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Hennock School Newsletter Friday 6th October

Message from Head of School

What a wonderful weekend we have just had. The Barn Dance on Saturday night was really well attended, despite the rain! There were many families that came from outside the village which was great and an enjoyable time was had by all. Thank you for attending and contributing to the family feel that is our very special school. Apple Day in the same way was fantastic. The children were really buzzing in assembly on Tuesday. They sang beautifully and Miss Gentile did a great job with our Harvest song, we have already ordered our Christmas script and so there will be lots more singing on the cards shortly! A special thank you to Alison – I don't know where you get your energy and organisational skills from but I would love to bottle some!

Game makers – Mr Flint is organising 'Games Makers' as part of our PE provision this term. These children will be trained by him weekly and then be 'exercising' the rest of the school early in the morning – just before the bell for Ash Class and just after for Willows so watch out for energetic mornings arriving shortly! Our assembly on Tuesday will appoint Games makers to the role.

Diary Dates



Mon 9th Hennock Open Day
10-12pm

Mon 9th – Natural learning
year 5+6

Fri 13th – Ash Swimming

Fri 13th – Rural skip in Hennock

Stars of the Week

Saplings – Special Ted is
with Mason

Willow Class – Eva

Ash Class – Alex

Courtesy Cup - Frankie



Attendance

Whole school
98.2%

Ash – 97.6%
Willow – 98.9%

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Saplings News

This week in Saplings we have been continuing our theme of snails. We started reading 'The Snail Trail'. The children made mini snails out of egg boxes and we learnt the different body parts of the snail.

On Wednesday we joined Toddlers at Stover Park Country Park for a morning of natural learn fun. We went on a clay blobster adventure, played animal hide seek and make exciting discoveries. Such as if you mix water with mud it makes paint.



Willow News

In English this week we did our Big Write for our book What Happens Next... I was particularly impressed with Ben's use of exciting adjectives. In maths we have been doing more problem solving and reasoning.

Reuben and Betsy have really impressed me with their eagerness to challenge themselves and their refusal to give up when faced with tricky problems.

I am very pleased with the Foundation children's eagerness to practice their learning during their independent choosing time, particularly Ada, Lyra and Frankie who are regularly choosing to write. You are all learning so many letters and sounding out so many words so quickly. Well done.

Please continue to read with your child at home 5 times a week and to practice their key words and spellings regularly.

Ash News

In preparation for next week's Big Write 'Shrink' we have been creating metaphors. We have been comparing details from the natural landscape we observed with images of a bustling city metropolis. Alex W really impressed us with his ideas and we look forward to reading the finished descriptions next week.

In maths we have been learning how to read roman numerals and have begun work on formal written addition and subtraction. We have been using concrete objects such as diennes and counters on a place value grid to explain when and why we exchange.

And finally, a HUGE THANK YOU to our wonderful, tenacious Ash parents: Anne Hazleden, Andy Law, Sarah Mutch and Gin Methley who have given up hours of their own time to site the new firepit mosaic. This has been an immense team effort from parents and children – well done all!

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