Cookies or Fresh Fruit	Jelly and Ice Cream Or Fresh Fruit	Iced Sponge or Fresh Fruit	Chocolate Rice Crispy Cake or Fresh Fruit	

Don't forget our newsletters are available every week on our school website - [www.edwardshallprimary.co.uk](http://www.edwardshallprimary.co.uk)



**House Points  
Current Totals**

<b>Danes</b>	<b>1633</b>
<b>Normans</b>	<b>1642</b>
<b>Saxon</b>	<b>2038</b>
<b>Vikings</b>	<b>1674</b>