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## Parents & Carers Contact Details

If you have changed your contact details this academic year, could you please let us know your most up-to-date email address or mobile phone number? We also need to be informed if you move address. On the rare occasion that we have an emergency or concern, it is vital we can contact any of the people on your contact list held at school. Your help with this will be very much appreciated. 😊

## What to do if School is Disrupted?

If there is travel disruption due to bad weather that affects the school, we will use a variety of methods to let parents know. This includes our texting service, scrolling information on the homepage of our website, tweets, and notification to Hampshire website link as follows: <http://www.hants.gov.uk/education/schoolclosures/>



## Herne's Got Talent 2019

Our very popular talent competition 'Herne's Got Talent' is returning this term, with the first round of auditions to take place just after half-term (see dates below). Acts will need to sign up with the FoH team in the week commencing 11<sup>th</sup> February. The final will take place in the TPS studio at the end of March.

**Lower School Auditions - Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February 3.30 – 5.00pm**

**Upper School Auditions - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 3.30 – 5.00pm**

## Year 3 and 4 Tennis

Over the last few weeks, a selection of children attended tennis sessions run by Churcher's College students who are obtaining a coaching qualification. The children took part in a range of activities games and were taught tennis specific skills. All came back with beaming smiles, and we were commended for their outstanding behaviour! Well done Herne!



## Clubs List for Spring Term

Please see overleaf for the full list (at time of publication) of all of our clubs for this term. Details of how to join etc. will be on there. 😊

## Dodgeball Club returns...

Starting next Thursday after school, CM Sports (our new coaching partners) will reintroduce Dodgeball club. It will be based outside, so children will need warm PE clothes. To sign up, please see letter on our website.

## Pokémon Cards

We have very sadly had to make the decision to re-introduce the ban on Pokémon cards and other trading cards. All the children were warned last term that if allowing the cards in school again led to disputes over card trading, we would have to re-introduce the ban; sadly this has happened.

## People Still Parking on Zig-Zag lines



Thank you so much to all of the concerned parents and visitors to the school who have been giving the school photo evidence of people who have been parking on the no-waiting zone outside of the school gates. For the sake of our children's safety, we will now pass these photos to the police and will keep a record of the number plates. We will publish the registrations of these vehicles if the situation doesn't improve.

## Community Message - Sheet Church Christingle Service

Don't forget this wonderful service for all the family at 10am on Sunday (20<sup>th</sup> January). The special service will be celebrating Jesus Christ as 'Light of the World'. All people are welcome to join us for this event.

| January              |                                     | February             |  |
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| Thu 24 <sup>th</sup> | Year 5 to the British Museum        | Thu 7 <sup>th</sup>  | Open School 3.30 – 4.15 (come and see your child's books). |
| Mon 28 <sup>th</sup> | Special NSPCC Whole School Assembly | Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> | Break up for half-term at 3.30pm                           |
| Mon 28 <sup>th</sup> | Mid-Year Assessment fortnight       | Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> | First day of the new half-term                             |
|                      |                                     | Tue 26 <sup>th</sup> | Mid-term Assessment postcards to be sent home              |