



# School Notices

Welcome to this week's School Notices. As a school we try to support the busy lives of our families by consolidating communication to one weekly newsletter, and these are posted to the school website each Friday as an easy point of reference.

In addition to this don't forget about our FAQ page on the school website.

Our aim is to provide the answers to your questions when you think of them, as apposed to you be being restricted by school hours, so please let us know if you there's anything you would find helpful so we can add it in



<https://hartsbourne.org.uk/parent-hub/>

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# Dates For Your Diary

Date	Event
Monday 14th October	Individual School Photographs
Wednesday 16th October	Year 1 Toy Workshop
Wednesday 23rd October	Nursery Birthday Party for Hamish the Dog
Thursday 24th October	Friends of Hartsbourne Spooky Hair Day
Friday 25th October	Harvest Assembly 2:30pm
Friday 25th October	End of Term
Monday 4th November	INSET Day
Tuesday 5th November	Start of Autumn 2
Tuesday 5th November	Flu Vaccine - All Years
Wednesday 6th November	Reception -Year 2 Theatre Trip
Friday 8th November	Friends of Hartsbourne Cake Sale
Tuesday 12th November	School Nursing Team - Heights and Weights Year 6
Tuesday 12th November	Parents Evening Early
Thursday 14th November	Parents Evening Late
Thursday 14th November	Year 2 Speed Stacking at Bushey and Oxhey Infants



# **School Photos!**

## **Monday 14th October**



**This is just a quick reminder that Carmel Jane will be in school on Monday morning to take individual and sibling school photos.**

**All Parents are requested to pre-register to enable access to your child's photographs. Pre-registration is required for every photo shoot.**

**Registration only takes a minute. Please visit [www.carmeljaneshop.co.uk](http://www.carmeljaneshop.co.uk) and enter the following code:**

**JRTBA3DNGF**

**You will then be asked to pre-register with your child's full school register name.**

**If your child has P.E on Monday, and you would like them to be photographed in their school uniform, then please feel free to send them in with their P.E kit in a separate bag so they can change into it for their lesson.**

# Your Favourite Meals

We're updating one of the display boards in the dining room and have chosen the theme of 'Your Favourite Meals'.

We would love to fill it with photos of our children and their families enjoying meals together, images of their favourite foods, and some traditional family recipes.

It doesn't have to be a special meal, and it would be great if we could include a mixture of everyday dinners as well as some bigger family occasions.

The photos will only be used within the school and so if you have any to share or any special recipes that mean something to your children, then please email them in to [parents@hartsbourne.org.uk](mailto:parents@hartsbourne.org.uk)



**Friday 11th October 2024 – Sapphire: working collaboratively, listening to others and accepting challenges or changes to our ideas.**



Year 1 – Albie works well with all partners and works really hard and Victoria listens to others and accepts changes to her ideas.

Year 2 – Sophia works well with a range of peers and always listens to others, Emilia is a good learning partner, who takes on board challenges to her ideas.

Year 3 – Jamie, Callum and Maddison worked together brilliantly in English this week to write some lovely sentences with various conjunctions.

Year 4 – Well done to all of Year 4 for their brilliant teamwork, whether at Moat Mount or back at base with Miss Bladon!

Year 5 – Gabriella and Ruby have both been working extremely hard in maths this week and working collaboratively to challenge themselves.

Year 6 – Albie has worked collaboratively with a range of partners this week showing excellent communication and Shiri listens to her partners attentively and accepts challenges to her ideas.

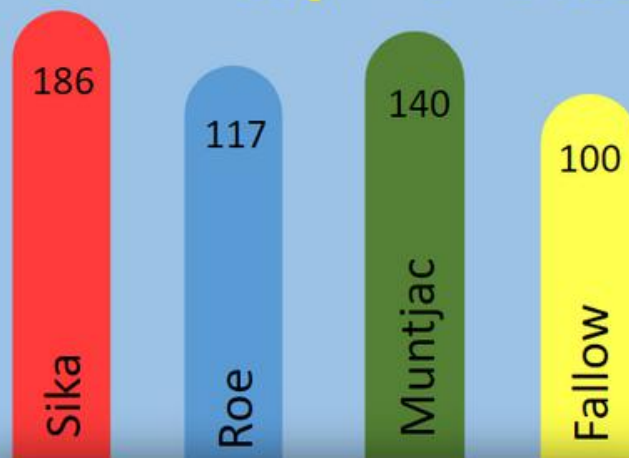
**This week Clive the Carrot is awarded to...**



**Year 6!**



## Housepoints – Friday 11th October 2024



**Sika wins!**



# Class Specific Messages



## **Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 - The Gruffalo**

On the 6th November Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will be travelling to the Radlett Centre to watch The Gruffalo. They should wear their usual school uniform and will be back in time for lunch, so there's no need to do anything special that day. To cover the cost of this trip we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £19.00 which is payable either via Arbor, or by handing cash into the school office by the 28th October.

We would love to have a few parent volunteers join us on this trip. If you would like to add your name to the list then please complete this form.

<https://forms.gle/pTHw7DnqJRwWRe788>

Names will be drawn out of the hat, with priority given to parents who have not yet been on a trip in the current school year.

## **Nursery - Hamish's Birthday**

Nursery are having a very special party for Hamish the dog on Wednesday 23rd October. Hamish will be celebrating his 4th Birthday! Children may come to nursery in their own clothes, we will have some party games, birthday cake and some extra treats for snack.

Some of you may be aware that at Hartsbourne we have Beau, a lovely therapy dog who works with children across the school. I would like to invite Beau to Nursery for a quick hello as part of Hamish's celebrations. Children would get to see Beau during a short visit to Nursery and depending on the excitement levels in the class, may get to stroke her should children wish to do so.

Beau is 4 years old and lives with Mrs Patel who also works at school. Beau works as a therapy dog both in the school and at Watford General Hospital in Children's A&E. Mrs Patel says Beau is very friendly and loves to play with her daddy!

If you have any concerns or do not wish your child to take part in this part of the day ( I know some children may be scared of dogs) please let me know and do catch me at the door if you have any questions.

regards,  
Mrs Bain

