



Hurst Green Happenings

Autumn Term no 80

26th November 2021

We had our first class trip last week when Year 2 visited Hever Castle. They had a lovely day for it and were really able to build on their knowledge of castles, which is their topic this term.

We are looking forward to December and the start of our Christmas celebrations. Keep an eye on the dates for the diary to keep up to date.

With numbers of cases of Covid increasing in the area, we are keeping our school well ventilated with doors and windows open. Please can we therefore ask that parents ensure their children come to school with extra layers underneath their uniform and warm tights/ trousers. Some children are arriving at school without a coat. Please do wrap them up nice and warm as winter has certainly arrived.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs George

Drop Off/ Pick Up

Please can we ask parents who are waiting to come into school to line up with their children along the line of the fence and not to crowd around the school gate near the car park. This is causing delays and potential accidents for those using the car park and also for parents who are on the earlier drop off times.

Can we also ask parents/ carers to wear masks where possible in and around the school premises

Many thanks



A huge thanks to everyone who took part in our "Spotty" themed Children in Need day last week.

We raised

£115.77.

Nativity Performances

We are very much looking forward to our Nativity Performances this Christmas.

Just to remind parents that we are asking just one adult attends the performance on the day allocated to your child's class. Please see Dates for your Diary for clarification.

We are also requesting that no younger siblings attend.

If you feel you are able, please wear a mask and we will provide hand gel and will be adhering to social distancing in the hall.

Taking photos and filming your own children is allowed but please do not post on any social media.



HGSA News

Friday 3 December - wear your own clothes day in exchange for chocolate or biscuit donation

Friday 10 December - wear your Christmas jumper in exchange for a bottle (alcoholic, soft drinks, toiletries etc)



Get in the festive spirit by visiting our Christmas shop on **Tuesday 14 December** from 8.45am and **Wednesday 15 December** from 2.30pm. We have a chocolate hamper raffle, bottle tombola, homemade decorations, reindeer food and photo baubles for sale.

Parent Governor Positions

We still have 2 Parent Governor positions which are vacant. This is a really rewarding position and gives you an opportunity to support our school and the community. If you are interested, please speak to the School Office.

Forest School News

Please can you send your child in with plenty of layers of warm clothes. We still have children bringing just t-shirts and thin leggings and with the cold weather approaching, this will not be sufficient to keep them warm.

Many thanks, Mrs Holliman



Hello Parents of Hurst Green Infant School. I'm coach Mikey of Holland Sports Football School.

I just wanted to send you some details of our classes that we run outside of school time in case you have a child who would like to have a free trial session.

We will be looking at holding a free trial session at Hurst Green Infant School after Christmas on a Thursday. If you would be interested in this, please make contact with the details below to secure your child's space. This club will be 3-15 till 4-15 and currently open to Year 1 & 2 children.

Football Saturday school we have availability for Year Rec & Year 1 children. Start times are...

9-15 - 10-15 Rec

9-30 - 10-30 Year 1

Tuesday indoor skills session for Year 3 & 4 children. 4-30 till 5-30pm.

Wednesday outdoor skills session for Year 4/5 & 6 children. 5-6pm.

Thursday Reception Multi skills session. Our newest class for receptions, similar to our nursery classes with fun party games and challenges. 3-45 till 4-30pm.

New class starting after Christmas, Thursday Pre-school football and games. 3yo - 4 1/2 years. 2 till 2-45pm.

We also run half term and summer camps in the school holidays including a couple of days in the Xmas break. Half days and fulls day available.

If you would like to book your child in for a free taster session to see how they get on at any of these classes please get in touch on 07510172789 or m-dean@hotmail.co.uk

Many thanks Mikey





Santa's back in town!

After missing out on his tour last year, Santa will be back in December! Starting on Monday 6 December, Santa Claus and Rudolph will be touring Hurst Green, Oxted and Limpsfield in their sleigh. And, thanks to MORRISONS, Santa will be parking his sleigh in MORRISONS car park for a few days too!

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They'll be visiting as many children (and parents) as they can, helped by Santa's elves – members of **Titsey Rotary Club** and friends – and Santa will be giving sweeties to the children while the elves collect a pound or two for charities supported by the Rotary Club. In 2019 our Santa's Sleigh elves collected over £3000 for charity. We hope to match or beat that this year.

Santa hopes to visit the following streets:

Monday, 6 December – Hurst Green

5.30pm: Comforts Farm Ave (lower), Mill Shaw
6.15pm: Holland Rd (south), Coldshott

Tuesday, 7 December – Hurst Green

5.30pm: Juniper/Bramble Close/Hollies
6.15pm: Roseacre

Thursday, 9 December – Hurst Green

5.30pm: Pollards Oak Road, Pollards Oak Cres
7.15pm: Pollards Oak Crescent

Monday, 13 December – Hurst Green

5.45pm: Wolfs Wood (lower)
6.45pm: Wolfs Wood (upper)

Tuesday, 14 December – North Oxted

5.30pm: Chalkpit Lane, Hamfield Close
6.00pm: Central Way, Silkhams Road (upper)
7.15pm: Gordons Way

Thursday, 16 December – Limpsfield

5.30pm: Park Road, Park Close
6.30pm: Stanhopes

5.45pm: Mill Lane, Warren Lane
7.00pm: Comforts Farm Avenue (upper)

6.00pm Four Oaks
6.30pm: Meridian Square, Barnfield Way

6.15pm: Chestnut Copse, The Greenway

6.00pm: Hazelwood Road, Boulthurst Way
7.00pm: Home Park, Hazelwood Heights

5.45pm: Westlands Way
6.45pm: Downs Way, Greenacres
7.45pm: Eastlands Way

6.00pm: Granville Road
6.45pm: Padbrook

Please remember to
have some cash
available for Santa's
charity buckets!

Monday, 20 December: Morrisons Car Park – 10.00am-4.00pm

Tuesday, 21 December: Morrisons Car Park – 10.00am-4.00pm

Wednesday, 22 December: Morrisons Car Park – 10.00am-4.00pm

Thursday, 23 December: Morrisons Car Park – 10.00am-4.00pm

Please note – these timings are APPROXIMATE. Santa, Rudolph and the elves will do their best to stick to them but Santa is getting on a bit and he needs to stop for a rest from time to time. (Some of the elves are getting on a bit, too!)

Santa will be putting a TRACKER on Oxted Facebook and the Titsey Rotary Club website www.titsey.org.uk so you can follow his route – and listen out for Santa's bell too! Santa's looking forward to seeing everyone again. Merry Christmas and stay safe!

Ho Ho Ho!

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Autumn Term 2021

Friday 3rd December	Mufti Day in exchange for chocolates
Tuesday 7th December	Nativity—Nursery and Year R Parents
Wednesday 8th December	Nativity—Year 1 Parents
Thursday 9th December	Nativity—Year 2 Parents
Friday 10th December	Nasal Flu Immunisation Christmas Jumper Day—in exchange for bottles Christmas Lunch
Tues 14th and Wed 15th December	Christmas Tables in playground—info to follow
Friday 17th December	Last day of Autumn Term

Spring Term 2022

Tuesday 4th January	INSET DAY
Wednesday 5th January	Return to school
Thursday 7th January	Final Open Morning
Saturday 15th January	Closing date for Year R and Year 3 places for 2022
Thursday 10th February	HGSA Valentines Ball
Friday 11th February	Break up
14th—18th February	Half Term
Monday 21st February	Return to school
Tuesday 1st March	HGSA Sponsored Pancake flip Life Bus Visit
Friday 18th March	Red Nose Day
Friday 25th March	HGSA Mother's Day shop
Thursday 31st March	Last day of Spring Term
Friday 1st April	INSET DAY

Summer Term 2022

Tuesday 19th April	Return to school
Monday 2nd May	May Day Bank Holiday
Thursday 26th May	Break up
Friday 27th May	INSET DAY
30th May - 3rd June	Half Term
Friday 17th June	HGSA Father's Day (or FUDGE) Day shop
Monday 6th June	Return to school
Thursday 14th July	HGSA Summer Disco after school
Friday 22nd July	Last day of Summer Term

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