



# Herne Bay Infant School

## NEWSLETTER



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

6<sup>th</sup> September 2019

### WELCOME TO THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR

We hope you have all enjoyed the lovely summer holidays and are ready to start the new school year eager and excited for all the fun activities and events we have in store. We welcome all our new parents to the school. Please do not hesitate to contact the school office should you need any information or guidance. Make sure you get your copy of this newsletter which will be emailed out each Friday and will be available on the school website.

We often send out text messages with reminders or items of importance. These may be for the whole school or class based, so keep your contact details up-to-date.

### Dates to Remember:

- ◆ Tue 17<sup>th</sup> Sept: Year 1 Reading Afternoon—2:45pm
- ◆ Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Sept: Year 2 Reading Afternoon—2:45pm
- ◆ Thu 19<sup>th</sup> Sept: Year R/Nursery Reading Afternoon—2:45pm
- ◆ Tue 24<sup>th</sup> Sept: Year R Curriculum Meeting—2pm and 7pm
- ◆ Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Sept: MacMillan Cancer Coffee Morning
- ◆ Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct: Year R Fine Motor Skills Stay and Play—2:30pm
- ◆ Fri 4<sup>th</sup> Oct: Year 1 Autumn Walk to Park: 1:15 and 1:45pm

***Keep checking this list as new events are added and some dates may change.***

### Reading Records

You will soon receive a reading record in book bags. Please take this opportunity to record books your child reads to you, with some comments and reviews (if possible). You can also record the details of the book that you have shared or that someone has read to the child. Thanks for all your support in helping our children continue to develop their love of reading.

### Celebrating Achievements

We would like to know and celebrate your child's achievements and interests outside of school. It could be a sporting achievement, starting a new club, learning a new skill or a hobby.

Please send in any certificates, photos and such like to your child's class and we will proudly display them on our board in the corridor.

### Summer Reading Challenge

Well done to all the children who took part in the Summer Reading Challenge at the Library. Herne Bay Infant School are currently in 6<sup>th</sup> place on the leader board.

There is still time to read and borrow books, earn stickers and other rewards as it runs until Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September.



Please make sure all your children's uniform and P.E. kit is named. We have already had a number of jumpers and cardigans found and we would like to give these back to their rightful owners. Any unnamed items will be added to our lost property box and at the end of term they will be given to our PTA to add to their stock of pre-loved items.





# NEWS



Aldi supermarket has launched a new campaign to help schools—and we are taking advantage of this! From September to November, families who shop in Aldi stores can receive Team GB stickers to send into school with their children. These stickers will be added to a poster which will be displayed in school. For every £30 you spend, you will get a sticker. When we collect 300 stickers (and complete our poster) the school will receive an exclusive sports kit and we could win one of twenty £20,000 prizes!

Please encourage all family members to shop at Aldi and collect as many stickers as possible.

If you would like more information about this campaign you can visit the website at this link:

<https://www.aldi.co.uk/kitforschools>

Let's get shopping!



## WELCOME

We would like to say a huge welcome to our newest member of the Herne Bay Infant School team.

Mr Daniel Gingell has joined us in Dragonfly class. I'm sure all Dragonfly parents and everyone else will get to know him over the next few terms.

Welcome Mr G!

## Curriculum Newsletters

Today we have sent home via email copies of Year 1 and Year 2 Curriculum Newsletters. This is an opportunity for you to find out more about what your child is learning.

We hope you will find these useful.

## New Entrances and Exits Map

