



# Friday Letter for Parents and Carers

## 6th January 2023



### Headteacher Update

#### Diary Dates

##### January

- 12th Lea Green Parents Meeting- 1.30pm
- 18th Lea Green Parents Meeting- 6.00pm
- 24th Makaton Level 1 for parents/carers—**FULLY BOOKED!**
- 25th School Production
- 26th school Production

##### February

- 3rd NSPCC Number Day

##### March

- 1st-3rd Lea Green Group 1
- 3rd** HMO World Book Celebration (National 2nd)
- 16th Mother's Day open afternoon**
- 21st/22nd Parents Evening
- 31st Easter Eggstravaganza!

Happy New Year to you all! I hope 2023 has been a positive year for you all so far. It was lovely to welcome the children into school on Tuesday, full of smiles! Thank you for sharing your Christmas moments on Tapestry, it is lovely to share these moments with the children and their friends.

I am pleased to share that Nicky Ellis, who has worked across both Hob Moor Oaks and Primary in a Federation role for Safeguarding, Behaviour and Wellbeing, will move into a full time Hob Moor Oaks role this year. Nicky has a wealth of knowledge of SEND and is very excited to work alongside pupils and staff in the Oaks full time.

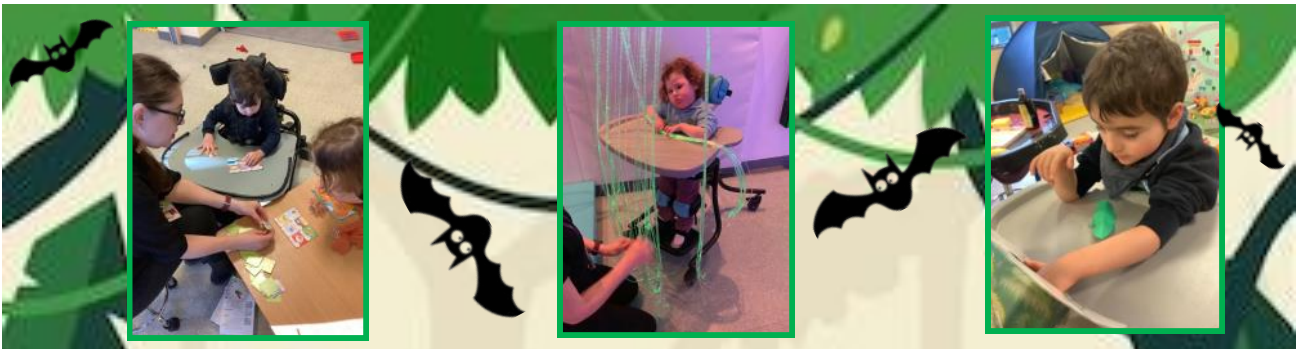
Over the upcoming weeks the children will be interacting with their story texts for our school performances. There are lots of lovely learning opportunities within continuous provisions to help the children to become familiar to the characters, stories and songs. We are looking forward to welcoming you in to see the live performances. Please look out for a parent hub message regarding the timings and groupings early next week.

Thank you to a lovely parent for pointing out the errors on the diary dates. Please see the amendments to World Book Day and Mother's Day. Many thanks, Olivia



Olivia

### Seedlings



This week in Seedlings we have been getting back into our school routine and exploring our book for the school show 'Monkey Puzzle'. We have been feeding elephants some leaves and printing flying bats! There has been some lovely playing with friends and musical exploration of the classroom instruments. During our time in the sensory room, we have been trying out new standers and having lovely intensive interaction sessions. We hope you have a lovely weekend and see you next week!





# Hob Moor Oaks Heroes of the Week



The WEB Team—For developing a vision to create a 'nurture hub' for our pupils... watch out for photographs.

Happy Birthday this week to:

Elizabeth



## Hardworking Hob Moor Oaks



**LIVING autism foundation**  
autism advice, autism workshops, autism research



Parkhill Business Centre, Walton Road, Wetherby, LS22 5DZ

### Half Day Workshop for Parents and Carers

#### 'AUTISM and GIRLS'



Guest presenter: Mike Cowan-Jones

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2023

10.00am to 1.00pm

The Bar Convent

17 Blossom Street, York, YO24 1AQ

**VOLUNTARY DONATIONS WELCOME**

To book your place please email:  
[enquiries@livingautismfoundation.org](mailto:enquiries@livingautismfoundation.org)  
(please include 'Autism Workshop'  
in the subject heading)

**Previous Feedback: 100% positive**

- Excellent presentation
- Good interactivity
- So helpful, insightful
- A wealth of information
- Added hugely to my understanding

**Grow**  
FEEL FOR YOUNG HANDS



## Taster Day Menu Thursday 19th January

Main  
Chicken Nuggets or Veggie Nuggets  
Served with  
Chips & Garden Peas  
or  
Jacket Potato with Cheese or Beans

Dessert  
Vanilla Ice Cream, Fresh Fruit or  
Strawberry Yoghurt

We will be having a special 'Taster Day' lunch menu on Thursday 19th January and there will be a change to the menu which is currently on [ParentPay](#). The change of menu will not show on [ParentPay](#) but a copy of the theme day menu is above

Children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to a universal infant free school meal and will be invited to try this meal. If your child in R, Y1 or Y2 usually has a packed lunch they can still have that if they prefer.

If your child is in Nursery or Years 3 to 6 and you would like to book the taster menu please book this on [ParentPay](#) by Wednesday 11th January 2022.

If you have previously booked a meal for your child on this day this booking will still remain but can be amended by logging onto [ParentPay](#). There will be no Cold option on this day.

Thank you