

HARTSBOURNE NEWSLETTER

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31st March 2023

Fabulous Gymnasts

We are so proud of our fantastic gymnasts this week. Two teams from Year 1 & Year 3 went to Queens School to compete in an inter schools competition. They worked incredibly hard to learn the routines, practicing both at home and in school. The hard work was rewarded by Year 1 coming 2nd place and Year 3 taking the Gold! Thank you to Miss Picton-Block and Mr Harper for working with them.



Note from Mrs Harte

It is hard to believe that we are at the end of another school term. We have been so busy at Hartsbourne and have had a great Spring Term with your children. Summer is fast approaching and with it hopefully some brighter weather. We have lots to look forward to including Hartsbourne's Got Talent, Sports week and our Coronation celebrations. We will be hitting the ground running as soon as we get back with our space themed Science week and mobile planetarium. This has been very kindly funded by The Friends of Hartsbourne. A big thank you to them for all of the work that they do to allow us to provide these fantastic experiences for your children.

This term we have been missing Mrs Lourenco. She has been unwell and will be away from school for a little while. Our whole team send her our love and we look forward to seeing her soon. In her absence, we have welcomed Mr Smurthwaite to our team. Mr Smurthwaite has been working with Year 1 and supporting KS2 at lunchtime. We are very happy to have him at Hartsbourne and I am sure you will join me in welcoming him.

All that remains is for me to wish everyone a Happy Easter, Happy Passover and Ramadan Mubarak to those who are celebrating. Have a fantastic break and we look forward to seeing everyone back after the holiday.

Best wishes,
Mrs Harte and the team at Hartsbourne

Hartsbourne's Got Talent

The ever popular Hartsbourne's Got Talent is back! After Easter, Mrs Patel will be arranging auditions and putting together the show to be performed before May half term. Please let your children know in case they would like to practise any of their fabulous talents over the school holiday.

Lunchtime Reminder

Please can I remind all parents that we are a nut free school. We have been finding sandwiches in packed lunches that contain peanut butter or Nutella. This poses a huge risk to our children with nut allergies so please ensure that they are not being included in lunchboxes.

Year 5 Puppet Project

Our Year 5 children have come to the end of their 7 month long Puppet Project. It ended with an incredible performance for their parents and carers. We were so proud of them. They have made the puppets, built the stage, ran the lighting and music and performed beautifully. If anyone would like to watch the performance it will be You Tube from 6pm tonight. You can find it here <https://youtu.be/pAnmNfqZwg> I would like to say thank you to Mrs Suji, Mr Stevenson, Mrs Mushtaq and the team at the Young People's Puppet Theatre Company for their hard work with the children. YPPT also offer summer camps for children between 8-12, if you are interested in this then you can find the details here: <https://www.yppt.org.uk/summercamp.html>

New Library Opening Hours

After Easter, we will be opening the library every Tuesday and Thursday morning from 8:30am-8:50am. Children will be able to come to the library accompanied by an adult and change their library books.

We are very proud of Taylor & Callum!

Taylor passed her first singing exam with a distinction - 93%. Callum played in a badminton tournament with children in Year 7 and won 2 out of 4 matches! Well done to both of you!



Congratulations Taylor!
Grade 1: DISTINCTION!





Friends of Hartsbourne 2022 – 2023 Events

SAVE THE DATE

Please pop these dates
in your diary now.

Your support is greatly
appreciated.

Friday 24th March – Smarties Challenge given out

Monday 17th April – Smarties tubes to be returned

Friday 21st April – Spring Trail - Please note change of date

Friday 26th May – Sponsored Event

Friday 16th June – Bring a Bottle No Uniform Day

Saturday 17th June – Summer Fair

***** PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE *****

Friday 7th July – Make the Rules Day

New Volunteers Needed – Please email
friendsofhartsbourne@gmail.com or speak to your class rep



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Member Association

Reading Maps

Well done to the following children who have completed their reading maps.

Reception - Bianca

Year 1 - Matti

Year 2 - Maliha

Year 3 - Camile, Ehra & Levi

Year 4 - Asiya

Vending Machine Tokens

A huge well done to the following children for earning their vending machine tokens.

Year 2 - Lily

Year 3 - Alfie

Year 5 - Dakota, Darcy and Freddie

Headteacher Bands

Ruby in Year 3 for consistently trying hard with all of her work over the past term.

ADD-Vance

Our first half term summer programme of 6-week courses and full summer programme of online workshops funded by Hertfordshire County Council is now open for booking. We are also running our weekly online support groups as well as two further workshops with Julie Every to support communication with your child when talking is too much.

For more information and bookings for all of our courses, workshops and support groups, please see eventbrite. Flyers are attached.

Best wishes

The ADD-vance Team

Friday 31st March 2023 – Ruby: supports other people with friendly smiles, gives praise and helps others to solve problems.



Year 1 – Ivy always supports her friends with a friendly smile and Emily always wants to support her friends to solve problems.

Year 2 – James always supports his peers when they need it, offering a smile and a hug. Malachy encourages and praises others when they need to solve problems.

Year 3 – Darcie and Ruby are always smiley members of Year 3, and never fail to support their friends whenever the opportunity presents itself.

Year 4 – Belle is always smiling and laughing and quick to praise others' efforts, and Hudson encourages and supports

Year 5 – Every one in Year 5! You have worked so well together as a team, and created a wonderful show. You have all been beyond fantastic!

Year 6 – The whole of Year 6 have shown support to others on their activities at PGL this week giving praise and solving problems together.



FREE ONLINE SUMMER 2023 WORKSHOPS FOR HERTS PARENTS/CARERS

Online Workshops funded by HCC	Audience	Day	Date	Time
Diagnosing ADHD and/or Autism	Parents/carers	Tue	25.4.23	10:00 - 11:30
Understanding ADHD	Parents/carers	Wed	26.4.23	19:00 - 20:30
Understanding PDA	Parents/carers	Tue	2.5.23	10:00 - 11:30
Understanding ADHD in Girls	Parents/carers	Wed	3.5.23	10:00 - 11:30
Support for Dads	Parents/carers	Mon	8.5.23	19:00 - 20:30
Understanding Autism	Parents/carers	Wed	10.5.23	19:00 - 20:30
Understanding Challenging Behaviour	Parents/carers	Tue	16.5.23	10:00 - 11:30
Tips & Tools to Manage Anger	Parents/carers	Wed	17.5.23	10:00 - 11:30
Tips & Tools to Manage Everyday Change	Parents/carers	Tue	23.5.23	10:00 - 11:30
Half Term				
Supporting Transition into Primary School	Parents/carers	Tue	6.6.23	10:00 - 11:30
Supporting Transition into Secondary School	Parents/carers	Wed	7.6.23	19:00 - 20:30
Understanding Sensory Differences	Parents/carers	Tue	13.6.23	10:00 - 11:30
Tips & Tools to Manage Sensory Differences	Parents/carers	Wed	14.6.23	10:00 - 11:30
Supporting Siblings	Parents/carers	Tue	20.6.23	10:00 - 11:30
Understanding Neurodiverse Teens	Parents/carers	Wed	21.6.23	19:00 - 20:30
Tips & Tools to Support Puberty	Parents/carers	Thu	22.6.23	10:00 - 11:30
Understanding Anxiety	Parents/carers	Tue	27.6.23	10:00 - 11:30
Tips & Tools to Manage Anxiety	Parents/carers	Wed	28.6.23	10:00 - 11:30
Communication Workshop	Audience	Day	Date	Time
Communicating with your child when talking is too much	Parents/Carers	Wed	19.4.23	10:00 - 11:30
Communicating with your child when talking is too much	Parents/Carers	Wed	14.6.23	10:00 - 11:30

"What a fantastic workshop - thank you so much! I've taken away a wealth of information"

"That was so amazing, I have done many training sessions about ASD through my work but that was the most honest & informative session I have ever had"

"Absolutely incredible workshop, it has been extremely beneficial to my child"

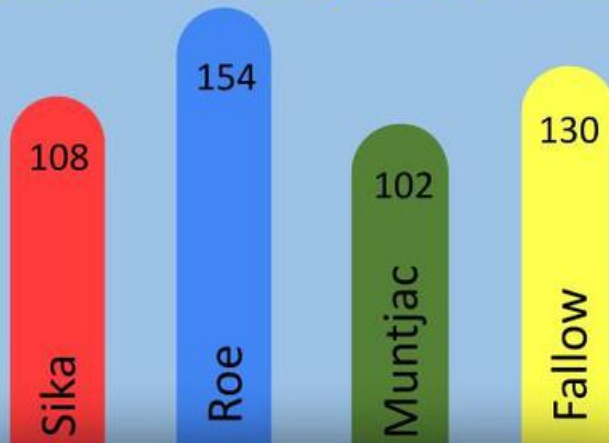
HCC Funded Workshops - Recordings are sent to all registered participants to view for 7 days, even if you don't attend live.

Communication Workshop - the 2nd half of this workshop will be recorded and sent to all those that ATTEND on the day.

Summer Term Key Dates

Event	Date
Year 6 Easter Boosters	Monday 3rd – Wednesday 5 April Tuesday 11th – Wednesday 12th April
Science Week – Mobile Planetarium	Monday 17th April
Year 5 Science Museum Trip	Tuesday 18th April
Year 1 Tennis Enrichment Day	Wednesday 19th April
Friends of Hartsbourne Spring trail	Friday 21st April
TCS Mini London Marathon	Saturday 22nd April
Year 2 Tennis Enrichment Day	Monday 24th April
Year 4 Lacrosse Enrichment Day	Tuesday 25th April
Reception Reverley Lodge Trip	Tuesday 25th April
Bird Watching Assembly and Bird Spotting Workshops	Thursday 27th April
Herts Gala Concert – Royal Albert Hall	Sunday 30th April
Coronation Celebration	Friday 5th May
Kings Coronation Bank Holiday	Monday 8th May
Year 6 SATS Week	W/B Tuesday 9th May
Class Photographs	Tuesday 16th May
Whole School Skipping Workshop	Monday 22nd May
Bushey Meads Geography Project – Year 2	Tuesday 23rd May
Year 5 & 6 KNEX Challenge	Thursday 25th May
Friend of Hartsbourne Sponsored Event	Friday 26th May
Hartsbourne's Got Talent	Friday 26th May
End of Half Term	Friday 26th May

Housepoints – Friday 31st March 2023



Roe wins!

This week, Clive the Carrot is awarded to...

Year 5!

