

Law change for using your mobile phone whilst driving

It is illegal to use a hand-held phone or similar device while driving, or riding a motorcycle - this is still the case when you are stopped at traffic lights or queuing in traffic.

Did you know? It is also illegal to use a hand-held mobile when supervising a learner driver or rider.

New penalties now mean that motorists and motorcyclists caught using a phone while driving and riding will receive six penalty points on their licence and a £200 fine. This means that new drivers, within two years of passing their test, run the risk of losing their licence for a single offence.

Keep safe – put your phone away in the glove compartment.

Many thanks for your help with this. Katherine Ware

Senior Officer – Hertfordshire Road Safety Partnership
Transport, Access & Road Safety Unit

RED NOSE DAY

Red noses go on sale from the school office from Monday 6th March 2017! £1.00 each and it's a lucky dip!

SAINSBURY'S VOUCHERS

Once again we are collecting the Sainsbury's vouchers for sports equipment. Send them in as soon as you get them!

ACHIEVEMENT LAST WEEK

Rec: Talya for being polite and well mannered all week.

Year 1: Khaden for excellent listening skills during learning time.

Year 2: Isla is always polite and listens to instructions.

Year 3: Ayyan always listens well in whole-class teaching.

Year 4: Sebastian is polite and ready to help every day.

Year 5: Abbas always has good manners in the classroom.

Year 6: Maddy is always polite and respectful to adults.

Apologies for the late newsletter, I was not in school on Friday and there was too much to catch up on by Monday!

Meanwhile we wish you all a lovely weekend from Valerie Hudson and all the staff at Hartsbourne.

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Hertfordshire County Council have developed a directory of parenting courses, which is available on their website at www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/parentingsupport.

* = parents invited	
Governors' Resources Committee Mtng	16.3.17
Mothers' Day Sale Wednesday/Friday	22/24.3.17
Y6 to PGL	27.3.17
End of Term: Friday: Close 2.00pm	31.3.17
INSET:	18.4.17
School Opens 8.45am	19.4.17

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 collected from the Y5/Y6 double doors (side entrance).

PLEASE REMEMBER WE CLOSE AT 2.00PM ON FRIDAY 31ST MARCH 2017 FOR THE EASTER HOLIDAY.
PLEASE INFORM CHILD MINDERS OR MAKE ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS TO COLLECT YOUR CHILD PROMPTLY.

ATTENDANCE REMINDER

Governors would like to remind you that children do not do as well in school if they do not attend regularly. Holidays in term time will not be authorised without exceptional circumstances. Please see our leaflet on the website for further information.

SEVERE WEATHER CLOSURES

Please register with the new Hertfordshire School Closure system (Everbridge) so that you can access all the current information about schools. Due to large volumes of electronic 'traffic' there is sometimes a delay in texts arriving. Using the Everbridge system will ensure you get quick and accurate information.

Housepoints Congratulations to:

Fallow

411

Sika

503

Roe

489

Muntjac

425

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Friends of Hartsbourne

WHAT	WHEN	TIME/WHERE
Mothers' Day Sale	Wed 22nd/24th March	Classroom
Movie Night	Thursday 27th April	TBC
Spring Tidy Up	Saturday 6th May	Grounds
Fathers' Day sale	Wed 14/16th June	Classroom
Bring a bottle/dress down	Friday 30th June	School
Summer Fair	Saturday 1st July	School Grounds
Crazy Hair/Ice Cream Sale	Wednesday 19th July	School

Literacy Achievement

Rec: Dillan H. for hard work in phonics.

Year 1: John for always trying his best with writing.

Year 2: Ethan W. for consistently improving his spelling by checking for mistakes.

Year 3: Sammy for impressive understanding of new vocabulary.

Year 4: Ella for consistently sharing ideas with the class.

Year 5: For excellent effort writing a persuasive letter.

Year 6: Karina always tries hard to present work neatly.

Maths Achievement

Rec: Gary for hard work with subtraction.

Year 1: Erin for excellent effort in maths all week.

Year 2: Maryam for making a big effort telling the time.

Year 3: Jaxon for answering questions based on pictograms.

Year 4: Aryan for great mental calculation skills.

Year 5: George for using excellent strategies with mental multiplication/division.

Year 6: Jasmine for some excellent mental and written calculations.