

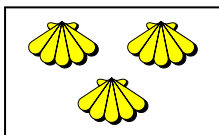
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High Wych CE Primary School

Success and Excellence within a Caring Christian Environment

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Harvest

Harvest service - Thursday 3rd October

Our Harvest service will take place next Thursday at 10.30am in St James Church. Parents are very welcome to join us but please be aware that space is limited in the church. Please send the children in to class with a tinned or packet item on Thursday morning for them to carry over to church. These will be donated to a local food bank.

Value of the month for October

October Value is Understanding (wisdom) and the stories used to support this are The Wise King (Kings 3) and the Two Houses (Matthew 7, Luke 6)

SUCCESSFUL- Please see the website for a list of the values used and some activities to support them.

Parking

Please remember to be considerate to other members of the community when using the village car park. Please do not block the access road to the office units by the car park, or park on the double yellow lines or block local residents' driveways. Thank you.

Pick up from clubs

Please wait in the car park by the front gate if you are picking up from clubs and not on the playground as ASC use this. The staff will bring the children out to you.

Aldi competition

Please bring in to school any stickers you are given if you are shopping in Aldi for a chance for the school to win £20,000. Thank you.

The Book People

We have signed up to the Big Book Boost. You can earn books for our school when you purchase books from The Book People - for every £10 spent we receive £1 for books. This is a great opportunity for us to enhance our school library.

Photographs - Tuesday 1st October

The photographer will be in school next week to take individual and sibling photos. All children and families will have a picture taken unless you notify the office that you would rather your child didn't take part. There is of course absolutely no obligation to purchase anything.

Whole school Panto - 10th December

We are really pleased that so many parents have signed up to attend this new exciting trip. We are still waiting for some responses and as we need to finalise numbers with the theatre would ask that you let us give consent or let us know that your child will not be going by the end of next week - 4th October. If you don't sign up by the 4th we will have to assume your child is not joining us and will be collected from school at 12pm on the 10th December.

Trip payments

We appreciate that there are a large number of trips due for payment at the moment, but to help with the administration in the office please can we request that you give consent and make payment as early as possible so we can finalise numbers with the various centres.

Online Safety session for Parents - Tuesday 8th October at 6pm

Please register your attendance at this important safety session. The class with the most adults attending will receive extra playtime!!

Double Bass

If anyone would like individual Double Bass lessons with Mr Davis please contact the office for more details.

Flu Vaccination - Reception to Year 6

Please return your Flu forms by Friday 4th October. A form needs to be completed to consent or to opt-out.

Dates for the term

October	Values: Understanding
1 st October	Year 1 Alpha bake cookery day
1 st October	Individual and sibling school photos
3 rd October	Harvest service 10.30am
3 rd October	PTA meeting
4 th October	Year 5 swim for 4 weeks
8 th October	Online safety Parents meeting 6pm
9 th October	Yr 3 Celtic Harmony
15 th October	Yr 2 Colchester Zoo
17 th October	Yr 4/5 Hertford Theatre
17 th October	PTA AGM
21 st October	Parents' evening 3.30-6.20 Yr N-5
23 rd October	Parents' evening 3.30-6.20 Yr N-3, 5-6
24 th October	Parents' evening 3.30-5.20 Yr 4 & 6
24 th October	Spook Fest 5.30-7
24 th October	Flu Vaccination Yr R -6
28 th Oct - 1st Nov	Half Term
November	Values: Courage
11 th November	Anti-bullying week
15 th November	Yr 4 swim for 4 weeks
15 th November	Children in Need Day
2 nd December	Occasional Day - school closed
December	Values: Compassion
10 th December	Whole School PANTO- Hertford Theatre
18 th December	Christmas Dinner
20 th December	Christmas service 10am
20 th December	End of term. Finish 2pm

Yours sincerely
Mrs M. J. West
Headteacher