

HEENE NEWSLETTER

'Learning together, loving others, guided by God'

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Dear Parents / Carers,

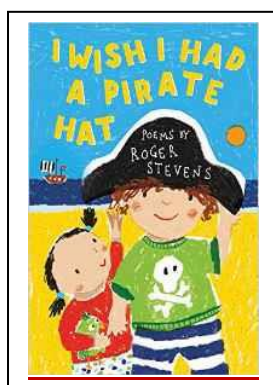
Thank you for your support and understanding this week regarding changes to trips, special events and uniform due to the unpredictable weather! All staff have managed to get to and from work safely enabling us to keep the school open at all times.

POET - ROGER STEVENS visited the school on Wednesday 28th February.

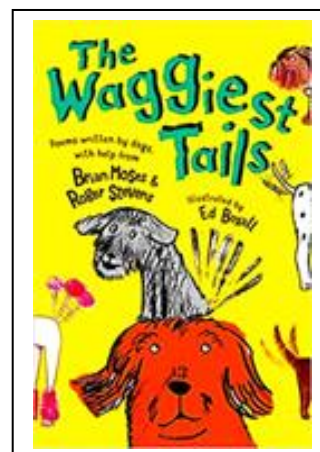


VOMITING AND DIARRHOEA 48-HOUR POLICY

Can we please remind you that if your child experiences any vomiting/diarrhoea then they do need to be kept at home for 48 hours from the last bout of illness.



The children enjoyed listening to his presentations throughout the day. Year 3 classes and some Y4/5/6 children had great fun taking part in some afternoon workshops with Roger also. There have been some fantastic poems written since his visit too.



You will be able to view the children's work when you are next in their classrooms. <http://poetryzone.co.uk/roger-stevens/>

YEAR GROUP PARENT CELEBRATION ASSEMBLIES

EYFS - Tuesday 13th March
Year 2 - Thursday 15th March
Year 6 - Monday 26th March
(please note change of date)
All at 9am in the school hall
Please join us if you can

CONSULTATION APPOINTMENTS

Please come with your child to discuss their progress on

TUESDAY 6th MARCH 3.20-7.00pm

or

THURSDAY 8th MARCH 3.20-5.00pm

Appointment times are now live for booking.
Any issues booking electronically please speak to the office staff.

NO CLUBS

Please note due to Consultation Appointments the following Clubs are cancelled on

Tuesday 6th March
Netball, Eco, Book Club & Homework Club

Thursday 8th March
Homework, Cross Country, Chess & Debating Club

Diary Dates are displayed on the school Noticeboards, which are located near to the school entrances.

The Noticeboards are regularly updated. Please check these for any changes.

If you require an additional copy of the Newsletter, please ask at the Office.



PARENT GOVERNOR VACANCY CLOSING DATE 9TH MARCH

We are currently looking for a Parent Governor to join our friendly and enthusiastic Governing Body.

No experience needed and free local training provided. For more information please collect a leaflet from the school office.



WORLD BOOK DAY 2018

~~THURSDAY 1st MARCH~~ - **RESCHEDULED FOR FRIDAY 9TH MARCH**

We celebrated World Book Day on Thursday 1st March in Collective Worship. To avoid any disappointment we will be carrying out further reading activities and dressing up next Friday 9th March.

This year the theme is 'share a story'. The children can bring one of their favourite stories in to school so they can share it with a friend. They may dress up for the day as someone or something (!) from the book that they really love.

The children will be involved in some fun 'book' activities throughout the day.

'Happy Hearts' - Year 1 have started participating in a series of workshops run by Tammy Wain. Don't forget to come along if you can on **Friday 23rd March at 2.15pm** for the presentation. Artie Beat will be there to present each child with a certificate to say they have taken part in the Happy Hearts sessions.



YEAR 1 - Worthing Museum visited on Wednesday 7th February to talk through the history of toys. The children then compared characteristics of old and new toys. They were fascinated by the old toys they were allowed to handle.



P.E. KIT — please ensure that your child has their full P.E. kit in school every day, including waterproof trainers, as half of their P.E. (particularly KS2) take place outdoors and sometimes across in the park. If your child does not have their P.E. kit in school, they will miss out on their lesson. Shorts, joggers and P.E. t-shirts can be purchased from the school office. It is advisable that children do have a warm tracksuit for the colder, wetter weather.

Church Service

Thursday 29th March 2018 - St Matthew's Church

Do try and join us, if you can on this last day of half term.

ALL CHILDREN WILL BE TAKEN TO AND FROM SCHOOL FOR THEIR SERVICES.

EYFS / KS1 will take place at 9.30am - KS2 will take place at 11.00am

If you have buggies please follow the directions of the church wardens and park them in the Rackham Room. In the summer term we will look to swap the services around so that the older children attend the first service. There will be tea and coffee served in church.

Thank you for your continued support.

Jo MacGovern — Headteacher