

*Compassion, Joy, Perseverance, Respect*

## Headteacher News

This week an assembly for the school on Safer Internet Day was led by our Digital Leaders. They articulated with clarity the dangers of the internet and how children can keep safe. The assembly was based around the theme **‘Too good to be true? Protecting yourself and others from scams online’**. From my perspective, watching recent tragic news relating to content on the internet means the role of parents in keeping their children safe can seem daunting, however it is crucial.

Please keep your child safe and just remember, ‘Fifteen years ago we would never have thought of allowing our children to have a black box in their bedroom so they could contact any stranger and view anything they liked.’

We cannot go back but it is imperative that we educate and talk to our children. Please read the tips in the link to keep your family safe: <https://saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/safer-internet-day-2025/tips-for-parents-and-carers>



Bannerman Class represented our school so well at Leeds Castle on Wednesday. Their learning in school was linked to the theme of the trip, ‘Living Things and their Habitats’. The children met a real owl and dressed up to role play the story of ‘Sybil the Cygnet’. The children thoroughly enjoyed this outdoor learning opportunity. Thank you to Mrs Dunkley for organising the day.

It is only because we are mindful of the cost of trips and that kind parents are prepared to help with transport that children at Hunton have more educational experiences than most schools. Thank you to those parents and to Mrs Dunkley, Mrs Shephard and Mrs Warde.



Thank you to our Devas parents who came to a 'Stay and Read' session yesterday. The children were excited and truly proud that you came and shared their learning space with them. Reading for pleasure has an immense effect on pupils' achievements and confidence. Please read to your child as much as you can and do use Coxheath Library next week for free books!



A final thank you to Porteous Class for sharing their learning with us and their parents. The children planned and organised the whole assembly by themselves. They certainly taught all of us some amazing facts about the Anglo-Saxons, even Alfred the Great came along to tell us that he started to teach the population how to read and write. With much thanks to Miss Blundell and Mrs Eveleigh for growing the children's enthusiasm for learning.



Just to end with you may be wondering why parents' evening did not happen this week as it has done so in the past. Teachers are busily writing reports now rather than at the end of the year so there can be a deeper discussion with you at parents evenings on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> March. Our partnership with you truly develops a child's learning in a positive way.

I hope you have a great break for a week and that the children get to play outdoors.

See you next term.  
Mrs Makey



## Star of the Week and House points winners

Every week, each class nominates a pupil as 'star of the week' for an outstanding achievement or learning that has taken place. Their achievement will be linked to the Christian value they show. Look out for it on their certificate.

A huge well done to the children who got awarded star of the week! Congratulations for all their hard work.

Our house colours are named after people who reflect our vision of 'life in all its fullness' and we are sharing weekly results of house points.

	w/e 7 <sup>th</sup> Feb	w/e 14 <sup>th</sup> Feb
<b>Devas</b>	Thomas	Poppy
<b>Bannerman</b>	Polly-Anna	Billy-Joe
<b>Porteous</b>	Naomi & Shaelie	Hallie
<b>Borton</b>	Ronnie	Rose
<b>House points winner</b>	<b>Rosa Parks</b>	<b>Oliver Jeffers</b>

## Attendance

Every School Day Counts  
Please don't let your child miss out on the education they deserve.

*For the past 2 weeks these were the class attendance totals:*

*Devas: 96%                      Bannerman: 95%*

*Porteous: 93%                      Borton: 99%*

*Well done to **BORTON** who achieved the highest attendance for 3<sup>rd</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> February.*

## Dates



Please note that dates are subject to change. Where possible, we will always try to give as much notice as we can if we need to change a date.

<b>Monday</b> <b>3:20-4:20pm</b> 24 Feb 3/10/24/31 Mar	Football Club
<b>Tuesday</b> <b>3:20-4:20pm</b> 25 Feb 4/11/25 March 1 April	Netball Club and Kingsquad
<b>Wednesday</b> <b>3:20-4:20pm</b> 26 Feb 5/12/19/26 March 2 April	Acro
<b>Thursday</b> <b>3:20-4:20pm</b> 27 Feb 6/13/20/27 Mar	Multi-Activity Club

Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> Feb	First day of term 4
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> Feb 2:30pm	SENCo Social – touch typing
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> March	National offer day for Secondary school
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day – dress up as your favourite book character
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 4 visit to Coxheath Library
Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	PTFA Curry & Quiz
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	Parent consultations – info to be sent out in due course
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Devas trip to Kent Life
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Last day of term 9:15am – Easter Service at the Church. All welcome!





Monkhouse (our school uniform supplier) are now offering free delivery if you choose to have your items delivered directly to school.

<https://www.monkhouse.com/school/hunton-c-of-england-primary-school-urn-118726>

Please donate any pre-loved uniform with the Hunton logo to the PTFA.

**REMINDER: Children should have their full P.E kit in school every day.**

## PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) FEBRUARY HALF TERM 2025

[moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free](https://moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free)

### MORRISONS

Spend £5 from the hot menu and get one free kids meal all day, every day.

### BILLS

Kids eat free Mondays - Fridays from Monday 17th - Friday 28th February 2025.

### PRETO

Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto in Half Terms

### ASDA

Kids eat for £1 Daily at Asda cafes, with no adult spend required.

### LAS IGUANAS

Download the app and join 'My Las Iguanas' for free meals for mini Iguanas under 12.

### WHITBREAD INNS

Two kids under 16 eat for FREE with every adult breakfast purchased

### BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

### TRAVELodge & PREMIER INN

Buy 1 Adult Breakfast from just £8.99 & up to two kids eat breakfast for free

### SIZZLING PUBS

Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids' mains are £1 with every adult meal.

### TGI FRIDAYS

Kids Eat Free When 'Stripes Rewards Members' purchase any adult meal (Via

### GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS

Kids under 8 eat FREE all day, every day

### IKEA

Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am

### BURGER KING

From Friday 14th - Friday 21st Feb 2025, Kids Eat Free with every adult meal purchased via the app.

### ZIZZI

From Monday 17th February until Sunday 2nd March 2025 kids eat free at Zizzi

### COCONUT TREE

One child (under 10) eats free every day Monday 10th - Sunday 23rd February 2025

### SAINSBURYS CAFES

Kids eat for £1 with the purchase of an adult hot main. From 11:30am every day.

### BELLA ITALIA

Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Sun to Weds. All Day Thursdays

### HARVESTER

From Monday 10th - Friday 28th Feb 2025, kids eat for £1 with every adult meal via the app

### TABLE TABLE

Two children under 16 get free breakfast daily with one paying adult!

### PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM

Kids get 1 mini main, 2 snacks & a drink FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm

### BREWDOG

Pre-book online using code: **KIDS EAT FREE** and Kids under 13 eat free (various dates, see link)

### HUNGRY HORSE

Kids eat for £1 on Mondays

### THE REAL GREEK

Kids under 12 eat FREE Sundays with £10 spend

### SA BRAINS PUBS

Kids eat for £1 on Wednesdays

### FUTURE INNS

Under 5s eat for free with any adult meal.

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FB: [HuntonPrimaryPTA](https://www.facebook.com/HuntonPrimaryPTA)

Over half the tickets have now been sold so please don't delay if you would like to come along!



**Hunton CEP PTFA**

**MORE INFO & TO BOOK:**  
[PTA@HUNTON.KENT.SCH.UK](mailto:PTA@HUNTON.KENT.SCH.UK)

# CURRY & QUIZ Night

**SATURDAY 15 MARCH**  
£20 PER PERSON (IF BOOKED BEFORE 1ST MARCH, £25 AFTER)

**HUNTON VILLAGE HALL, ME15 ORR**

**DOORS OPEN AT 6:45PM**  
**QUIZ STARTS AT : 7:15PM**

**BRING YOUR OWN DRINK ALTHOUGH A SMALL SELECTION WILL BE AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE ON THE NIGHT**

## School Parking

Please remember to fill in the questionnaire relating to parking outside the school especially at drop-off and pick-up time. Iain Simmons would welcome any suggestions.

Please refer to the letter which was emailed to you on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February.

Remember to respect the houses opposite and near the school and do not park in front of their driveways.

Parking is always available at the village hall.

Grab your wellies and give the kids some exercise before or after school.