



Hillstone News

Dates for your Diary

Please note school will be CLOSED the following days next week for all children:

- ◇ Monday 3rd May - Bank Holiday
- ◇ Thursday 6th May - Voting Day

Although school will be closed for children 6th May, we will be using this day as a valuable staff training day. Staff will be adding to their professional development with the following training:

- ◇ Nature Friendly Schools
- ◇ First Aid
- ◇ Play and Engagement
- ◇ Behaviour Management

We hope you all have an enjoyable bank holiday and look forward to seeing the children back in school on Tuesday 4th May.

Safety on and around our premises

I would like to thank all of you for the huge effort and continued support in helping to keep the area around Hillstone safe for our children, parents and staff. I would also like to thank all the parents and children who stop and have a daily chat with me.

There have been many positive comments from the parents and our residents who say how much safer Hillstone Road feels during the times the **Car Free Streets** scheme is in place. With the milder weather upon us, I would like to feel that even more of you may leave cars at home and walk to school. With this scheme now running so well, I have decided that the two children signs will not be needed to be put out daily, but you should not consider this to mean the road is open to drive along, the large highways agency notices at each end of the road will remain, clearly indicating the times and restriction in place.

On one more matter, there have been occasions where we have stopped parents from bringing dogs onto the school grounds. No dogs must come into the grounds, not even if they are carried. Some of our children can be very wary of dogs, even small ones. Thank you for your cooperation.

Alan Morton
Building and Site Manager



HILLSTONE STARS

Each week, teachers will choose Hillstone Stars from each class. They will all be celebrated on the Hillstone Stars tab on our website. Here are this week's outstanding pupils.

Aaliyah Price-Hindley

Nyla Lewin

Alyus James

Zirwa Mohammad

Azaan Muhammad Khawaja

Brody Ryley

Frankie Weir

Jamie-Lea Coley

Maisie Lynock-Wood

Ella Adams

Layton Daly

Tayla O'Brien

Huma Mushtaq

Pj Carden

