

# Herne Flyer 25



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## HARMONY WEEK 1



It's here! The seventh HARMONY week in Herne's history. It has super heroes. It has 'thank you', 'excuse me', 'are you okay?', 'let me help you' and lots of other reminders of how we should treat each other. The School Council has been busy producing a special film to be shown to the children on Monday all about promoting fantastic behaviour at Herne. This film will be posted on our website during the week so that children can share this with their parents at home.

As in previous years, we will be selling Hero wristbands for 50p – the children can choose who is their favourite hero and support them with a wristband. The HARMONY heroes will also be visiting every class each day and be giving out spot prizes for children who have been making a special effort to promote our values.

### Red Nose Day

Well done and thank you so much for your generosity for this year's Comic Relief, Red Nose Day. Between us all, we managed to raise over £600, which we believe is our best total in recent years! Well done everyone and thank you for your support for our wider communities. ☺

### The Choir at the Petersfield Music Festival

Thank you and well done to our fantastic choir who performed twice during the week at the Festival Hall. They sang beautifully and performed alongside other schools and secondary age students to make it a magical evening.



### Risk Assessments at Herne

We have a very rigorous schedule of carrying out risk assessments for the health and safety of children and adults here at Herne. The events that took place in London this week, has generated an additional risk assessment regarding traffic at the school so that we can be sure of protecting our pupils as best as humanly possible. We have taken these two extra measures and we hope parents understand why we are doing this.



- All traffic into the school at the end of the day will be banned unless it is one of the two taxis that collect two known children at the school. These Hampshire Education authorised taxi companies will be given permits. No other traffic will be allowed in, unless it is one of our mini-buses.
- There will be a new metal bollard fitted into the entrance to the upper playground where we also have a 5-bar gate. We noted that this gate is open at the beginning and end of the day to allow for the flow of pedestrians through this area, but our risk assessment identified that we should have a heavy duty security bollard to stop traffic onto the playgrounds when not permitted (see picture). This will be installed next week.

### Maths & Literacy Book Sales at Parents Evening

It was great to see so many parents and children wanting to take home the revision books. We allowed people to take these books on the understanding that the money would come into school shortly after. We still have quite a few parents that have not paid for the books that were taken, so please could you send in cash or a cheque payable to Herne Junior School by Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March.

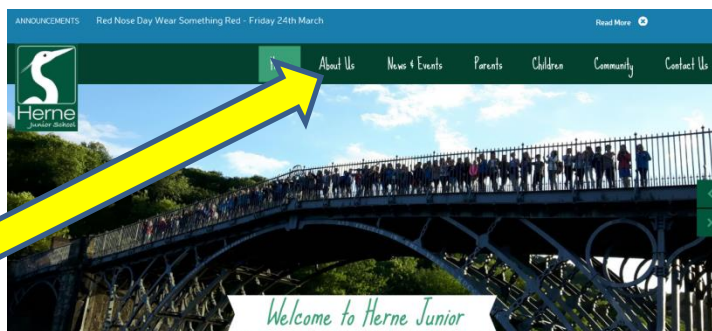
### School Lunches

Just to remind you that the price of a School Meal will increase from £2.10 to £2.15 from Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April. Please ensure your child's ParentPay account has enough in credit to cover this increase and keep track of your balance on Parentpay; if your account goes into debt, your child may not be able to access a school lunch. Thank you.

## Herne website

Please look at the new and very much improved special Needs (SEND) section of our website. We have included many links to external agencies in order to support you and your children. We know that by accessing other professionals, your children can get the highly specialised support which they may need in order to make good progress at school.

To find this information, click on 'About Us' here, then scroll down to 'SEND – Local Offer'



## Friends of Herne News

### Friday Cake Raffle!

Dear Herne Parents, as the spring term rapidly draws to a close, I'm looking for volunteer bakers for our rather wonderful cake raffle for next term. We have a lovely group who volunteer to bake for us each term, but it would be brilliant to get a few new faces as well. If you can spare a few hours we would be really grateful for a sandwich cake or maybe cupcakes to be brought into school on Friday morning. All we ask is no nuts please! The raffle raises around £30-£40 each week so it really makes a difference to the school! If you would like to help just let me (Emma Stickland) know via the school office - thank you! Also, my twins will be leaving Herne this year, so I'm also looking for a replacement to coordinate the raffle. There's no need to get involved with selling tickets etc as the school organises that end of things. It really is just a case of scheduling the bakers and putting the odd request/ reminder out on Facebook and the Friday Flyer. If you would like to take it on please do contact me via the school. Thank you!



**Error...**many apologies to Jo Goodship whom is our chair of Friends of Herne and not Naomi Dodd who was named as Chair in last week's Flyer. Having said that Naomi does a million things for FoH so don't go!!!

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## Spellings for Years 5 & 6

This week, we have published the Year 5 & 6 spelling list. Once complete, we'll collate all of the spellings onto a document to put on our website to download into the future. Any children in any year group are invited to learn these too! ☺ Here we have spellings from M to Q. More to come next week!

marvellous mischievous muscle necessary neighbour nuisance

occupy occur opportunity parliament persuade physical prejudice privilege

profession programme pronunciation queue

**This week, by way of a change, we thought we'd share how spelling something WRONG can be a mistake that is difficult to change!!!**



## Community Messages

Could you care for a child or young person in Hampshire? Talk to us about adoption and fostering



Homes for  
Hampshire Children  
0300 5551384

hants.gov.uk/adoptionandfostering  
@HantsChildren hampshirechildren

**APRIL FUN IN SHEET** - In the lead up to Sheet Festival (26/27th May) there will be a fun afternoon on the Millenium Field, Mill Lane, Sheet on Sunday 23rd April at 2pm. Come along to enjoy a barbecue and help create aerial footage for Sheet's own Community Film. For more information search @sheetfilms on Facebook

### DIARY – Spring Term 2017

March 2017		April 2017	
27 <sup>th</sup> – 31 <sup>st</sup>	HARMONY WEEK!	Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Gymnastics Club Performance to parents
Tue 28 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 – Year 6 Parents – SATs info evening	Tue 4 <sup>th</sup>	Listen 2 Me concert (tbc)
Thu 30 <sup>th</sup>	3.00 Y3 Healthy Heroes Yoghurt tasting – parents welcome to come in and taste test!	Wed 5 <sup>th</sup>	FoH Children's DISCO Lower Sch 5.30-6.45. Upper Sch 7.15-8.30.
Fri 31 <sup>st</sup>	2.45 – Rock Steady Concert to parents in Hall	Fri 7 <sup>th</sup>	12.30 END OF TERM for EASTER