HEYTESBURY CE PRIMARY SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER
23rd June 2017

Hopefully we have all survived the extreme temperatures this week. The pupils demonstrated great resilience and determination on Sports Day and they can all be proud of their performances. Who could have predicted that after 35 events that the scores were even between Knook and Imber. Congratulations to both these Houses. It was lovely to see pupils cheering for each other in a competitive yet friendly way. Mr Branscombe took some fantastic photos of the day and these are displayed in the foyer. Please see Mrs Eagle in the office if you would like a copy of them. Thank you to everyone that came to watch and donated to the HSPA through buying a cream tea or ice cream. Over £200 was raised on the day and will go towards buying resources for the children in school.

There is an HSPA meeting on the 11th July where they will be discussing the Christmas Fair. This requires a lot of organising so please come along to the meeting and support this event. There is a disco on the 14th July from 5.50 – 7.30pm at a cost of £2 which includes a hot dog and drink. Can you please ensure the children do not bring phones or any other electronic device to this so that they enter into the spirit of the event.

On Tuesday we were treated to a visit by the army in recognition of Forces Day which is this Saturday. They brought in with them a signals landrover and the children were able to communicate with pupils from Kimpton Primary School. They gave a description of Heytesbury School along with reading extracts from the upcoming play, Jabberwocky poems and sentences that Otters had written. A big thank you to Major Walker for organising this visit.

On Tuesday we visit Haynes Motor Museum and I look forward to reporting on that next week.

Have a good weekend.

Mr Evans

THIS WEEKS ACHIEVEMENTS

DIAMOND
Roman
EMERALD
George G,
RUBY
Ruby L, Harvey

DIAMOND = SOLVING PROBLEMS
SAPPHIRE = KEEPING FOCUS MONSTER DISTRACTION
EMERALD = RESILIENCE/PERSEVERANCE
RUBY = SUPPORTING OTHERS

SCHOOL DIARY — TERM 6

JUNE
- Tuesday 27th   Whole School Trip, Haynes Motor Museum

JULY
- Monday 3rd   Y6 Induction @ Kingdown Mon-Thurs
- Tuesday 4th   Kingdown Open Day
- Tuesday 11th   HSPA meeting after school
- Thursday 13th   Informal Parents Evening (Times TBC)
- Friday 14th   HSPA Disco
- Monday 17th   Open Dress Rehearsal
- Tuesday 18th   School Performance 6.30pm
- Wednesday 19th   School Performance 6.30pm
- Thursday 20th   Leavers Service

Rufus E, William G,

Heytesbury Hedgehogs and Heytesbury Primary School are running the Heytesbury Church Produce stall from 10am-11am on Saturday 1st July. Donations of cakes, biscuits and other savoury items will be greatly received. Please bring into School on Friday 30th June or to the church on Saturday morning.

All help will be appreciated to set up from 9am and to help run the stall.

If unable to help, please come along and support this event.

Learning Corner

Otters
FS - see celebration books.
Year 1 - This week we have been working on our animal books. We wrote questions as our page titles. In phonics revisited the sound 'oo' and looked at alternative spellings for 'n'. In maths we began to solve problems involving division. On Tuesday afternoon we had a visit from the army, some of us used their radio. On Monday we had our last swimming session. It was a fun because we were able to play with the big floats.

Foxes
In maths this week we have been recapping the properties of 2D and 3D shapes.

In English, we have been planning and drafting our Dragon adventure stories.

Well done to all Foxes on a fantastic sports day.

Badgers

In maths, year 6 have been thinking about the best method to solve calculations – mentally, with jottings or via a formal method. Year 4 & 5 have continued their work on decimal numbers.
Our English learning has included identifying parts of speech in sentences, as well as rehearsing for our forthcoming production.
In RE, we have discussed the 10 Commandments and how easy, or not, it is for Christians to follow these commandments.