

Hartsbourne Herald

Open Door



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OPEN DOOR

Our first 'open door' was well attended, thank you and teachers received a lot of positive feedback!

ACHIEVEMENT

- Year 1:** Emma has a fantastic attitude to learning.
- Year 2:** Khushal for enthusiasm in every lesson.
- Year 3:** Jerry is always ready to learn.
- Year 4:** Beau asks for help when he needs it.
- Year 5:** Nathael for an improved attitude to learning.
- Year 6:** Nadine is a good and kind friend.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

As usual, Harvest Festival will be led by Years 3 and 4 and the rest of the school will perform some harvest songs. We will be collecting money for The British Red Cross who help people cope with disasters, conflicts and personal crises in the UK and overseas. Please be aware, we will **NOT** be collecting food this year.

We would like the children to choose a **small** box, tube or container, decorate it any way they like and fill it with coins to donate to the Red Cross. There will be a small prize for the most imaginatively decorated container from each class.



Why not pop in to Bushey Library and have a look at the Year 6 book themed illustrations on display? They'll be up until the first week in November. Well done Year 6!

E SAFETY

Please see the information on Page 4 with regard to the Government's new proposals to improve online safety. Can't come too soon in my view!

We wish you all a warm weekend of rest and relaxation from all the staff and Valerie Hudson, Head Teacher.

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SCHOOL COUNCILLORS

- Year 2: Brodie and Belle
- Year 3: Henry and Thasanmee
- Year 4: Gabriella and Fin
- Year 5: Manav and Ruby
- Year 6: Zaki and Eschaal

- FALLOW:** Gracie and Leo.
- MUNTJAC:** Marta and Charlie
- ROE:** Hailley and Asher
- SIKA:** Mimie and George

A BIG THANK YOU TO
THE FRIENDS FOR
THE FANTASTIC CAKE
SALE—WE WILL LET
YOU KNOW IN DUE
COURSE HOW MUCH
WAS
RAISED!



Dates for Autumn 2017

* = Parents Invited	
Assessment Week	16.10.17
Harvest Assembly* 2.30pm	20.10.17
HALF TERM	
Open afternoon for Rec 2018 parents 2.00pm	30.10.17
Open morning for Rec 2018 parents 9.30am	1.11.17
Online applications opens for Rec 2018	7.11.17
Remembrance Assembly* 2.30pm	10.11.17
Anti-Bullying Week	13.11.17
Open morning for Rec 2018 parents 9.30am	14.11.17
Parents Eve *	14.11.17
Parents Eve *	15.11.17
Open afternoon for Rec 2018 parents 2.00pm	16.11.17
Full Governing Body Mtng	23.11.17
Open afternoon for Rec 2018 parents 2.00pm	27.11.17
Open morning for Rec 2018 parents 9.30am	30.11.17
Open afternoon for Rec 2018 parents 2.00pm	30.11.17
OCCASIONAL DAY; SCHOOL CLOSED	1.12.17
KS1 Christmas Show* 2.00pm	11.12.17
KS1 Christmas Show* 9.30am	12.12.17
KS2 Christmas Show* 2.00pm	13.12.17
KS2 Christmas Show* 6.15pm	14.12.17
Christmas Dinner and Jumper Day £1	15.12.17
Whole School Christmas Panto pm	18.12.17
SCHOOL CLOSSES 2.00PM	19.12.17
INSET for staff	3.1.18
SCHOOL OPENS (x2 Themed Days)	4.1.18
Deadline for Reception places Sept 2018	15.1.18

COLLECTION FROM CLUBS: Please collect from the following areas:

- Football Club should be collected from the playground.
- Sports clubs, dance and drama in the hall should be collected from the hall door.
- Art Club should be collect-



HOUSEPOINTS

Fallow 353

Roe 298

Sika 324

Muntjac 340

FREE SCHOOL MEALS: Applying for Free School Meals is simple and quick at:
www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals.

We're on the web at: www.hartsbourne.herts.sch.uk E-mail us at:
parents@hartsbourne.herts.sch.uk Telephone: 0208 950 8140 and 0208 950 6853
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Friends of Hartsbourne

EVENT	WHERE	WHEN
Occasional Day (School Closed)	All Year Groups	Friday 1 st December 2017
Christmas Bazaar 3.30 – 4.30pm	School Hall + classroom	Monday 4 th December 2017
Bright Colours Day £1	Dress up in bright colours	4/5 January 2018
KS1 and KS2 Disco	School hall	18 th January 2018
Valentine's Day Cake Sale 3.30—4.00pm	School Hall	Friday 9 th February 2018
Easter Egg Puzzle Trail 3.30—4.00pm	School Grounds	28 th March 2018
Sponsored event	School	1 st week in May 2018
Movie Night (Y2 – Y6)	Classrooms	24 th May 2018
Bring a bottle/No school uniform	School (Bottles to Y6)	Friday 6 th July 2018
School Fair 12.00—3.00pm	School Grounds	Saturday 7 th July 2018
Crazy hair day	School	Monday 23 rd July 2018

Maths Wam! (Worth a Mention)

- Year 1: Ethan carefully calculated addition sums.
- Year 2: Cooper pushed himself to complete more reasoning problems.
- Year 3: Fraser was persistent when completing division and multiplication calculations.
- Year 4: Ethan for excellent work subtracting four digit numbers.
- Year 5: Beyza for hard work in applying her maths knowledge all week.
- Year 6: Liam for working hard with division this week.

Literacy Wam! (Worth a Mention)

- Year 1: Louis asked interesting questions of a non-fiction text.
- Year 2: Erin for finding nouns, adjectives and adverbs in sentences.
- Year 3: Ethan W worked hard to use speech punctuation.
- Year 4: Araminta for her excellent use of commas and full stops in an expanded noun sentence.
- Year 5: Maryam for being able to improve her work with paragraphs and metaphors.
- Year 6: Freddie for some fabulous expanded noun phrases.



E-safety:

Protecting your child online

Information for parents

New proposals announced by Culture Secretary Karen Bradley:

Cracking down on dangers like cyber-bullying, trolling and under-age access to pornography, the [Government's Internet Safety Strategy](#) proposes a new social media code of practice to see a joined-up approach to remove or address bullying, intimidating or humiliating online content, as well as:

- An industry-wide levy so social media companies and communication service providers contribute to raise awareness and counter internet harms;
- An annual internet safety transparency report to show progress on addressing abusive and harmful content and conduct;
- And support for tech and digital startups to think safety first - ensuring that necessary safety features are built into apps and products from the very start.

In the past year, almost one fifth of 12-15 year olds encountered something online that they 'found worrying or nasty in some way' and 64% of 13-17 year olds have seen images or videos offensive to a particular group. Nearly half of adult users also say they have seen something that has upset or offended them on social media.

The Internet Safety Green Paper aims to tackle these growing dangers, while continuing to embrace the huge benefits and opportunities the Internet has brought for British citizens.

Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport Karen Bradley said:

The Internet has been an amazing force for good, but it has caused undeniable suffering and can be an especially harmful place for children and vulnerable people. Behaviour that is unacceptable in real life is unacceptable on a computer screen. We need an approach to the Internet that protects everyone without restricting growth and innovation in the digital economy. Our ideas are ambitious - and rightly so. Collaboratively, government, industry, parents and communities can keep citizens safe online, but only by working together.

The strategy sets out the government's ambition to create a strong framework which can tackle online harms. All options will be carefully considered, working collaboratively with industry and charities and supporting children, parents and carers.

Today's is the first generation of children who are learning about relationships and sex in an online world. So the Strategy also outlines the crucial role that education will play in raising online safety awareness, with a particular focus on children and parents:

- New compulsory school subjects – Relationship Education at primary and Relationship & Sex Education at secondary to provide online safety education;
- Social media safety advice – Government will encourage social media companies to offer safety advice and tools to parents and safety messages will be built into online platforms;
- Safety features highlighted – Government will work to raise awareness around the safety products and features that are available for parents.