

Hartsbourne Herald



Hartsbourne Primary School
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ACHIEVEMENT BOOK: Emerald - works well on a 1:1 basis with a range of different learning partners.

Year 1: Oliver has been showing great team work skills with his learning partner and group. Amaury has been working really hard on sharing his ideas with a learning partner.

Year 2: Rayhan patiently listens to her learning partner and Ori is very accepting of different ideas from his peers.

Year 3: Both Amelia and James have shown they are able to work consistently well with any of their peers. Well done to you both. .

Year 4: Dillon shares his ideas and listens to his peers. Dylan is a supportive learning partner and contributes well.

Year 5: Bimi has been working well all week, and has made fantastic strides in his reading. Sadie has been extremely focused all week and has worked well with her learning partner.

Year 6: Well done to Richa and Jack for demonstrating their ability to work with a variety of different learning partners this week!

I am starting my first Hartsbourne newsletter with a huge thank you to all of the children, parents and staff that have made me feel so welcome in my first week. Hartsbourne is an incredibly friendly school and I feel very privileged to be able to work with the children and the team here. As time goes by, I hope that you will get to know what I am passionate about with regards to education. I am a huge advocate for reading for pleasure and high quality children's literature, I hope to be able to share some of this with the children. We will be trying some new things to build on the excellent work that Mrs Hudson has done here at Hartsbourne.

The children at Hartsbourne are proud of their school so I will be handing over one of the newsletters to them each month. Keep an eye out next Friday to read their first edition.

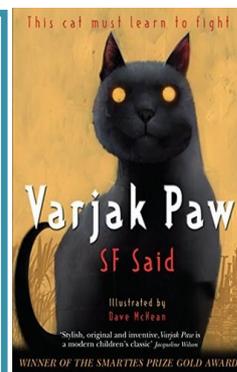
As well as getting to know the school, I have been learning more about the Bushey St James Trust and visited Little Reddings this week to meet with the other Headteachers within the trust. I was so impressed with the facilities and atmosphere at Little Reddings particularly the Early Years area. If you are looking for a nursery for your younger children, I would urge you to go and have a look around. We have attached one of their flyers to this newsletter.

Next week I am looking forward to meeting with some representatives from Friends of Hartsbourne to see how we can work together to support the school and enhance the curriculum for your children. Please see their letter on the next page. We also have some staffing changes and are welcoming Mrs Angelo to our team next week. She will be teaching children across the school.

Finally I would like to wish a happy Ramadan to our families and staff who are celebrating. Have a lovely weekend and I look forward to seeing all of the children back at school next week.

Mrs Harte and the team at Hartsbourne.

This week I am reading *Varjack Paw* by S. F. Said. It is a fantastic book with dark illustrations aimed at Years 2-4 and is full of adventure and mystery.



| EVENT | DATE |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Statutory training for Head | 20/21.4.21 |
| World Earth Day | 22.4.21 |
| Y5 Maths challenge Online version! | 22.4.21 |
| HALF TERM | 31.5.21-4.6.21 |
| Sports Activity Day TBC | 22.6.21 |
| Travelling Book Fair | 25.6.21 |
| Y6 to BMS (TBC) | 28.6.21 |
| New Reception Parents | 2.7.21 |
| Reports go home | 9.7.21 |
| Y6 Show (TBC) | 19.7.21 |
| END OF TERM 2.00PM | 21.7.21 |

Housepoints

Congratulations Roe, the winning house this week!

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| Fallow | 124 |
| Muntjac | 123 |
| Roe | 150 |
| Sika | 127 |

Message From FoH

It's lovely to see everyone back! We hope you had a good break.

We just wanted to say a big thank you for all your generous donations for the 'Make the Rules Day' at the end of last term which we hope the children enjoyed. We made a fantastic profit of £264.90. This along with your kind donations of £880 on our Go Fund Me page will be going towards new computers. Our Go Fund Me page is still active for anyone who would like to make a donation :-

<https://uk.gofundme.com/f/laptops-for-hartsbourne?qid=37a9870ce8f10cb0efc12dad25f6edc8>

We will soon be looking at what activities / events FoH can do this term (dependent on covid restrictions of course). As always, please feel free to email any suggestions/ ideas to friendsofhartsbourne@gmail.com

We would love to welcome new members to the FoH committee, especially from lower down the school as several members of the committee will be leaving the school in the next year or 2. We will shortly be sending out some more information about FoH but if you are interested, please feel free to email us (friendsofhartsbourne@gmail.com).

With best wishes,

Georgina and Lisa

On behalf of Friends of Hartsbourne

Clubs at Hartsbourne

Our summer term clubs are starting. Please see the timetable and contact the school office if you would like more information.

| Day | Club | Year Group |
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| Monday | Art Explosion | 1-6 |
| | Football | 5 & 6 |
| Tuesday | Candace Conway Musical Theatre | 1-6 |
| | Netball | 6 |
| Wednesday | Starmaker Ballet | R—4 |
| Thursday | Candace Conway Hip Hop Dance | 1—6 |

CAMHS Critical Assessment and Treatment Team regarding information for all families and young people to contact the helpline when in mental health crisis instead of attending A&E.

If you're child or young person in a mental health crisis:

The NHS and our local hospitals are really busy at the moment, so if you're experiencing a mental health crisis, *the quickest way to get help at any time of the day or night is to call our freephone number: 0800 6444 101, or call NHS 111 and select option 2 for mental health services.*

In the case of **serious illness or injury, dial 999** for emergency services

If you are already using our services

If you are already receiving support from us and need help please contact: Your care co-ordinator on the number provided to you or if you need help in the evening, weekend or bank holiday call **0800 6444 101**.

Email: hpft.spa@nhs.net for non-urgent enquiries and a range of self-help information.

Live webchat service

If you'd prefer to speak online, click on the SPA red button. This service is available Monday-Friday, 7am-7pm.

Alternative Contacts

Samaritans Tel: 116 123, 24 hours a day, every day

Childline Tel: 0800 1111 via 1-2-1 chat between **7.30am and 3.30am every day**.

HOPELINEUK (papyrus): Tel: 0800 0684141 Text: 07786209697 Email: pat@papyrus-uk.org, 10am-10pm weekdays, 2pm-10pm weekends and bank holidays.

Most referrals to our services are made by GPs

If you are experiencing mental health problems and need help please speak to your GP (family doctor). They will discuss the issues you are facing and refer you to our services, if appropriate. To register with a GP in your area go

If your child tests positive for coronavirus (COVID-19) please notify us as soon as possible so we can complete the relevant tracking and tracing process with public health, if required, and notify any other children or staff who have been close contacts and who need to self-isolate.

During the holidays you should contact parents@hartsbourne.org.uk.

Remember as soon as your child or any member of your household develops symptoms, they must start self-isolating immediately and book a test. The main symptoms of coronavirus are:

- A high temperature
- A new, continuous cough – this means coughing a lot, for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours
- Loss or change to sense of smell or taste – this means they cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal

If you're not sure whether symptoms suggest COVID-19 or an everyday cough or cold, you can consult this online NHS symptom checker: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus->