

Herne Flyer 6

Friday 13th October 2017

Knowing Every Child – Inspiring Every Mind



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OPEN MORNING NEXT TUESDAY

If you know of any parents who are thinking of sending their child to Herne either next year or sometime in the future, please let them know that we have an OPEN MORNING for prospective parents and children next Tuesday 17th October from 9.15am until 10.30am. This is aimed at those families who do not know the school and gives them a chance to see us at work and play. We have Tweeted the invitation letter earlier today. 😊

Shoe Box Appeal



Herne will once again be linking up with Sheet Church and will be a collection point for the annual Shoe Box Appeal. If any families would like to put together a shoebox for a disadvantaged child from around the world, there are information leaflets at the school office or look at their website at:

www.operationchristmaschild.org.uk

We ask that all shoeboxes are brought into school by **Friday 3rd November**. Last year the school donated over 50 shoeboxes and it would be wonderful to better that this year. Lots of families commented that it was a lovely activity to do over Half-term!

Harvest

On Friday (20th October), Max Cross from Sheet Church will be joining us to lead our special Harvest Assembly. The children have been practising some special Harvest Songs and **we would also like to ask that every family brings in a small food donation for the local foodbank**. If donations are brought in to the hall on Friday morning they will form a part of our special Harvest display, before the food is taken to the charity. Food items the charity are requesting are:

Sandwich spreads e.g. fish paste
Jams, marmalade, marmite – anything that goes on toast
Tinned meat e.g. Spam
Tinned Vegetables
Long Life Milk
Sugar
Cooking Sauces e.g. Pasta sauces, Curry sauces



IMPORTANT! Y6 applying for your child's secondary school place

Applications opened for Hampshire residents on Monday 18 September 2017. You can apply online via the Education Online Portal at: www.hants.gov.uk/admissions You must apply to Hampshire County Council even if you wish to apply for schools in another local authority. If you do not live in Hampshire (including Portsmouth and Southampton) you must apply through your home local authority.

If you have used the Education Online Portal previously, you will be able to log in using the same e-mail address and password. Please check your details are up-to-date in the 'My Account' section of the portal before starting your school application.

If you have not used the online portal before, you will need to register by clicking on the 'Register' button and following the onscreen instructions. You will be sent an email from the system containing a link to the log in screen. You will then be able to log in using your e-mail address and password.

The deadline for applications is midnight on Tuesday 31 October 2017.

It is very important that you submit your application by this date. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered until after all on-time applications have been processed, which means late applicants are less likely to be offered a place at one of their preferred schools. Before completing your application, you are advised to read the online guidance about applying for a school place available at www.hants.gov.uk/admissions. The website also contains an A – Z of all Hampshire maintained schools, including details of each school's admission arrangements, contact details, Ofsted reports etc. If you are unable to apply online, you can request a paper form from us.



Photograph Orders

Please note the closing date for ordering your child's photographs is the **17th October 2017**.

Regional 7s Tournament in Southampton

Last Friday the girls' football team went to a tournament in Southampton and played 8 games each 8 minutes long. They drew 2 games at the start, by then Mr Jones thought that we weren't going to win. However in the 3rd game they won 1-0 and every game after that they won, making Mr Jones turn his frown upside down. The girls came in 1st place with 20 points (each win was 3 points). Hopefully the team will win the next round when they go to Bristol to represent Hampshire in the South and West of England tournament to qualify for the national finals in April. **GOOD LUCK GIRLS!!**

Report by Zahra Williams, Katy Bravery and Erin Sherwood (Sports Captains)

Scooters

It is lovely to see some many children coming to school on scooters, however can all scooters please go in the scooter racks not into the bike shelters – thank you! Could we also ask that children do not ride their scooters around the playgrounds at the beginning or end of the day, as we are concerned that there could be an accident. Thank you.



Polish Families – Support With English

One of our parents, Mrs Andrews-Dillamore has offered to support children or their parents with speaking English if their first language is Polish. If you would be interested in this kind offer, could you please let the school office know. We will then be in touch with some details about how we will run this language support. ☺

Ultimate Frisbee

On Monday the 8th a selection of children were picked to take part in an Ultimate Frisbee tournament in Havant. There were lots of schools taking part, but Herne did extremely well coming 4th and 5th place. Everyone had a fabulous time and so much fun. It was the first time Herne has competed in a Frisbee event.

Written by Luke Cutcher (Sports Captain)



Tina Allingham Photoshoot : This Sunday

Please remember that it is at Herne Junior School and parking available in the school car park.

Contact Pauline Walker on 07866894986 if you have any problems either before or on the day. For those taking part, thank you for your support and I hope you enjoy the photoshoot. ☺



Great South Run - Sponsorship

Herne will be supporting FitzRoy this year, not just because this is a great cause, but it turns out that their head office is right here in Petersfield!

Sunday 22nd October – **Great South Run**. Mr Markham will be running this 10 mile race to raise money for FitzRoy and if you'd like to sponsor him to complete the race, then sign up on the sponsor sheets during next week based in our foyer reception area. You can also donate via this link:

<http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/anthonymarkham>



October 2017	
Tue 17 th	9.15 OPEN MORNING for prospective parents
Thurs 19 th	Parents' evening #2 (3.40 – 7.30)
Fri 20 th	Break up for Half-term at 3.30pm
Mon 30 th	Herne Re-opens for Autumn Term 2.
Tue 31 st	Year 7 application deadline

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



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