



Knowing Every Child – Inspiring Every Mind

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Herne's Successful SATs Results Are Out!

This year, as in previous years, the children at Herne have out-performed other schools both nationally and across Hampshire. We have summarised the results below. EXS means that children reached the 'EXPECTED STANDARD' and GDS means that our top-performing children managed to demonstrate that they understood their learning at a 'GREATER DEPTH STANDARD'.

SATs Results at Herne – 2017								
NEW NATIONAL CURRICULUM (2 nd Year)								
YEAR	READING		WRITING		MATHS		COMBINED	
	Reading, Writing & Maths							
	EXS	GDS	EXS	GDS	EXS	GDS	EXS	GDS
National	71%	25%	71%	18%	75%	23%	61%	9%
Hampshire	76%	29%	80%	23%	77%	23%	65%	11%
HERNE	85%	41%	91%	32%	90%	33%	77%	21%
	14% above national	16% above national	20% above national	14% above national	15% above national	10% above national	16% above national	12% above national

We are incredibly proud of all of the Year 6 children who have worked so hard, including those that have achieved way above and beyond the standard they may have started from in previous schools, even if they just missed the expected standard. Individual pupil results will be shared with the children and parents/carers next week. *To all of the children (and their parents and carers), we would like to say that you've done us all proud and we hope that these solid foundations have prepared you for your next exciting step in your lives.*

Parents' and Carers Questionnaire

This year we have designed an online form, which we hope might be more convenient for you to complete. Please click on the following link to access the form <https://goo.gl/forms/M2P7LxsdBXAIEV9F3>. Alternatively, the link can be found on our website under Parents/Parent View. Paper copies are very welcome and we have put this on Page 4 of today's Flyer.



Herne Coffee Morning

Sadly this morning's coffee morning was cancelled by the school nursing team, however they have rescheduled and the coffee morning will now be on **Tuesday 11th July 9.15 – 10.30am**. The focus of the informal session will be about transition and anxiety. The school nursing team hope to see you there!

Sports day

We will be holding our annual Sports Day on **Monday 17th of July 9.30 – 12.00**. Parents are very welcome to come and join us. The event will begin with every child competing for their house in a large rotation of different sporting events and then we will finish with the traditional sprints, relays and long distance events. All parents are welcome to stay for a whole school picnic lunch on our field, after the trophy is awarded to the winning house.

Sports Day Lunch (Whole School) and Leavers Lunch (Year 6 only)

We have recently sent slips home for the above. If you have not received this your child can collect another slip or please send in a note with their choice.

Sports Day Lunch – 17th July 2017

Hot Picnic Option - Pizza, Salad, Drink & Muffin

Cold Picnic Option – Ham, Salad, Drink & Muffin

These are the only choices available for the day. Please order by Weds 12th July.



Leavers Lunch – 20th July 2017 – Year 6 only

Meatball Sub, Salad, Drink & Ice cream or Cheese & Tomato Sub, Salad, Drink & Ice cream

The usual lunch options will still be available on that day. If you wish to order please do so by the 18th July 2017.

If your child is entitled to Free School Meals and they would like this meal, you will still need to complete the form and return it.

School Lunches

Just a reminder to keep an eye on your child's lunch account balance please as it needs to be in credit so your child can access lunches and snacks etc. We do send out emails as reminders but you can also set up reminders yourselves via text or email.

Ideas for the Summer Holidays

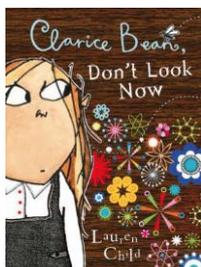
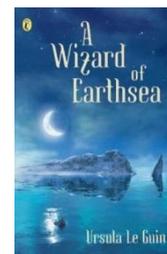


We have made a useful guide to give you some ideas on how to keep your children amused over the summer holidays. Some ideas about: what to do, recipes to cook, games to play, where to go, information about local holiday play schemes and a list of useful websites with other ideas. You can find it on our website under the News & Events tab. We hope you'll find this useful. ☺

This Week's Recommended Books

A Wizard of Earthsea, by Ursula K Le Guin (recommended for Upper School)

The island of Gont is a land famous for wizards. Of these, some say the greatest - and surely the greatest voyager - is the man called Sparrowhawk. As a reckless, awkward boy, he discovered the great power that was in him - with terrifying consequences. Tempted by pride to try spells beyond his means, Sparrowhawk lets loose an evil shadow-beast in his land. Only he can destroy it, and the quest leads him to the farthest corner of Earthsea.



Clarice Bean, Don't Look Now, by Lauren Child (recommend for all)

It's the worry you hadn't even thought to worry about that should worry you the most. At least that's how it looks to Clarice Bean, who has been writing her worries in a notebook - things like Worry no. 1: infinity, or Worry no. 3: change. And now that her worst never-imagined worry has happened - her utterly best friend is moving away forever - Clarice doesn't even care about her tickets to the Ruby Redfort, girl detective, film premiere. That is, unless something happens to change things again . . .

E-Safety Update - Snapchat

We just wanted to make you aware that Snapchat have recently released an update to their app. Snap Map lets users share their exact location with people on their "friends" list in real time. Users can choose to turn on 'Ghost' mode, however this is turned off as a default setting. Ce-op has released a detailed advice document for parents covering this new update, a link to which can be found on our Website under Parents/eSafety or by [clicking here](#).



Twitter Grows by Nearly 10% in a Week!



We have welcomed over 40 new Followers to our Twitter site. Some of these are new Year 2 parents and some are Year 6 parents who have been receiving regular daily Tweets with photos of the children in Shropshire – our Year 6 residential visit to Ironbridge. If you don't have Twitter, you can still pick up our Tweets from our website, but the best way is to become one of our Followers. If you'd like a demo, just pop into school and we'll show you what it's all about! ☺ **Twitter: @HerneJunior**

Team Brea Thank You

Once again, many thanks to all of the children and parents who supported our sweet sale last week and raised another £40 towards Brea's treatment in the USA. We still have several pots left to sell, so if you'd like a pot of sweets (£1 each), just pop along to Mr Markham's office and he will sell them to you and pass the money on.

Friends of Herne News – Summer Fair is Coming!

Our annual Summer Fair takes place this year on Tuesday 18th July from 3.30pm.

As a reminder, we are going to have a **Mufti Day on Thursday 13th July** when the children can come in their own clothes for a donation to our fair. Please bring in:



Year 3 and 6 to bring in a prize for the children's tombola

Year 4 and 5 to bring in a bottle for the adult's tombola

We are also looking for jam jars full of sweets

Helpers Needed: We are still looking for parent helpers to support this year's fair. There is a sign-up form in the office or you can text Naomi Dodd on 07877128188.

Cakes: We are looking for lovely families to get baking and bring in a cake for the morning of the fair (18th July)

Raffle Tickets: If people would like another book (or more) of raffle tickets please either get in touch with Naomi Dodd naomi.dodd@hotmail.co.uk or contact the school office.

Staff V Parents Football: Thank you to all of the parents who came to the first training session yesterday. Our next one is next Thursday at the school. We hear the staff will be practising next Wednesday lunchtime against the Girls' Hampshire Champions Football team...good luck to the staff – this rabble will need some sort of support!

The main adult match will be held at The Summer Fair. Kick-off at 5.30pm.

Diary Summer Term July 2017

July 2017		July 2017	
Mon 10 th	Year 4 Design Technology Week	Tue 18 th	9.30 – 10.45 Y6 Swimming Gala 3.30 Summer Fair (FoH)
Tue 11 th	9.15 Coffee Morning with School Nursing Team: 'Anxiety & Transition' 2.30 Year 5 SHOWCASE to Parents in Hall	Wed 19 th	(Herne Reserve Sports Day)
Thu 13 th	MUFTI DAY for Summer Fair 6.00 – 8.00 Y6 Barn Dance	Thu 20 th	7 – 9pm Y6 Leavers' Assembly at Churcher's College
Fri 14 th	Transition Day – Y2 to Herne & Y6 to TPS Y4 Camp Overnight	Fri 21 st	END OF TERM – Finish at 12.30
Mon 17 th	9.30 HERNE SPORTS DAY Finishes approx. 12.00 then picnic open to parents, staff & children		

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



Homes for
Hampshire Children
0300 5551384

 Hampshire
County Council

hants.gov.uk/adoptionandfostering
@HantsChildren hampshirechildren

Parents' and Carers' Views of Our School

July 2017



We would welcome your views about our school.

Please read each statement and tick the answer that best fits your view. If you have more than one child in school, please fill in a separate questionnaire for each, if your views on things differ from child to child. Your answers are confidential to the Leadership Team, but a summary of parents' views as a whole will be shared with all parents later this term.

Please give the age of the child to whom these views refer:

yrs

	<i>Please tick</i>	<i>Strongly agree</i>	<i>Agree</i>	<i>Disagree</i>	<i>Strongly disagree</i>	<i>Don't know</i>
1	My child enjoys school.					
2	My child is making good progress.					
3	Children behave well.					
4	Any bullying issues in school are dealt with promptly and effectively.					
5	Teaching is good.					
6	My child wants to learn.					
7	I am kept well informed about how my child is getting on.					
8	I feel comfortable about approaching the office with questions or a problem or complaint.					
9	I feel comfortable about approaching my child's teacher with questions or a problem or complaint.					
10	I feel comfortable about approaching the headteacher or deputy head with questions or a problem or complaint.					
11	Staff expect my child to work hard and do his or her best.					
12	The school is led and managed well.					
13	I understand the role Governors carry out for the school.					
14	Adults in school treat my child fairly.					
15	The school seeks the views of parents and takes account of their suggestions & concerns.					
16	I am confident about helping my child with his or her learning at home.					
17	My child is encouraged by staff to become mature and independent.					
18	There is a good range of activities in lessons that my child finds interesting & enjoyable.					
19	There is a good range of extra-curriculum activities/clubs outside of school hours.					
20	The outside environment of the school is good.					
21	Provision for trips and visits is good.					
22	The arrangements for my child to settle in when he or she started at the school were good.					
23	Do you have access to the Internet at home?	YES			NO	

If you wish to add any further comments, please use the back of this questionnaire or write separately to Mr Markham or Mr Castle. Thank you for your views.

Please return this form to the school by Friday July 14th 2017.
Thank you.