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Dear Parents,

Bridges Childcare in the School Holiday's (*this does not apply to Ladybirds*)

This week I have written to the parents that predominantly use Bridges Holiday Care to inform them that the provision is changing. I would now like to take this opportunity, through the newsletter, to communicate this message to the school community.

For the remainder of this academic year (to Sept 1st 2017), I have had to make the decision to close the holiday care for a further 17 days. The decision has not been easy as I know that for a few families this will affect childcare. However, the reason for this decision is that Bridges Holiday Care is not financially viable and I cannot use the school's educational funds (that are there for the core purpose of the school - teaching and learning) to keep holiday care running. The viability of the provision will be reviewed again at the end of this academic year.

Below are the weeks that the holiday care is open and during these times activities will take place. These will be advertised soon. Thank you to the Parent Council who have actively sourced other placements which can be found in this newsletter.

The dates below are when Bridges Holiday Care will be open:

10th April to 13th April – 4 days

24th July to 28th July – 5 days

7th August to 11th August – 5 days

14th August to 18th August – 5 days

All INSET days will have childcare on offer.

Please note this does not affect term time wrap around care.

Open Door Policy

I do want to reiterate that I hold an open door policy for parents. If you have any concerns or queries around any area of the school, please do feel free to discuss these with me in an open manner or talk to the Parent Council. Their role is not to take complaints, as that is a separate process, but they are there to listen and bridge communication if and when needed.



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Role changes within the school:

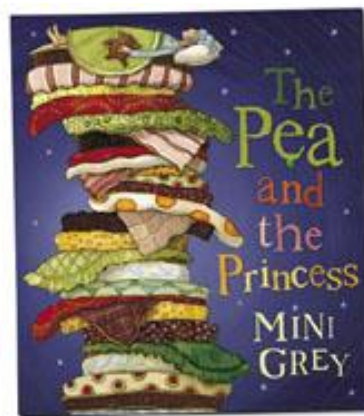
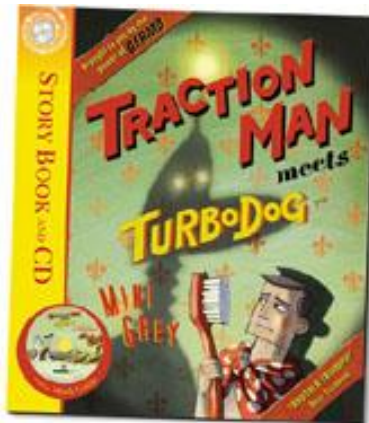
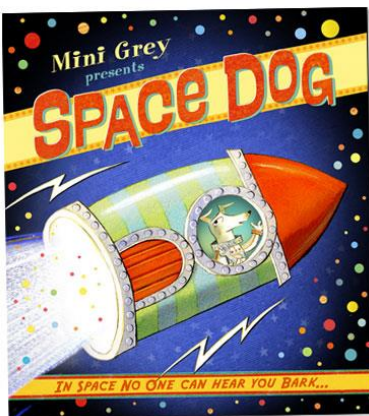
From this week we have had two new role changes within school. I am sure you will join me in congratulating Steve and Vicky on their new posts.

Steve Nutt has been successful in his application for the post of School Administration Officer. Steve will now support whole school administration and the office management. This will mean the reception area will be open from 8am through to 4:30pm.

Vicky Tomlin will now take up the Interim post of Bridges Manager. Vicky brings to the post a wealth of experience and qualifications. She is excited about the opportunity to bring fresh ideas and new ventures.

“Thank you” Parents!

I want to thank Parents for all their support with the dressing up days that we are having. I appreciate that this doesn't just happen but the sense of community and excitement it creates around the school all of your hard work worth it. Next Week is World Book Day. Following World Book Day, we are excited to announce that the author Mini Grey will be visiting the school on the 8th March to run workshops and help further our children's love of reading. On Friday, some of the Upper School pupils will have the opportunity to visit Waterstones Bookshop.



Kind regards,

Harry Paget-Wall Collins
Head Teacher



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Pupil Leadership Group Day

Thank you so much for getting behind the pupils in their dress up day today. The Pupil Leadership Group have organised the whole event but I appreciate that in the home it is you the parents that make these days possible! I am also conscious of having 2 days in 2 weeks for dressing up, what with World Book Day next week too. So a BIG THANK YOU!

The Pupil Leadership programme is run through United Learning Partnership Fund and works with year 6 pupils to develop leadership skills and organizational skills in pupils. They take the idea of 'something' that matters to them and the community and plan how they can raise awareness through organising an event for the whole school. I hope you will agree with me that they have taken on a big challenge today and have done us proud!! Well Done Year 6.

They will then share this event today with the other United Learning pupils across the group in London for the graduation of their leadership learning.



Attendance:

Whole School – 96%

Best Year Group – Year 6 – 99%

Best Class:

Upper School – 4RG – 100%

Lower School – 2KM - 99%

EYFS –PALM - 98%

Nbr 100% - 352

Nbr Lates – 27



E- Magazine

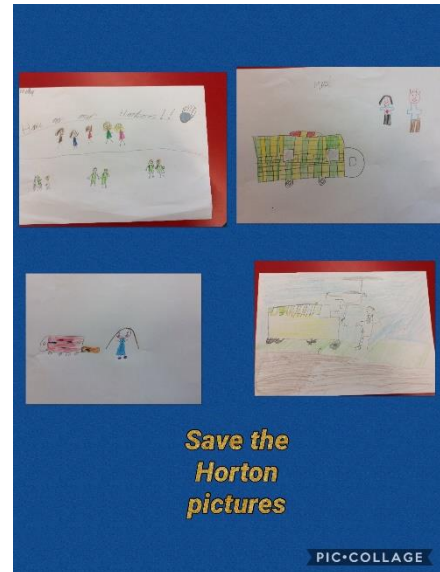
Save the Horton

Today everybody has dressed up as nurses and paramedics. If you have face paint you can have fake cuts. You can help the Horton by raising money and there will be a cake sale.

By Naomi year 2

Today we are going to dress up to raise money to Save the Horton. If we cannot save it we will have to go all the way to Oxford. We are also having a cake sale, orienteering fun and a dance.

By William year 2



Second Hand School Uniform

Uniform will be sold on Monday, Wednesday and Friday Mornings in the key stage 1 canopy at 8:30am - 8:45am. Uniform prices range from 50p - £2.00

Second hand uniform donations

We really appreciate second hand uniform donations. Please donate uniform to the office. All donations should be in good condition, clean with the name label blacked out.

Thank you

Dates for diary.....

- 1st March Year 3 Sulgrave Manor – 9am to 3.00pm
- 1st -3rd March Book Fair – details to be sent home nearer to date
- 2nd March World Book Day – Dress up
- 8th March Mini Grey – Author visiting school
- 30-31st March Parent Consultation – look out for text to let you know when open on line
- 7th April End of Term 4 – Check with Bridges and Ladybirds for holiday care if required
(Please remember that Bridges is closed w/b 17th April 2017)
- 24th April Start of Term 5
- 27th April Music for Schools – Parent Workshop 6.30pm
- 8th-10th May Year 4 Residential – Frontier Centre, Northants



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Family Learning

Confidence for Work



Starts: Wednesday 1st March-29th March 2017

Time: 1.15-2.45pm

Venue: Hill View School

Course length: 5 weeks



Develop your confidence and skills

- Find ways to manage family & work
 - Start work on a CV
 - Learn new skills
- Have help with applications & interviews

To enquire or book a space, please contact:

Rachel Tumilty 01295 709583 or homeschool@hanwellfields.org

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Future events...

Aspirations for Hanwell Fields Pupils and Community Events

Mother's Day Celebration (Female relative or friend)
Friday 17th March 2.30pm in the canopy.

Please come and celebrate together with a cup of tea slice of cake and make and decorate something together to take home.



Please fill in the form below to register your interest so that we can be prepared for numbers.

Name of Child.....School Year

Name of adult Signature

Please hand into the school office or email Rebecca.lister@hanwellfields.org by Monday 13th March 2017.

Family Bingo Night - Bring the family and enjoy the evening together of fun and games.

World Book Day 2nd March - Who will you come dressed up as? Your favourite character? From your favourite book, well we can't wait to see you all dressed up. 50p donation towards 'Aspirations Fund'.

Can you help us at Hanwell Fields?

Do you have a skill that will enrich our children's learning at Hanwell Fields? Could you have a spare 1hr to come and talk to the children or share a skill or hobby if so please email Rebecca Lister below or fill in the form at the bottom of the page for more information.

Name.....

Skill/Hobby/ please
give details.....

Please also fill in the form if you are interested in helping at future events or would like more information.

Rebecca Lister

Aspirations Lead/ Higher Level Teaching Assistant (Rebecca.Lister@Hanwellfields.org)



Hanwell Lunch Menu



Lunch Menu - Week 2



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main	Sicilian Chicken Pasta Bake	Chicken Pie	Honey Soy Beef	Slow Cooked Pork	Hot Dogs
Second Choice	Mozzarella & Courgette Pasta	Cauliflower Cheese	Vegetable Stir Fry	Pesto Pasta	Veggie Dogs
Veggie	Roasted Cauliflower	Harvest Greens & Crushed Potatoes	Chow Mein Noodles & Stir Fried Veg	Bast Potatoes with all the trimmings	Potato Wedges & Spring
Dessert	Apple Crumble & Custard	Pineapple Upside-Down Cake	Raspberry Yoghurt Sponge	Chocolate Mousse	Berries in Jelly

Our aim is to produce an exciting seasonal menu, we sought fresh local produce. This menu could be subject to change due to fresh produce availability.