



# Herne Bay Infant School

# NEWS

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DATE: 24 March 2017

<p><b>Monday 27 March</b>      Year 2 sharing stories with other classes 1.15pm Year 1 Spring Walk Herne Bay Memorial Park</p> <p><b>Tuesday 28 March</b>      Year 2 Cinema Trip PTA – Year 2 Disco</p> <p><b>Wednesday 29 March</b>      Year 1 Space Finisher</p> <p><b>Thursday 30 March</b>      Year 1 and 2 ‘Parent Look’ 8.40am-9.00am and 3.00pm-3.20pm Year R Easter Bonnet parade for parents at 9.15am</p> <p><b>Friday 31 March</b>      <b>END OF TERM 4</b> Year R Sponsored Bunny Hop at 9.am Year 1 Easter Bonnet parade for parents at 9.00am Year 2 Easter Bonnet parade for parents at 10am Nursery Family Session morning only – no lunch club School closing at 1.15pm</p>	<p><b>AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS</b></p> <p><b>Tuesday</b>      – Basketball Art</p> <p><b>Wednesday</b>      – Dance Clay Work Yoga and Mindfulness</p>
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### Class of the Week

This week our ‘Class of the Week’ is Bee Class for being fantastic authors and illustrators of their ‘Dazzle day’ books.



### Stars of the Week

Each week the class teacher will award the ‘Star of the Week’ based upon pupils demonstrating examples of our school values. This week’s Stars are:-

Class	Name	Value	Reason
Parrot	Lucas	Responsibility	For being a super table leader
Monkey	Toby	Learning	For applying his learning to other areas of the curriculum
Tiger	Jackson	Learning	For showing great enthusiasm in creating his alien.
Zebra	Mylo	Learning	For trying hard at the ‘Now try this’ problems
Bee	Seth	Learning	For challenging himself in his writing
Butterfly	Louis	Learning	For a great attitude towards his learning
Dragonfly	Max	Perseverance	With his spellings
Ladybird	Blermond	Learning	For using suffixes in his writing

## Lunchtime Award

These are awarded to children by the lunchtime supervisors for keeping the school values whilst eating.

This week's awards go to Brooklyn M from Tiger Class for lovely manners nominated by Mrs Glover; Jessica from Ladybird Class for good eating ; nominated by Mrs Swain and Morgan-Rose from Zebra Class for good eating ; nominated by Mrs Wilds.



## Year 1 phonics

We hope you enjoyed the Year 1 phonics open morning, this week. If you missed it, or would like more information, please take a look at our website.

<http://www.herne-bay.kent.sch.uk/phonics/>

## Parent Lunches

It was wonderful again to see parents sharing a delicious roast dinner with their children on Wednesday! Due to the success we have decided to run it again during Term 5. If you would like to join your child for lunch please sign up with the office. The dates for next term are 26<sup>th</sup> April 2017, 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2017, 10<sup>th</sup> May 2017 and 17<sup>th</sup> May 2017. It's only £1, numbers are limited (**hot lunch children only**) and only one parent per class per week can be catered for. The timings are as follows:

Year R Starfish and Seahorse: 12pm	Dolphin and Octopus: 12.30pm	
Year 1 Monkeys and Tigers: 12pm	Parrot: 12.10pm	Zebra 12.20pm
Year 2 Butterfly: 12.20pm	Bee: 12.30pm	Ladybird: 12.35pm
		Dragonfly: 12.40pm

## Class Photographs

The class photographs have now arrived. Please note that we will need orders handed into the school office by Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March.

## Vacancies

We currently have vacancies for two Midday Supervisors which can be found on [www.kent-teach.com](http://www.kent-teach.com) . The job reference is KCC886-2263-147S. We are also looking for casual relief MDS too.

Closing date is 30th March – interview dates to be confirmed.

## Bikes

We have had a report that a bike has gone missing from the school premises. Please note these are left on site at owners own risk. For extra security it may be worth bringing in a lock should you wish to keep bikes and scooters at school during the day.

## Easter Bonnet Parade

On Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March, Year R will be having their Easter bonnet parade for parents at 9.15am. Then on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March Year 1 will be having their Parade at 9.00am (please note this is a revised time as was originally planned for 9.15am) followed by Year 2 at 10am.



### **Easter Egg Colouring Competition**

Don't forget that children will be able to enter a competition to design their own Easter egg. The cost to enter will be £1 and there will be a prize for each year group including one for Nursery. A blank template will be put into Book bags, so please keep an eye out. The closing date will be Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March.



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### **PTA Quiz Night**

The PTA quiz night will be held on 20th May 2017, costing £6.50 per person including supper (possibly a plough mans or fish and chips!).

### **Staff**

We welcome back to school this week Ellie Warner who will be doing a mixture of cover for subject leaders and interventions across the school for the remainder of this academic year.

### **Sainsbury's Vouchers**



Just a reminder that we now have a collection box for the Sainsbury's Activity Vouchers in reception if you would like to donate to the school. Many thanks for your generosity.

### **Office Hours**

Just a reminder that the School Office is open from 8.30am until 3.30pm and parents should make arrangements to pick up their children by 3.10pm each day. With regards to after school clubs, please be aware that any messages left after 3.30pm on the answerphone won't be picked up until the following day.

### **Last Day of Term**

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March is the last day of term. **School finishes at 1.15pm on this day**, and we look forward to welcoming you back on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April.